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2025 Annual REPORT



IBN TOFAIL UNIVERSITY

Be part of the transformation.
Together, we are the change.

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It is with great pride that we present the 2025 Sustainability Report of Ibn Tofaïl University, a comprehensive overview of the actions, progress, and achievements that reflect our unwavering commitment to a more sustainable future.

This report marks an important milestone in our collective efforts to build a university that is environmentally conscious, socially responsible, and economically sustainable. Throughout its pages, you will find information on our initiatives in areas such as carbon emission reduction, energy efficiency, waste and water management, sustainable mobility, biodiversity protection, and inclusive education.

The year 2025 was rich in impactful projects, strategic partnerships, and community-driven initiatives, all of which contribute to making our campus a national and regional leader in sustainability. This report highlights key indicators, major events, and flagship projects that embody our vision of a green and resilient university.

We warmly invite every member of our university community, students, faculty, staff, and researchers, to continue contributing to the transformation of our campus and our society.

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Year Highlights 2025

RANKINGS AND DISTINCTIONS: INTERNATIONAL RECOGNITION OF UIT'S COMMITMENT TO SUSTAINABILITY

Ibn Tofail University achieved double recognition at the QS Reimagine Education Awards 2025, receiving the Regional Gold Award (Africa) and the Global Silver Award in Access, Diversity & Inclusion, from more than 1,600 global nominations.





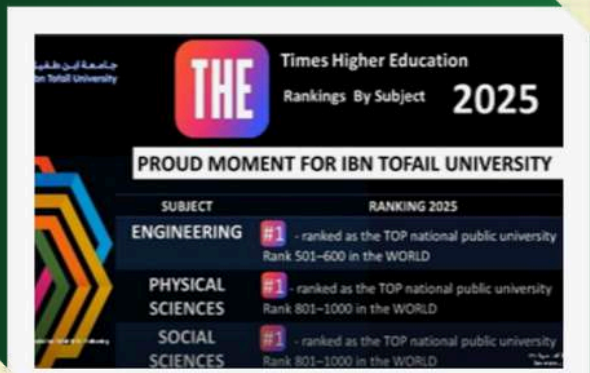




Year Highlights 2025

RANKINGS AND DISTINCTIONS: INTERNATIONAL RECOGNITION OF UIT'S COMMITMENT TO SUSTAINABILITY

In the 2025 Times Higher Education by Subject rankings, Ibn Tofail University ranked first at the national level, excelling in key disciplines such as Engineering, Physical Sciences, and Social Sciences.





The university also achieved a major international result in the Times Higher Education Interdisciplinary Science Rankings 2026, ranking first nationally and 124th globally, among 1,267 universities from 94 countries

Year Highlights 2025

RANKINGS AND DISTINCTIONS: INTERNATIONAL RECOGNITION OF UIT'S COMMITMENT TO SUSTAINABILITY

Ibn Tofail University was recognized at the Green Gown Awards International 2025, one of the world's most prestigious international programs honoring university excellence in sustainability, climate action, and societal impact. Following two rounds of international evaluation, the university received four major awards across different categories, highlighting its leadership in climate action, impact, equity and inclusion in sustainability, and overall institutional commitment to sustainable development.









Year Highlights 2025

RANKINGS AND DISTINCTIONS: INTERNATIONAL RECOGNITION OF UIT'S COMMITMENT TO SUSTAINABILITY

Ibn Tofail University also strengthened its Arab presence, ranking first among public universities in Morocco and 74th across the Arab region





Ibn Tofaïl University ranked among the Top 150 Arab Universities QS Arab Region University Rankings

Year Highlights 2025

RANKINGS AND DISTINCTIONS: INTERNATIONAL RECOGNITION OF UIT'S COMMITMENT TO SUSTAINABILITY

Leading with Impact: Ibn Tofaïl University #1 in Morocco, Among Top 600 Globally – THE Impact Rankings 2025



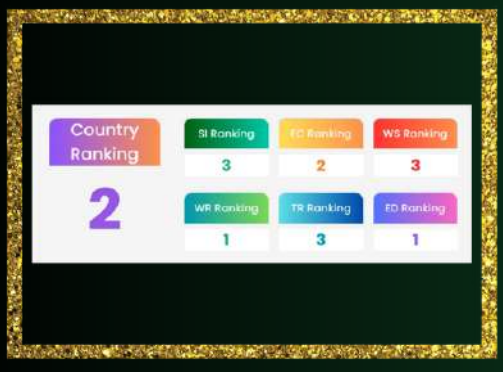
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RANKINGS AND DISTINCTIONS: INTERNATIONAL RECOGNITION OF UIT'S COMMITMENT TO SUSTAINABILITY

Top 504 in Sustainability – UI GreenMetric 2025 Ranks Ibn Tofaïl University Among the World's Greenest and First Public University in Morocco



Excellence in Quality Education, Energy, and Water through Intensive Research Initiatives.



