

Use of the SDGs in the college and institute sector

The COVID-19 pandemic shows us, more than ever, the importance of the United Nations' [Sustainable Development Goals](#) (SDGs). Many experts agree that achieving the SDGs would have helped us to better address the current situation, which is both a health and human crisis, and better ensured that no one gets left behind (United Nations, March 2020).

We can and must respond to the new reality that awaits us by strengthening our actions and commitments to the SDGs. In order to be ready to act in this complex transition, CICan is developing an online guide sharing promising and emerging practices related to the SDGs in our member institutions. This toolkit will showcase our members' SDG-specific practices in as many institutional departments and areas as possible.

By answering this survey, you will help us make the guide useful and comprehensive, with the goal of providing an accurate picture of the use of the SDGs in our network. Initiatives presented in the guide will inspire others wishing to initiate SDG efforts in their institution and thereby contribute to Canada's [2030 Agenda National Strategy](#).

To facilitate the work of the team behind the creation of this SDG guide, please answer this 10 minute survey by May 8, 2020.

Please note that you will be able to submit up to ten examples.

Intro

1 Name of the college/Institution *

2 *

Name of respondent

Function in the college

Email

3 Do you think that your institution makes good use of the SDGs? *

Choose one of the following answers

- Yes
- No
- Unsure

4 On a scale of 1 to 10, to what point are the SDGs integrated in your institution? *

Please write your answer(s) here:

- 1 = Not integrated at all
- 10 = Fully integrated

5 Please choose all the SDGs that your institution works on, all departments combined (e.g. applied research, curriculum, faculty-led, facilities, administration).



You can choose more than one SDG.

6 In your opinion, what are the obstacles preventing the integration of the SDGs in your institution's work?

Please write your answer here:

7 Your current SDG projects or initiatives:

Name of the project or initiative

Start date (dd/mm/yyyy)

Completion date (dd/mm/yyyy)

8 Brief description *

9 Please select the stakeholders involved in your SDG initiatives. *

Institution staff

**Institution
leadership**

Students

Partners

Local communities

Private sector

Others

11 To which SDGs do your projects/initiatives respond to?



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(you can tick more than one SDG)

12 Please add any material related to the initiative

(link to a website, videos, photos, etc.)

Kindly attach the aforementioned documents along with the survey

14 Comments and suggestions

Please write your answer here:

Thank you for answering this survey.

We will contact you if necessary to have more details regarding the answers you have just submitted.