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Expanded Final Institutional Report (2024–2025)

1. Institutional Strategy, Governance, and Policy Alignment

During 2024–2025, Assiut University adopted a comprehensive institutional framework for Sustainable Development Goal 17 (Partnerships for the Goals), recognizing partnerships as a strategic driver for education quality, research excellence, healthcare advancement, innovation, and community engagement. The University aligns its partnership agenda with Egypt Vision 2030, national higher education policies, and the United Nations 2030 Agenda.

Governance of partnerships is coordinated by the International Ranking and International Relations Office (AUIRO), in collaboration with the General Administration of Scientific and Cultural Relations and sectoral academic units. This governance model ensures documentation, monitoring, transparency, and evidence-based reporting consistent with THE Impact Rankings methodology.

2. Scope and Diversity of Partnerships (2024–2025)

Assiut University maintains a diversified, multi-sectoral partnership ecosystem that includes academic institutions, governmental bodies, industry and healthcare partners, non-governmental organizations, and students as active contributors. Partnerships are formal, long-term, and integrated into institutional planning.

Partnership Category	Key Partners	Scope	SDG 17 Contribution
Academic Institutions	Universities, Erasmus+ partners	National / International	Knowledge exchange
Government & Public Bodies	Ministries, research authorities	National / Regional	Capacity building
Industry & Healthcare	Saudi German Hospitals Group	Regional / International	Employability
NGOs & Civil Society	NGO Support Center partners	Local / National	Community development
Students	Student SDG initiatives	Institutional	Youth engagement



3. Institutional Partnership Agreements and Protocols

During the reporting period, Assiut University implemented formal cooperation agreements and protocols with international universities, research platforms, healthcare providers, industry partners, and governmental

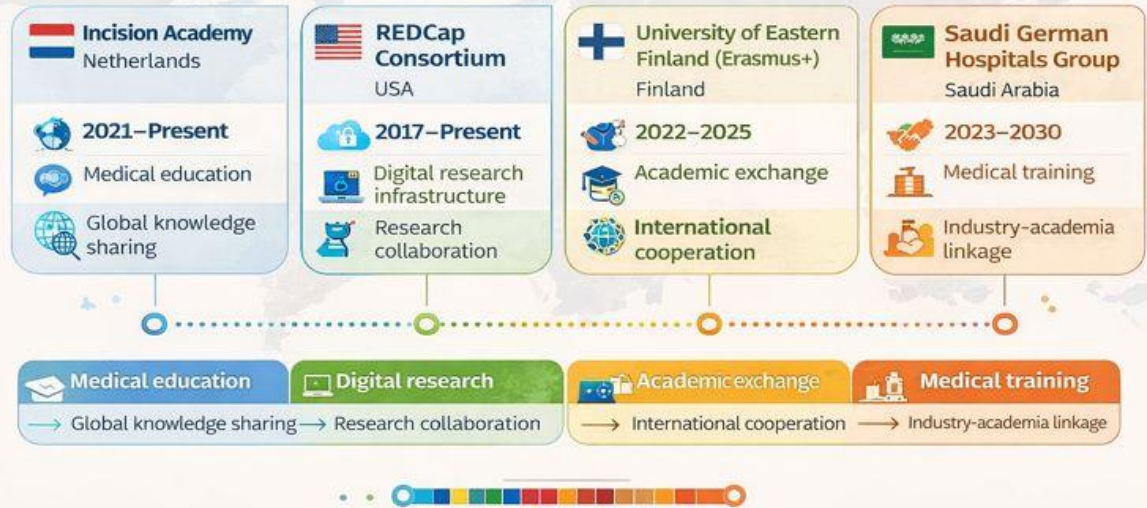
institutions. These agreements support digital transformation, academic mobility, professional training, and applied research.