UIT's GreenMetric Results: A Breakdown by Sustainability Pillar



FLAGSHIP SUSTAINABILITY PROJECTS: TRANSFORMING VISION INTO ACTION AT IBN TOFAÏL UNIVERSITY

Photovoltaic Canopies Powering Sustainability

Photovoltaic Canopy 1

- 📍 Location: Presidency parking
- ⚡ Power: 21 kWc | 🔆 Production: 94 kWh/day
- 💰 Savings: 3,200 Dhs/month
- 🌱 CO_2 Reduction: 1.49 tons/month
- 🔌 Includes charging stations (10 e-bikes, 2 e-cars)



Photovoltaic Canopy 2

- 📍 Location: Faculty of Sciences parking
- ⚡ Power: 60 kWc | 🔆 Production: 270 kWh/day
- 💰 Savings: 9,100 Dhs/month
- 🌱 CO_2 Reduction: 4.29 tons/month



Photovoltaic Canopy 3

- 📍 Location: Continuing Education Center parking
- ⚡ Power: 35 kWc | 🔆 Production: 157 kWh/day
- 💰 Savings: 5,500 Dhs/month
- 🌱 CO_2 Reduction: 2.49 tons/month



Photovoltaic Canopy 4

- 📍 Location: Faculty of Letters parking
- ⚡ Power: 50 kWc | 🔆 Production: 250 kWh/day
- 💰 Savings: 7,600 Dhs/month
- 🌱 CO_2 Reduction: 3.5 tons/month



100% LED Lighting

2 fully electric cars

10 electric power-assisted bicycles

SUSTAINABILITY & RENEWABLE ENERGY

FLAGSHIP SUSTAINABILITY PROJECTS: TRANSFORMING VISION INTO ACTION AT IBN TOFAÏL UNIVERSITY

Smart Energy Innovations on Campus Solar and Efficient Solutions

Photovoltaic PERGOLA

📍 Location: Terrace of the University Library
⚡ Installed photovoltaic capacity: 45 kWc
☀️ Average daily energy production: 201 kWh
💰 Average monthly electricity savings: 6,850 Dhs
♻️ Average monthly CO_2 reduction: 4.40 tonnes



Photovoltaic Facade

📍 Location: South façade of the University Library
⚡ Installed photovoltaic capacity: 25 kWc
☀️ Average daily energy production: 112 kWh
💰 Average monthly electricity savings: 3,800 Dhs
♻️ Average monthly CO_2 reduction: 2.45 tonnes



Solar Benches

📍 Location: Across the entire university campus
☀️ Power source: Photovoltaic modules with 24/7 energy storage
⚡ Charging features per bench:
- 1 × 220V power outlet
- 2 × USB ports (1A and 2A)

🎓 Use: Work, study, relaxation with accessible charging



LED Lighting

📍 Location: Entire university campus
⚡ Electricity consumption reduction: 50% to 80% compared to conventional lighting
♻️ Estimated CO_2 emissions reduction: 50% to 80%
🔋 Energy efficiency: 6 to 10 times lower consumption than traditional lighting



6 solar installations

236 kW installed panels generating green electricity

30 Solar benches

FLAGSHIP SUSTAINABILITY PROJECTS: TRANSFORMING VISION INTO ACTION AT IBN TOFAÏL UNIVERSITY

Campus STEP Station – Wastewater Treatment and Smart Irrigation

The wastewater treatment plant is based on a third-generation Membrane Bioreactor (MBR) system,combining aerobic biological treatment with membraneultrafiltration and UV disinfection. The daily treatment capacity reaches 500m³/day,



Sidi Taïbi Station – Treatment of Nitrate-Contaminated Well Water

Providing Safe Water, Protecting Health:
To combat nitrate-contaminated well water in Sidi Taïbi — a major cause of thyroid disorders in children — Ibn Tofaïl University deployed a sustainable water treatment station. Combining nanofiltration, chemical-free disinfection, and renewable energy, the system now serves over 4,000 people with clean, safe drinking water, ensuring both public health and energy efficiency.



