

PRiME

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United Nations Global Compact

2025 Sharing Information on Progress **(SIP) Report**

Business School of Central South
University

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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 Business School of Central South University, including key details and basic institutional data.

Graduates & Enrollment

2024 Statistics	Number
Graduates	925
Faculty & Staff at the University	5926
Faculty & Staff at the Institution	170
Student Enrollment at the University	63919
Student Enrollment at the Institution	4006
Undergraduate Attendance	1550
Masters-Level Postgraduate Attendance	2174
Doctoral Student Attendance	282

Degrees Offered

Bachelor Programs

- Bachelor of Economics
- Bachelor of Management

Masters Programs

- Master of Finance
- Master of Professional Accountancy (or Accounting)
- Executive Master of Business Administration EMBA
- Master of Management
- Master of Economics
- Master of Business Administration (M.B.A.)

Doctoral Programs

- Doctor of Management
- Doctor of Economics



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Who Champions Responsible Management Education at Our Institution

- ❖ Senior leadership office
- ❖ Disciplinary efforts within business school
- ❖ Interdisciplinary efforts across business school
- ❖ Interdisciplinary efforts across parent organization
- ❖ Research or issue group, society, or club leading sustainability efforts
- ❖ Student contributor
- ❖ Individual leader



Research

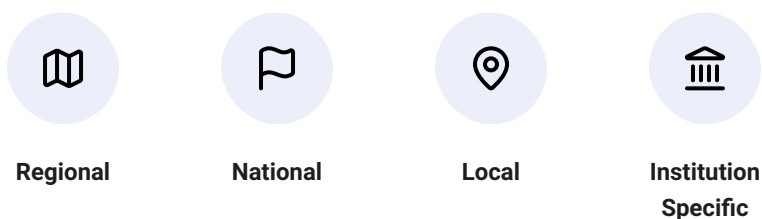
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Research vs Research for RME/Sustainable Development



Research Funding

In 2024, Business School of Central South University was awarded funding for research that is:



Socializing Research

In 2024, Business School of Central South University contributed research findings to:

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



Partner

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Institutional Partnerships

- ❖ AACSB (Association to Advance Collegiate Schools of Business)
- ❖ AMBA (Association of MBAs)
- ❖ EFMD (European Foundation for Management Development)
- ❖ Times Higher Education (THE)
- ❖ Ministries of Education, Higher Education, or similar national bodies

Student Organization Partnerships

- ❖ None



Practice

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Institutional Policies and Practices

- ❖ Buildings/real estate
- ❖ Curriculum guidelines
- ❖ Employee equity, diversity, inclusion
- ❖ Ethical data sourcing guides
- ❖ Ethical leadership or good governance policies
- ❖ Faculty hiring, tenure, and promotion guidelines
- ❖ Responsible procurement policies
- ❖ Student equity, diversity, inclusion
- ❖ Sustainability strategy or strategic plan (school or university level)
- ❖ Campus operations guides
- ❖ Carbon reduction or offset commitments
- ❖ Local staff/student/faculty transportation
- ❖ Professional training opportunities



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Engagement Opportunities

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

- ❖ Student and staff volunteer programs
- ❖ Public events and panel discussions
- ❖ Partnerships with local organizations
- ❖ Sustainability-focused research and collaboration Opportunities

Communication Audiences

Business School of Central South University communicates its policies and progress on sustainable development and responsibility with:

- ❖ Alumni and donors
- ❖ Boards and advisory committees
- ❖ Business and industry partners
- ❖ Faculty and staff
- ❖ Government and policy makers
- ❖ Media and public relations channels
- ❖ Research and academic networks
- ❖ Prospective and current students

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