Partner	Country	Period	Area of Cooperation	SDG 17 Contribution
Incision Academy	Netherlands	2021–Present	Medical education	Global knowledge sharing
REDCap Consortium	USA	2017–Present	Digital research infrastructure	Research collaboration
University of Eastern Finland (Erasmus+)	Finland	2022–2025	Academic exchange	International cooperation
Saudi German Hospitals Group	Saudi Arabia	2023–2030	Medical training	Industry–academia linkage

Assiut University's Digital Cooperiton



International and Protocols – Protocols



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4. Partnership Ecosystem at Assiut University (2024–2025)

This figure illustrates Assiut University's SDG 17 partnership ecosystem, showing the central institutional role and five partnership pillars: academic institutions, government, industry, NGOs, and students.



5. Collective NGO Partnership Activities (2024–2025)

To ensure transparency and evidence-based reporting, NGO collaboration activities are aggregated at the institutional level.

Collective Overview of Assiut University–NGO Collaboration (2024–2025)

Activity Area	Collective Number	Description
Active NGO partnerships	9 NGOs	Formal cooperation agreements with civil society organizations
Joint community programs	20+ programs	Health, education, and social development initiatives
Awareness & outreach campaigns	30+ campaigns	Public health, environmental, and social awareness
Student volunteer initiatives (with NGOs)	15+ initiatives	Student participation in NGO-led community activities
Estimated community beneficiaries	1,200+ individuals	Local communities, vulnerable groups, and youth

Community & NGO Engagement at Assiut University



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6. NGO Partnerships, Activities, and Beneficiaries (2024–2025)

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NGO Partner	Area of Cooperation	Key Activities Implemented	Primary Beneficiaries
Misr El-Kheir Foundation	Social development, education, health	Community development programs, health awareness campaigns, educational support initiatives	Local communities, vulnerable families, students
Gam'eyat Foundation (Federation of Associations)	Civil society coordination, community engagement	Coordination of local NGO activities, joint community programs, capacity building for associations	Local NGOs, community groups, civil society organizations
Al-Arabi Center for Sustainability and Civil Society Work	Sustainability, community empowerment	Sustainability awareness programs, training on sustainable development practices, civil society capacity building	Community leaders, NGOs, youth groups
Child and Youth Protection Foundation	Child and youth welfare	Child protection initiatives, youth empowerment programs, social awareness campaigns	Children, adolescents, youth
Sawiris Foundation for Social Development	Social and economic development	Education support programs, community development projects, poverty alleviation initiatives	Underprivileged communities, youth, students
UNICEF (United Nations Children's Fund)	Child rights, health, education	Child health and protection programs, education support, awareness campaigns	Children, mothers, families
CARE International	Humanitarian aid, community development	Community resilience programs, health and social awareness activities, support for vulnerable groups	Local communities, vulnerable populations, women and youth