Expertise on Scaling Issue

✅ Goal: Tackle water scaling in drinking water systems
🤝 Partner: ONEE (2021–2026)
🛠️ Action:
- Preventive: Adapt systems to reduce scaling
- Corrective: Apply descaling & regeneration techniques

🧪 Innovation: Pilot unit adapted to Moroccan context
💡 Impact: Improve water treatment tech & energy efficiency

FLAGSHIP SUSTAINABILITY PROJECTS: TRANSFORMING VISION INTO ACTION AT IBN TOFAÏL UNIVERSITY

Vegetable Tanning

✅ Goal: Enhance vegetable tanning in Moroccan crafts for safer, high-quality leather
🌍 Location: Morocco – chemistry labs & artisanal workshops
👤 Project Coordinator: Prof. Mohamed Ebn Touhami
💧 Focus: Replace toxic chemicals with natural plant-based tannins
🧪 Action: R&D on eco-friendly tanning agents, process improvement, lab extraction & testing (Mimosa bark & others)
💡 Impact: Boost sustainable leather production, reduce pollution, support circular economy, empower local artisans with greener, more competitive practices



PyroBioFuel

📅 2022–2025 project to convert biomass waste into biofuel via fast pyrolysis
🧪 Focus: process optimization, catalytic upgrading (FTS + HCR microreactors), and digital decision tools
🌾 Feedstocks: date palm waste, olive residues, cotton stalks, maize straw
👩‍🌾 Impact: women-led rural initiatives, job creation, scalable off-grid solutions, and gender-focused social assessment

BIOTHEREP

🧪 Goal: Turn slaughterhouse biowaste into renewable energy
🕓 Duration: 2022–2025
🔁 Approach: Hybrid biochemical & thermochemical circular process
🌍 Context: Reduce pollution, GHG emissions & water overuse
⚙️ Actions: Convert waste into bioenergy & by-products
🌱 Impact:

- Cleaner waste management
- Energy self-sufficiency for rural slaughterhouses
- Transferable model across Africa
- Contribution to SDGs & circular economy

CIRCULAR ECONOMY & WASTE VALORIZATION

FLAGSHIP SUSTAINABILITY PROJECTS: TRANSFORMING VISION INTO ACTION AT IBN TOFAÏL UNIVERSITY



MEDGOAT

📅 2023–2026 initiative to support goat farming in the Mediterranean under climate change
🎯 Goals: promote local breeds, preserve pastoral ecosystems, improve feeding practices, and support rural livelihoods
📍 Focus countries: Morocco and Tunisia (demo sites, technical support, outreach)
🌱 Impact: climate resilience, sustainable agriculture, and enhanced food systems in rural areas

Olive tree adaptation

📅 2022–2026 project to improve olive tree adaptation to climate change
🧬 Uses genomics and genetics to identify traits related to flowering and drought tolerance
🧪 Studies cold/heat requirements, flowering rate, and drought resilience mechanisms
🌍 Outputs: genetic markers, elite variety selection, flowering/drought tolerance classification for 200+ Mediterranean varieties
🧭 Impact: better varietal selection, adaptation maps, and preservation of olive productivity under climate stress





PROMEDRICE

✅ Goal: Cleaner, more efficient rice farming in the Mediterranean
🌍 Countries: From Turkey to Portugal (incl. Morocco, Spain, Egypt)
💧 Focus: Reduce soil salinity, nitrate leaching & water pollution
🧪 Action: Test eco-friendly practices + water treatment on real farms
💡 Aim: Boost productivity while protecting water & soil

SDG 1

EDUCATING FOR A WORLD WITHOUT POVERTY

1 NO POVERTY



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Assessment of the year

Social Assistance for Students

All students enrolled at UIT from low-income households receive a scholarship throughout their studies. This financial aid covers part of their living expenses and aims to reduce inequalities in access to higher education. It allows disadvantaged students to continue their studies in more favorable conditions and focus on their academic success without being hindered by financial difficulties.
1669 "FTE" **international students** enrolled at the university also benefit from scholarships, ensuring that they too have access to the necessary financial support to pursue their education. Undergraduate International Students are 1039 "FTE".
Funded PhD students in 2025: 300

Tuition Fees

The university offers students initial programs at the bachelor's, master's, and doctoral levels entirely free of charge, with no tuition fees.

Mandatory Health Insurance

67344 students "FTE" (Full-Time Equivalent) enrolled at UIT benefit from the Mandatory Health Insurance for Students (AMO), which provides them with comprehensive medical coverage throughout their studies. This program allows students to focus on their health without worrying about financial constraints.

Catering

A catering service is available for students from low-income households, with a **symbolic fee of 1.40 MAD per meal**, allowing them to meet their nutritional needs affordably throughout their studies.

Housing

Students enrolled at UIT from low-income households have the option to live in one of the public university residences, with a symbolic fee of **40 dh per month.** Other students can reside in one of the three university residences located on or near the campus, all at affordable prices.

