PRME

*an initiative of the United Nations Global Compact*

# Sharing Information on Progress 2026

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## About the Principles for Responsible Management Education (PRME)

The Principles for Responsible Management Education (PRME) is a United Nations-supported initiative founded in 2007 that aims to raise the profile of sustainability in their classrooms through Seven Principles focused on serving society and safeguarding our planet.

PRME engages business and management schools to ensure they provide future leaders with the skills needed to balance economic and sustainability goals, while drawing attention to the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) and aligning academic institutions with the work of the UN Global Compact. Driven by its mission to transform management education, PRME equips today's business students with the understanding and ability to deliver change tomorrow. As a voluntary initiative with over 800 signatories worldwide, PRME has become the largest organized relationship between the United Nations and management-related higher education institutions.

> *The PRME initiative was launched to nurture responsible leaders of the future. Never has this task been more important. Bold leadership and innovative thinking are needed to achieve the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs).*

**Antonio Guterres**

Secretary-General (2017 - Present)

United Nations

## Principles of PRME

### Purpose
We advance responsible management education to foster inclusive prosperity in a world of thriving ecosystems.

### Values
We place organizational responsibility and accountability to society and the planet at the core of what we do.

### Teach
We transform our learning environments by integrating responsible management concepts and practices into our curriculum and pedagogy.

### Research
We study people, organizations, institutions, and the state of the world to inspire responsible management and education practice.

### Partner
We engage people from business, government, civil society, and academia to advance responsible and accountable management education and practice.

### Practice
We adopt responsible and accountable management principles in our own governance and operations.

### Share
We share our successes and failures with each other to enable our collective learning and best live our common values and purpose.

## The Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs)

In September 2015, all 193 Member States of the United Nations adopted a plan for achieving a better future for all – laying out a path over the next 15 years to end extreme poverty, fight inequality and injustice, and protect our planet. At the heart of Agenda 2030 are 17 Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) and 169 related targets that address the most important economic, social, environmental and governance challenges of our time. The SDGs clearly define the world we want – applying to all nations and leaving no one behind. Successful implementation of the SDGs will require all players to champion this agenda; the role of higher education is critical to this.

# Getting Started

This section provides foundational information about University of Liverpool Management School, including key details and basic institutional data.

## Graduates & Enrollment

| 2025 Statistics | Number |
|---|---|
| Graduates | 2028 |

## Degrees Offered

Bachelor Programs

- Bachelor of Science (B.Sc. or B.S.)
- Bachelor of Arts (B.A.)

Masters Programs

- Master of Science (M.Sc. or M.S.)
- Master of Business Administration (M.B.A.)

Doctoral Programs

- Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D.)
- Doctor of Business Administration (D.B.A.)

# Values

We place organizational responsibility and accountability to society and the planet at the core of what we do.

## Who Champions Responsible Management Education at Our Institution

- Centralized sustainability office
- Interdisciplinary efforts across business school
- Interdisciplinary efforts across parent organization
- Research or issue group, society, or club leading sustainability efforts

# Research

We study people, organizations, institutions, and the state of the world to inspire responsible management and education practice.

## Research vs Research for RME/Sustainable Development

**244** Peer-reviewed articles were published by University of Liverpool Management School from this past calendar year.

**vs**

**47** Peer-reviewed articles were published by University of Liverpool Management School from this past calendar year in support of RME.

## Research Funding

In 2025, University of Liverpool Management School was awarded funding for research that is:

**Local** **Regional** **National** **International**

## Socializing Research

In 2025, University of Liverpool Management School contributed research findings to:

- Community organizations
- Government and policy makers
- Industry and business networks
- International media
- Local media
- National media
- Open-access platforms
- Public events and lectures
- Research collaborations
- Social media and digital outreach

# Partner

We engage people from business, government, civil society, and academia to advance responsible and accountable management education and practice.

## Institutional Partnerships

- AACSB (Association to Advance Collegiate Schools of Business)
- AMBA (Association of MBAs)
- EFMD (European Foundation for Management Development)
- Quacquarelli Symonds (QS)

## Student Organization Partnerships

- Enactus

# Practice

We adopt responsible and accountable management principles in our own governance and operations.

# Institutional Policies and Practices

- UoL Sustainability Strategy 2031

# Share

We share our successes and failures with each other to enable our collective learning and best live our common values and purpose.

## Engagement Opportunities

University of Liverpool Management School offers transparent engagement opportunities for members of our institution and community to contribute to our sustainability and responsibility efforts in the following ways:

- Boards and advisory committees
- Public events and panel discussions
- Student and staff volunteer programs
- Sustainability-focused research and collaboration Opportunities

## Communication Audiences

University of Liverpool Management School communicates its policies and progress on sustainable development and responsibility with:

- Alumni and donors
- Boards and advisory committees
- Business and industry partners
- Chamber of commerce and local communities
- Faculty and staff
- Government and policy makers

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