

Sustainable Development Report 2020

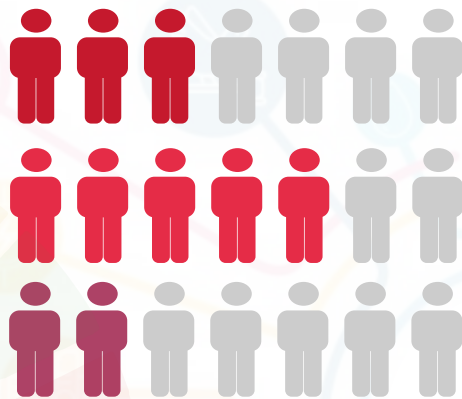
Clean Water and Sanitation



Quality Education ■

PSU is committed to the United Nations' Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs), the 4th goal being quality education. With the goal in place, the members of PSU community is toiling hard which is visible through the outcomes that the university accomplished. PSU follows a certain metrics to measure such milestones. Here is an overview of activities accomplished by the university.

Overview of activities accomplished by the university



Total number of graduates with teaching qualifications

15.4%

Lifelong learning opportunities are available at PSU

40%

First-generation students starting the first-degree at PSU

14.6%

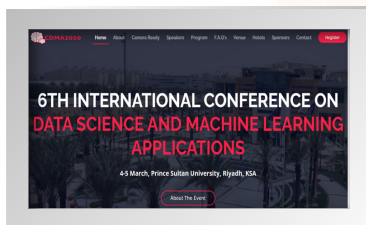
Source: Academic Year 2020

Achievements ■

CDMA2020: The 6th International Conference on Data Science and Machine Learning Applications

CDMA2020, the 6th edition of 'International Conference on Data Science and Machine Learning Applications' is aimed to gather researchers and Applications developers from a wide range of Data Science related areas such as data analytics, computational intelligence, machine learning, deep learning, pattern recognition, databases, Big Data and Visualization. The Conference will provide opportunities for technical collaboration among data science and machine learning researchers, developers and practitioners in Saudi Arabia, GCC countries and Middle-East region. Acceptance will be based primarily on originality, significance and quality of contribution. All submissions will undergo a blind peer review process before acceptance and possible inclusion in the proceedings of the conference.

Venue: Prince Sultan University, Riyadh, Saudi Arabia
Date : Wednesday – Thursday (4th - 5th March, 2020)

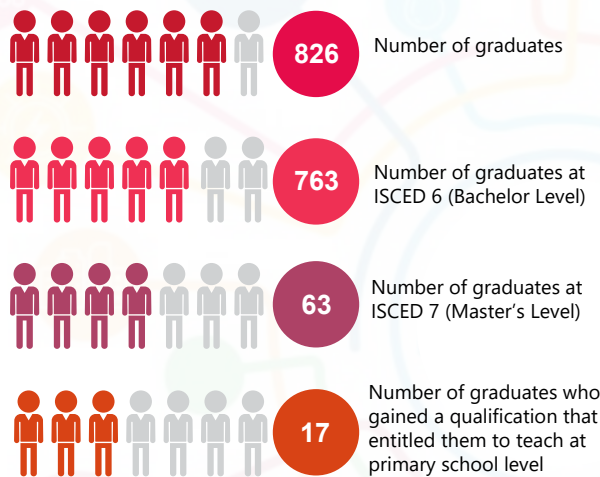
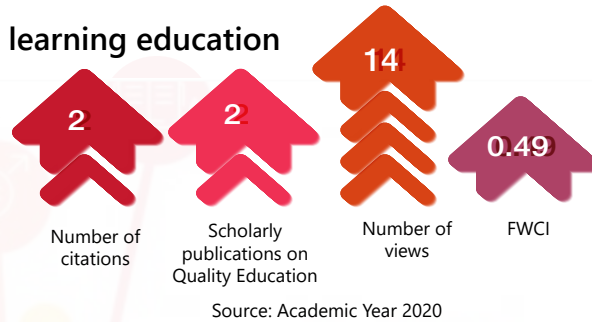




Metrics ■

Research on early years and lifelong learning education

This focuses on research that is relevant to pedagogy, measuring paper views, the proportion of papers in the top 10 per cent of cited journals and the volume of research produced.



Proportion of graduates with teaching qualification

In order to understand how a university is supporting early years education, this measures the proportion of university graduates who receive a degree that would enable them to teach at primary school level in their country. Since PSU does not have a college of education, the number is focused on college of humanities graduates who were qualified to teach English as foreign languages. The number reflects the graduates who has Teaching English as a Foreign Languages (TEFL).

Lifelong learning measures

The PSU community is driven by a shared purpose: to make a better world through education, research, and innovation. We are fun and quirky, inventive and artistic, obsessed with numbers, and welcoming to talented people. PSU Mission states "Prince Sultan University aims to provide the Middle East with a quality education to the highest international standards. In its efforts towards a successful and responsible life-long learning, PSU integrates modern technology, pedagogy and human values for the advancement of scientific research, productivity and leadership towards a more meaningful social life.

- Public resources (lifelong learning)** 01. PSU provides Free Access for those not studying at the university
- Public events (lifelong learning)** 02. PSU provides educational activities that are open to the general public on programmed basis
- Vocational training events (lifelong learning)** 03. PSU provides vocational training events that are open to the general public on programmed basis
- Education outreach activities beyond campus** 04. PSU provides outreach activities in the local community on programmed basis
- Lifelong learning access policy** 05. PSU has a policy that ensures that access to these activities is accessible to all, regardless of ethnicity, religion, disability or gender

Source: Academic Year 2020





SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT GOALS

PSU's commitment to SDG 2030

PSU is committed to United Nations Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) through effective institutional resource management, innovative teaching and learning, research, national and international partnerships, continuous studies, and outreach. PSU shall undertake the following activities: form higher and steering committees, evaluate each SDG, formulate and develop related SDG policies, conduct awareness campaigns to the PSU community, establish a sustainability office, identify the SDGs related to each college, program, and course, and lab centers at PSU, and implement sustainability-related initiatives.

Vision

Prince Sultan University strives to support Saudi Arabia's Vision 2030 and the United Nations Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) by paving the way for higher education in KSA and Middle East.

Mission

Supporting the Saudi Arabia's Vision 2030 and the PSU's strategic directions, PSU aligns its mission with SDGs by providing quality education, sustainability initiatives, lifelong learning, scientific research, and community service.

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