The Student Life Center

The students of Ibn Tofail University understand the significance of extracurricular activities in their personal growth and preparation for the professional world. The Student Life Center (SLC) assists them in organizing themselves into clubs, student offices (BDE), or student associations (SA).

Students with Disabilities Space

The 2ESH space provides students with disabilities with computer equipment to compensate for difficulties in manual writing or reading and to promote access to new information technologies.

Code 212 Center

With an ambitious goal of democratizing access to coding and artificial intelligence, the Code 212 Center provides university students with a dedicated space to develop essential digital and programming skills.









THE GLOBAL GOALS

Humanitarian Caravan of Solidarity in Taza

📅 Date: May 27, 2025
👕 Organizer: Rotaract Club – Ibn Tofail University
📍 Location: Taza Region

Ibn Tofail University's Rotaract Club organized a humanitarian caravan in the Taza region to support families facing difficult living conditions. The initiative included the distribution of food baskets to vulnerable households and the renovation of a local school, improving both immediate living conditions and access to a dignified learning environment. Through direct assistance and community engagement, the action addressed urgent needs while promoting human dignity and social solidarity.





United for Childhood: National Meeting on Child Protection

📅 Date: May 12, 2025
📍 Location: Bouregreg Conference Palace, Salé
🤝 Partners: Ibn Tofail University – Ministry of Solidarity, Social Integration and Family – UNICEF – European

Ibn Tofail University took part in a national high-level meeting on child protection, resulting in the signing of a strategic partnership agreement with the Ministry of Solidarity. The initiative aimed to strengthen territorial child protection services, particularly for children in vulnerable situations, by integrating academic research, youth engagement, and field-based solutions. This commitment positions the university as an active contributor to reducing child vulnerability and preventing cycles of poverty.





Ramadan Solidarity Initiative with Orphaned Children





📅 **Date: March 27, 2025**
🏛 **Organizer: ANIR Club – Ibn Tofail University**
📍 **Location: Association of Orphans for Self-Development**

During the month of Ramadan, the ANIR Club organized a solidarity iftar and Eid support initiative for orphaned children. The action included shared meals and the distribution of Eid clothing, reinforcing dignity, inclusion, and emotional well-being. By addressing both material and psychosocial needs, the initiative contributed to protecting vulnerable children from social exclusion and hardship.

"Rifq" Humanitarian Mission for Animal Protection and Livelihood Support





📅 **Date: April 13, 2025**
🏛 **Organizer: Green Act Club – Ibn Tofail University**
📍 **Location: Tangier**

The Green Act Club launched "Rifq", a humanitarian mission supporting abandoned animals through veterinary care, shelter rehabilitation, and the distribution of food and supplies valued at over 60,000 MAD. By protecting animal health, the initiative indirectly supported vulnerable households whose livelihoods depend on animals, reducing economic shocks linked to disease and neglect. The project highlighted the link between compassion, livelihood protection, and poverty prevention.

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SDG 2

OUR COMMITMENT, OUR RESPONSIBILITY



Assessment of the year

Catering

The university is dedicated to providing affordable and nutritious meals to its community, especially for students who receive social scholarships.

The university restaurant serves 26.247 scholarship students at the symbolic price of 1,4 MAD per meal.

These meals are designed to meet nutritional standards, ensuring that students have access to healthy food that supports their well-being and academic success.

In addition to the restaurant, there are **seven cafeterias located across various faculties and institutions on campus.** These cafeterias are accessible to all students, as well as to professors and administrative staff, **offering a wide range of meals at affordable prices.**

FoSaMed

FoSaMed is a collaborative project that aims to bring together Moroccan higher education institutions, professionals in the agriculture and agro-food sectors, and international partners. It aims to promote inclusive education by developing programs and teacher training on food security.

SUPREM-MILK

- Preliminary inventory of the carbon cycle and characterization of sustainability in the ecosystems where the target dairy sectors are located.

Support the adoption and implementation of sustainable technologies, new applications and best practices by local farmers.

Research Laboratory for Animal and Plant Production and Agro-Industry

The laboratory has implemented several significant actions:

-Research and development of sustainable agricultural practices;
-Creation of resistant crop varieties;
-Improvement of animal nutrition;
-Reduction of food waste through processing techniques;
-Support for local farmers in adopting more efficient and environmentally friendly methods.

Research Program: PROMEDRICE

PROMEDRICE strives to advocate for implementing eco-conscious agricultural methods while generating compelling evidence to assist policymakers in making well-informed decisions regarding water resource management.
The main objective of PROMEDRICE is to develop and promote site-specific agricultural practices that reduce soil and water contamination and salinization while maintaining or improving water use efficiency and productivity in rice agroecosystems.