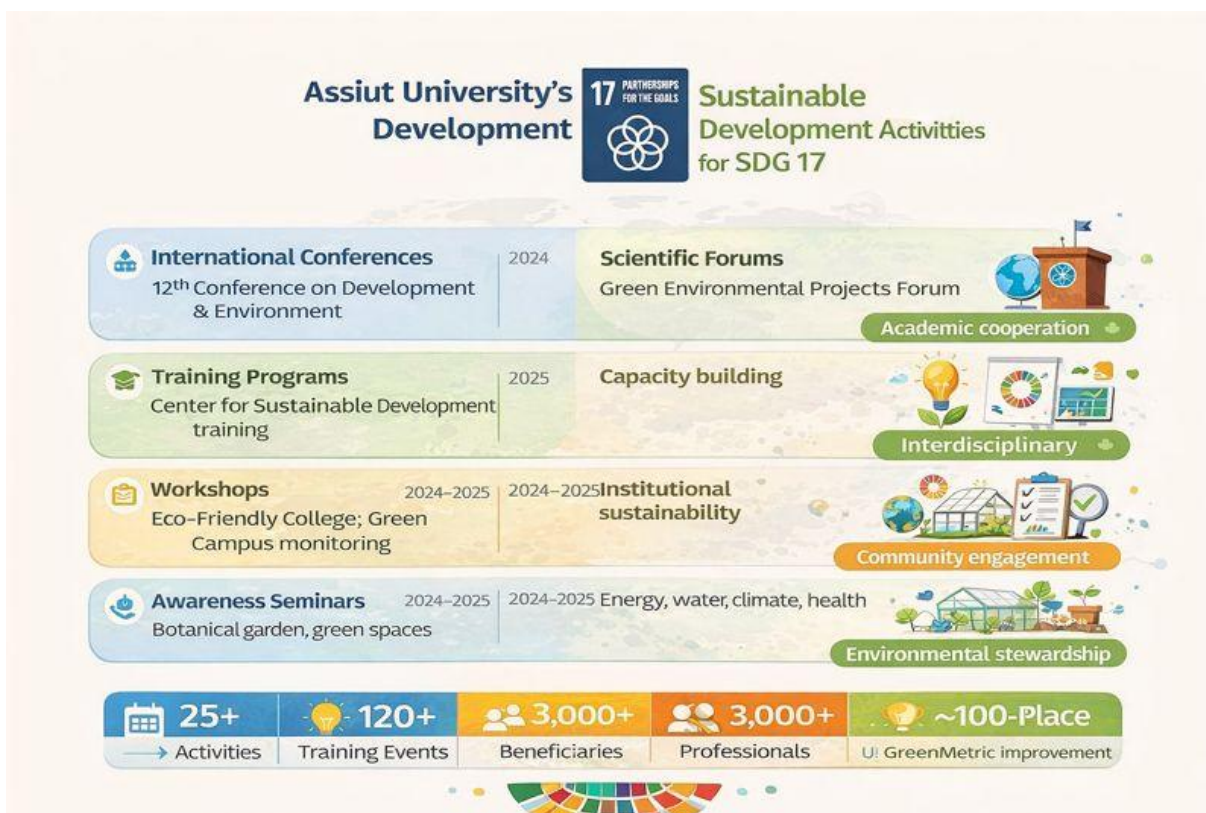


7. Sustainable and Environmental Activities (2024–2025)

Assiut University implemented a wide range of sustainability and environmental activities through international conferences, scientific forums, training programs, awareness seminars, campus initiatives, and strategic governance mechanisms.

Activity Area	Specific Activities	Year(s)	Partnership Dimension
International Conferences	12th Conference on Development & Environment	2024	Academic cooperation
Scientific Forums	Green Environmental Projects Forum	2025	Interdisciplinary
Training Programs	Center for Sustainable Development training	2024–2025	Capacity building
Workshops	Eco-Friendly College; Green Campus monitoring	2024–2025	Institutional sustainability
Awareness Seminars	Energy, water, climate, health	2024–2025	Community engagement
Campus Projects	Botanical garden, green spaces	2024–2025	Environmental stewardship

Governance	Community Service & Environmental Council meetings	2024–2025	Strategic alignment
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8. Collective Quantitative Summary of Activities (2024–2025)

Assiut University aggregates SDG 17-related activities at the institutional level to demonstrate scale, sustainability, and impact.

Activity Category	Collective Number	Notes
Formal partnership agreements	40+ agreements	Academic, government, industry, NGO
International partnerships	20+ partnerships	Multi-region
Training & capacity-building activities	120+ activities	Institution-wide
Student SDG initiatives	25+ initiatives	Volunteering & research

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Environmental awareness seminars	4+ seminars	Sustainability topics
Campus sustainability projects	2 major projects	Green spaces & biodiversity
Total beneficiaries	3,000+ individuals	Students, staff, community



9. Conclusion and Strategic Outlook

The evidence demonstrates that Assiut University's SDG 17 performance during 2024–2025 is institutional in scale, partnership-driven, and embedded within governance and strategic planning frameworks, positioning the University strongly within THE Impact Rankings.



Appendix A: Evidence URLs for THE Impact Rankings SDG 17

International Ranking & International Relations Office (AUIRO): <https://www.aun.edu.eg/AUIRO/en>

SDG 17 – Partnerships for the Goals: <https://www.aun.edu.eg/AUIRO/en/sdg17>

Annual Technical Report (Community & NGO Engagement):
<https://www.aun.edu.eg/AUIRO/sites/default/files/The%20annual%20technical%20report.pdf>

Student Environmental & SDG Activities: https://www.aun.edu.eg/env_units/sites/default/files/sector/env-students-activities.pdf

University News & Sustainability Events: <https://www.aun.edu.eg>