

Technological University Dublin Energy Statement

Purpose

The purpose of the Energy Statement is to serve as a driver to improve and promote energy efficiency and conservation at Technological University Dublin.

Scope

This Statement applies to all campuses of the University including research centres. These are all hereinafter collectively referred to as 'TU Dublin'.

Statement of Intent

TU Dublin will develop and maintain an exemplar Energy Management System (EnMS) to continually improve energy efficiency, reduce energy consumption and the environmental impact of energy consumption and assist TU Dublin in addressing the Climate Action Plan 2030 energy efficiency and emissions reduction targets.

TU Dublin is committed to:

- Developing and reviewing an energy management system and action plan aligned with best practice.
- Ensuring the necessary resources, including training, are provided to develop and support the EnMS and to assist TU Dublin in addressing the Climate Action Plan 2030 targets .
- Meeting all legal requirements relating to energy use, consumption and efficiency and where possible exceeding these requirements
- Reducing the consumption of fossil fuels and utilise energy from sustainable sources where practicable.
- Maximising the use of fuel types that cause least harm to the environment whilst adhering to the national procurement requirements regarding value and cost.
- Monitoring and reporting energy performance in line with statutory requirements.
- Promoting energy awareness amongst staff, students and other connected parties.
- Demonstrating, through training and energy awareness programmes, how all staff can contribute to energy reduction.
- Identifying and implementing cost effective energy saving measures through procurement, and practice energy efficiency throughout all our premises, plant and equipment.
- Incorporating Energy Efficient Design into both new and refurbished buildings complying with relevant standards and requirements

Responsibility

Responsibility for the implementation of the agreed Energy Action Plan lies with the University's Energy Performance Officer working with the Energy Management Team in the Campus and Estates Office and the Vice President for Sustainability's team.

Review

This statement will be subject to annual review as part of the Annual Energy Review process.

Signed;



Professor David FitzPatrick,
President,
TU Dublin