Med Goat

This project holds a crucial mission to equip pastoral and agro-pastoral communities in the Mediterranean region with the necessary tools to combat climate change and strengthen ecosystem resilience.

SUPREM-MILK: Improving Nutrition and Consumer Health in Mediterranean Dairy Systems

📅 **Project Period: 2023–2026**
👤 **UIT Project Coordinator: Prof. Youssef Aboussaleh**
🌍 **Countries Involved: Morocco, Egypt, Turkey, Italy, France, Spain**

The SUPREM-MILK project aims to enhance the sustainability and resilience of Mediterranean dairy supply chains while explicitly addressing consumer nutrition and health. By supporting farmers in adopting sustainable practices and assessing the final impact on milk quality, self-sufficiency, and competitiveness, the project integrates environmental performance with nutritional value and public health considerations, contributing directly to improved food quality and consumer well-being.



SAFOOD4MED: Advancing Food Safety through Antimicrobial Bioplastics

📅 **Project Period: 2024–2027**
🧪 **Program: PRIMA – Partnership for Research and Innovation in the Mediterranean Area**
🏛 **Institution: Ibn Tofail University (Morocco) – International Consortium**

SAFOOD4MED focuses on the development of innovative antimicrobial bioplastics derived from food waste to improve food preservation and reduce microbial contamination. By enhancing food safety, extending shelf life, and preventing food-borne health risks, the project contributes directly to public health protection while supporting sustainable and circular agri-food systems across the Mediterranean region.



ClimGenOlive Project – Olive Tree Adaptation to Climate Change

📅 **Project Period: 2022–2025**
👤 **UIT Project Coordinator: Prof. Allal Douira**
🌍 **Country: Morocco**



ClimGenOlive reinforces agricultural sustainability by supporting the adaptation of olive production systems to climate variability. Through genomic and phenotypic research, Ibn Tofail University contributes to the identification and selection of olive varieties resilient to drought and temperature stress, ensuring long-term stability of olive yields and agricultural productivity.

MEDGOAT Project

📅 **Project Period: September 2023 – August 2026**
👤 **UIT Project Coordinator: Prof. Youssef Aboussaleh**
🌍 **Countries Involved: Morocco, Tunisia, France, Spain, Italy, Portugal**



MEDGOAT strengthens pastoral and agro-pastoral systems by supporting sustainable goat farming adapted to climate constraints. Through research, demonstration activities, and technical guidance, Ibn Tofail University contributes to improving livestock productivity, preserving pastoral ecosystems, and supporting rural livelihoods across Mediterranean regions.

Food's Physical Modeling Workshop (Morocco-Tunisia)

📅 **Event Date: 10 December 2025**
🏛️ **Location: EST-Kénitra, Ibn Tofail University**
🤝 **Partners: University of Sfax (Tunisia)**

This joint academic workshop provided a high-level platform for scientific exchange on food quality, modeling, and physical processes. By hosting researchers and doctoral students, Ibn Tofail University reinforced its role in advancing applied food science research and strengthening international academic cooperation.



International Conference on Future Food Supply Chains

📅 **Event Date: 18 December 2025**
🏛️ **Location: EST-Kénitra, Ibn Tofail University**
🎓 **Guest Speaker: Dr. Daniel Onwude**

This international conference focused on innovation in food supply chains, addressing efficiency, resilience, and loss reduction through advanced modeling and sensing technologies. Ibn Tofail University strengthened its positioning as a center for applied research and innovation in sustainable food systems.



Keynote Lecture on Food Physics & Modeling

📅 **Event Date: 17 December 2025**
🏛️ **Institution: Ibn Tofail University (EST Kénitra)**
🎓 **Guest Speaker: Prof. Ashim K. Datta, Cornell University (USA)**

This keynote lecture strengthened scientific capacity in food systems by addressing advanced approaches to food physics and modeling. By hosting an internationally recognized expert, Ibn Tofail University enhanced knowledge exchange on food production processes, safety, and system optimization, reinforcing its academic contribution to sustainable and resilient food systems through high-level research and international cooperation.



SDG 3

HEALTH, WELL-BEING, AND A PROSPEROUS FUTURE

3 GOOD HEALTH AND WELL-BEING



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Assessment of the year

Educational Programs

- Bachelor's Degree in Biomedical Sciences and Health
- Master's Degree in Integrative Biology, Pathophysiology, and Health
- Master's Degree in Human Nutrition, Food Security, and Quality Management
- University Bachelor's Degree in Occupational Health: Neurocognitive, Behavioral, and Managerial Aspects
- University Bachelor's Degree in Nutritional Therapy
- University Master's Degree in Medical Engineering

Medical-Social Center

Ensure coverage of **90%** of the target university population through systematic medical visits.

