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### *new volume "THROUGH SDGs2030"*

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*The Role of Universities and Educators Through SDGs2030*

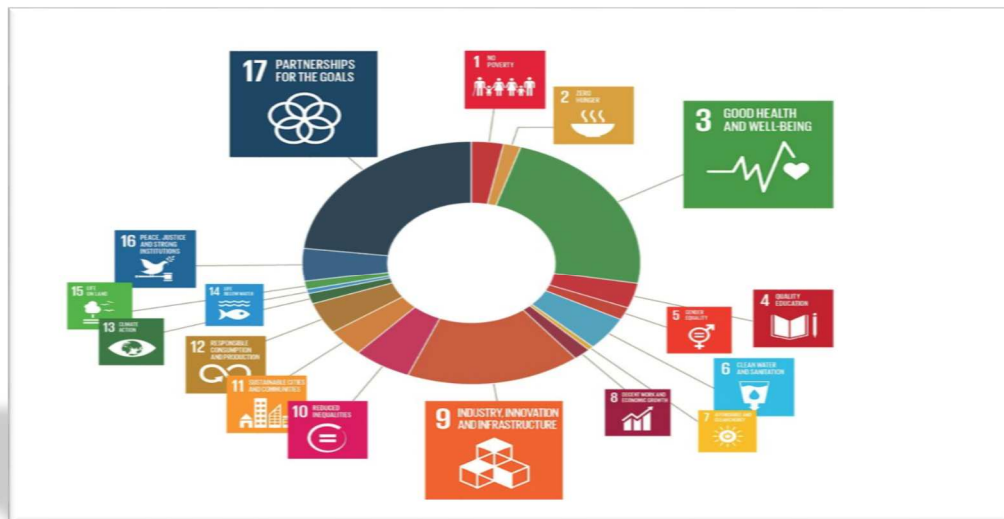
*"SDG 4 Quality Education: Through SDGs2030"*

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The 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development, adopted by all United Nations Member States in 2015, provides a shared blueprint for peace and prosperity for people and the planet, now and into the future. At its heart are the 17 Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs), which are an urgent call for action by all countries - *developed and developing* - in a global partnership. They recognize that ending poverty and other deprivations must go hand-in-hand with strategies that improve health and education, reduce inequality, and spur economic growth – all while tackling climate change and working to preserve our oceans and forests.

We called our new volume, *under book series titled : Accounting, Finance, Sustainability, Governance & Fraud: Theory and Application* – Springer as "**THROUGH SDGs2030**". We plan to discuss and publish books on regulating, implementing, training, evaluating, planning, applying, data-collecting, verifying, reporting for each SDG.

The first book will be titled on "**The Role of Universities and Educators Through SDGs2030**" which means "Ensure inclusive and equitable quality education and promote lifelong learning opportunities for all till 2030".

SDGs2030<sup>1 2 3</sup> is an emerging trend and issue for leaders, governments, lawmakers, private sector, NGOs. While world struggling against to climate change risks and its effects, United Nations warns governments and private sector to take control on their harmful activities, production, and marketing on the environment and try to stop using fossil resources in the world.

Unfortunately, we see a few actions among academics (universities, academicians, institutions, think tank organizations, research - strategy – planning groups, research funding organizations) for SDGs2030. Most of the university executive management ;

- haven't reorganized their activities and curriculums appropriate to 17 sustainable goals,
- are not familiar what sustainable data means,
- haven't disclosed sustainability reporting for their universities.

We see that the University of Bologna is a leader for SDG2030 movement.<sup>4</sup> The University and College Sector' Collective Responsive To Global Goals (The SDG Accord) has been announced to follow universities' activities on sustainability.

First-ever SDG report was announced by Leicester University. The University of Edinburgh is also a contributing institution to a Global Alliance of the world's universities, colleges and sustainability networks who have launched a new report; 'Global universities, colleges, and students leading the delivery of the UN Sustainable Development Goals'.<sup>5</sup>

After 2018, many universities around the world have started to publish "Sustainability Report" and/or "SDG Report" and/or "Integrity Report". Recently universities and academia noticed that they have responsibilities to educate "future generation" with "sustainable looking". Medical doctors graduated from Medicine School, lawyers graduated from Law Faculty, engineers graduated from Engineering Faculty, teachers graduated from Education Faculty and all other faculties, disciplines...and of course, the most important group for sustainable development goals, graduates from Business Schools who are candidate for board membership and capability to be auditor, CEO, CFO should have trained on theory, regulation, application, reporting on sustainability.



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<sup>1</sup><https://sustainabledevelopment.un.org/sdgs>

<sup>2</sup><https://www.eda.admin.ch/post2015/en/home/agenda-2030/die-17-ziele-fuer-eine-nachhaltige-entwicklung.html>

<sup>3</sup><https://sustainabledevelopment.un.org/content/documents/21252030%20Agenda%20for%20Sustainable%20Development%20web.pdf>

<sup>4</sup> <https://www.unibo.it/en/university/who-we-are/report-on-un-sdg>

<sup>5</sup> <https://www.ed.ac.uk/sustainability/news/archived-news/2018/sdgs-report>