- Systematic medical visits for target populations
- Medical consultations and care on demand
- Combating visual impairments
- Prevention of communicable and non-communicable diseases
- Screening, management, and follow-up of various detected disease cases
- Addressing students' psychosocial problems
- Promoting a healthy lifestyle within the university
- Support for smoking and drug cessation
- Listening, counseling, and guiding students
- Education and awareness campaigns for youth on the prevention and fight against communicable diseases, such as STIs/AIDS, smoking, and drug use
- Vaccination campaigns

Mandatory Health Insurance for Students

67 344 Beneficiaries "FTE"

Student Activities

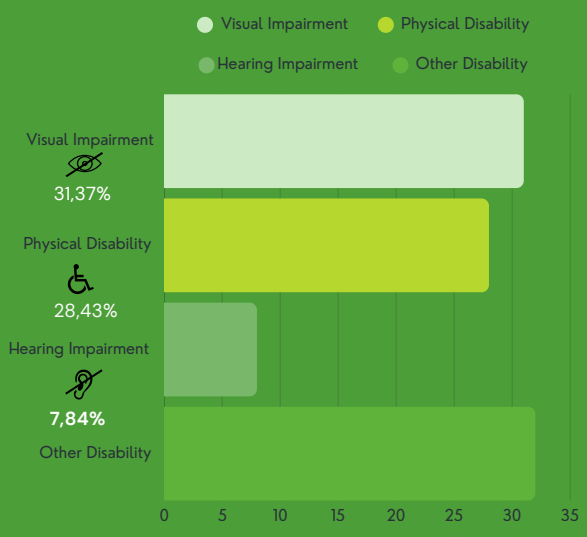
- Blood donation campaigns
- Organization of medical caravans aimed at providing primary healthcare to residents of a region

Student life center is a dynamic place dedicated to promoting physical activity, well-being, and sports on our campus. It plays an essential role in student life by encouraging an active, healthy, and balanced lifestyle. Our center offers a variety of facilities and services designed to meet the needs and interests of all our students, faculty, and administrative staff.

The Student Disability Center

The Student Disability Center at Ibn Tofail University is dedicated to welcoming and providing pedagogical support to students with a valid disability diagnosis. The total number of students with disabilities is 102.

The number of students with disabilities by type of disability



Vegetable Tanning Improvement

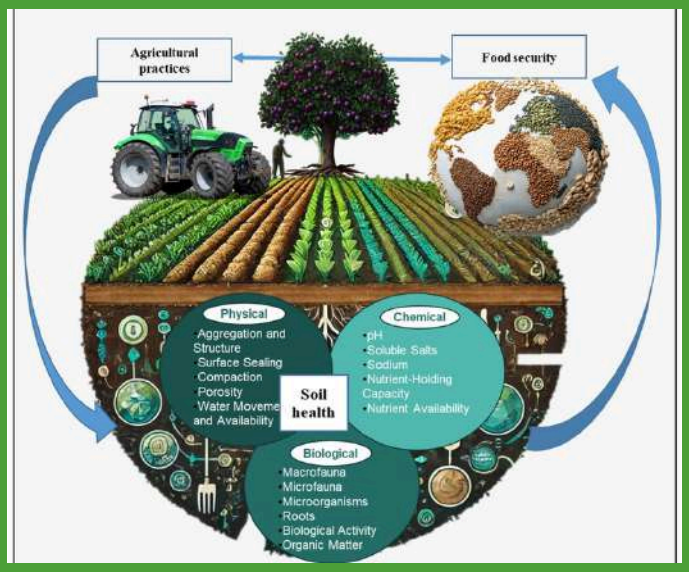





📅 Project Period: 2023–2026
👤 Project Coordinator: Prof. Mohamed Ebn Touhami
🏛️ Institution: Ibn Tofail University
🤝 Funding Partner: Ministry of Tourism, Crafts and Social and Solidarity Economy

This research project focuses on improving traditional vegetable tanning processes in the craft sector by reducing the use of toxic chemicals and controlling production inputs. Through laboratory analysis, process optimization, and the use of natural plant-based tanning agents, the project aims to limit harmful discharges, improve working conditions, and reduce health risks for artisans and surrounding communities, while enhancing the quality and competitiveness of locally produced leather.

FUNZYbio



📅 Project Period: 2023–2026
👤 UIT Project Partner: Prof. Mohamed Taky (Ibn Tofail University)
🌍 Countries Involved: Morocco, France, Italy, Tunisia, Spain

FUNZYbio develops biotechnological solutions to degrade antibiotic residues in livestock waste using fungal and enzymatic processes. The project aims to reduce environmental contamination, limit the spread of antibiotic resistance, and enable the safe reuse of water and organic matter in agriculture, contributing to the protection of human and animal health.

Phytotherapy for Stress and Cognitive Health



📅 Research Presentation: 1 October 2024
🏛️ Institution: Ibn Tofail University
👥 Research Team: UIT researchers in biology and health sciences

This research explores the effectiveness of plant-based therapies in reducing mild stress and improving cognitive performance. Through scientific experimentation, the study highlights the potential of medicinal plants as complementary approaches for mental well-being and stress management.

THE GLOBAL GOALS

Scientific Days of the Environment (3rd Edition)

📅 Event Date: 27–29 November 2025
🏛 Host: Faculty of Sciences, Ibn Tofail University
📍 Location: Kenitra & Exotic Gardens of Rabat

This international conference created a multidisciplinary platform for scientific dialogue on the links between climate change, environmental conditions, and human health. The event reinforced the role of academic research in understanding environmental risks and their direct impact on public health and living conditions.









Blood Donation Campaign (4th Edition)

📅 Event Date: 4–5 November
🏢 Location: ENCG Kenitra

This blood donation campaign mobilized students and staff to support hospitals and patients in urgent need. Through voluntary participation, the initiative directly contributed to saving lives and strengthening community engagement around public health solidarity.

International Scientific Distinction in Psychology

📅 Event Date: 11 December 2025
🏅 Awardee: Prof. Khadija Ouadi
🏛 Institution: Ibn Tofail University

This international recognition honored Professor Khadija Ouadi for her outstanding scientific contributions in psychology and clinical research. The distinction highlights Ibn Tofail University's role in advancing mental health research and fostering academic excellence with societal impact.



SDG 4

BUILDING FUTURE LEADERS THROUGH EXCELLENCE IN EDUCATION



Assessment of the year

- **Tuition Fees: 0 MAD**
- **Total Academic Programs: 195 programs**
- **Master's Degree Programs: 236 programs**
- **Doctoral Programs: 27 doctoral training programs**
- **Engineering & Specialized Schools Programs: 36 programs**
- **Undergraduate Students: 50,629**
- **Graduate/Postgraduate Students: 10726**
- **Total Number of Students: 61,355**
- **Cultural & Sports Clubs: 178**
- **Double Degree Programs: 89**

Higher School of Education and Training

It trains professionals in educational intervention. It stands out with a diverse training offer, focused on excellence, innovation, and a clear response to the needs of society.

- Primary Education
- Secondary Education with All Specializations
- University Bachelor's Degree in Educational Technology
- University Bachelor's Degree in Training Management and Skills Development
- Certificate of Qualification for Teaching and Training Professions

University Library

- With a capacity of 5,000 m², the Smart Library provides a large, well-designed space that supports smart learning, collaboration, and digital research.
- More than **50,000** books, journals, periodicals, and encyclopedias
- Access to a variety of online resources, including specialized journals for students, teachers, and university staff
- It provides a comprehensive and diverse learning and research environment, including a conference room, a children's area, a multimedia library, and a workspace dedicated to doctoral students and research faculty.

Moodle Platform

60 hybrid courses

Real Professors



Intelligent Avatars

Educational Resources Center

It is an innovative initiative aimed at promoting innovation in teaching and improving the quality of education within the university. This center is a key element of the university's commitment to ensuring high-quality, inclusive, and equitable education for all.

Some of these significant actions include:

- Production of educational capsules, instructional videos, animations, and interactive content to complement traditional courses. These resources would be available online, providing students with flexible access to high-quality learning materials.
- Organization of training workshops for teachers on the creation and use of these digital resources.
- Providing students with a personalized learning experience by selecting resources that best match their learning style.
- Making education more accessible, particularly for students with time or location constraints.
- Enhancing teaching quality and increasing the appeal of academic programs for students.

ENSAK–Entreprises Forum (9th Edition)

📅 Date: 17 December 2025
🏛 Host: ENSA Kenitra – Ibn Tofail University
📍 Location: Kenitra
📺 Media Coverage: Al Aoula TV
📊 Scale: 70 companies | 1,275 students | 163 professionals

The 9th ENSAK–Entreprises Forum connected engineering students with national and international companies through conferences, workshops, and career meetings, strengthening university–industry links and supporting students' employability.





First International Conference on Technology, Innovation, and Education

📅 Date: 16 December 2025
🏛 Host: Faculty of Sciences – Ibn Tofail University
📍 Location: Amphi Rouge, Kenitra
🌍 International Participation: Morocco | United Kingdom | Brazil

A full-day international academic conference focused on AI's impact on higher education and research, covering ethics, governance, employability, academic integrity, assessment, and learning dynamics through keynotes and panels.





Professional Development Workshops (UIT × ANAPEC)

📅 Date: 14–16 October 2025
🏛️ Organizers: Ibn Tofail University × ANAPEC
📍 Location: Faculty of Economics and Management (Red Auditorium)
🎓 Output: Participation certificates

A free workshop series to boost employability: CV & cover letter writing, interview preparation (with simulations), and entrepreneurship, offering students practical tools for professional integration.



"Coding Discovery" Certified Training Program

📅 Date: December 2024 (graduation milestone)
🏛️ Organizer: Code<212> Center – Ibn Tofail University
📍 Location: Kenitra
🎓 Beneficiaries: 360 students
🧠 Focus: Python programming & AI prompt engineering

The "Coding Discovery" program provided hands-on training in programming and AI fundamentals to students from diverse academic backgrounds. Delivered by Code<212>, the initiative strengthened digital skills, improved employability, and supported the university's strategy to democratize access to future-oriented technologies.



Huawei ICT Competition 2025-2026 Workshop (Code<212>)



📅 Date: 20 November 2025
🏛️ Host: Code<212> Center – Ibn Tofail University
🎯 Focus: Certifications (Cloud | AI | Network Security | Big Data)

An immersive workshop introducing students to the Huawei ICT Competition and its certification tracks, strengthening technical skills and enhancing pathways to internships, networking, and career opportunities.

4 QUALITY EDUCATION

THE GLOBAL GOALS

SDG 5

INVESTING IN EQUALITY: IT'S OUR PAST AND IT'S OUR FUTURE



Assessment *of* the year

Key Figures

In line with its commitment to gender equality and the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs), particularly SDG 5 on gender equality, our university ensures rigorous tracking of various gender indicators. These statistics help measure the representation and inclusion of women in different aspects of university life, including both students and staff. The breakdown below highlights the progress made in promoting gender equity and emphasizes areas where women are particularly well-represented.

Staff and Faculty

- **78%** of university residence capacity in beds is allocated to female students: This allocation supports female students, particularly those from remote areas, by facilitating their access to higher education.
- **57%** of scholarship recipients are women: This statistic indicates that female students are the majority of financial aid beneficiaries, easing their academic journey.
- **53%** of those benefiting from mandatory health insurance (AMO) are female students: This percentage shows that women constitute the majority of health insurance beneficiaries, ensuring equitable access to healthcare for female students.



Students and Graduates

- 43 % are male graduates, while 55% **of graduates are women**: This high proportion demonstrates the academic success of female students, underscoring their significant presence among the university's graduates across various programs.

- 55% **of enrolled students are women**: This percentage reflects a balanced participation of women in academic programs, indicating near-parity from the outset.
- 3931 student benefited from the services of the Empowerment Center.

University Residences and Social Benefits

Gender equity among teachers and researchers, although there is still room for full parity.

- **52%** of administrative staff are women: Women hold an important place in university administration, actively contributing to the daily management of services and departments.
- **71%** of center directors are women: This exact equality in center leadership positions highlights women's access to leadership roles and exemplifies female leadership within the institution.

Organizing events to raise awareness and educate on gender equality and women's empowerment

To foster an environment where women can thrive in leadership roles, the university regularly organizes awareness events focused on gender equality. These events address topics such as the development of female leadership, women's representation in decision-making positions, and the dismantling of gender stereotypes. With **71%** of the university's center directors being women.

Women's Day at UIT: Sports, Spirit & Recognition

📅 **Date: 11 March 2025**
🏛️ **Host: Ibn Tofail University**
📍 **Location: Kenitra**
👥 **Participation: 100+ women**
🏅 **Recognition: Certificates for all + medals/prizes for winners**

UIT celebrated International Women's Day through an inclusive sports event that highlighted women's resilience, teamwork, and leadership. The university also officially recognized women staff across faculties, reinforcing appreciation and institutional commitment to women's empowerment.

National Swimming Championship: Enas Alaoui Represents UIT

📅 **Date: 29 April 2025**
🏛️ **Host/Representation: Ibn Tofail University**
📍 **Location: Laayoune (Throne Cup – Swimming)**
🏆 **Profile: 25+ national gold medals | 5 national records | National team since 2019**



UIT supported and celebrated student-athlete Enas Alaoui as she represented the university at a major national competition. Her achievements promote visibility of women in high-performance sport and inspire female leadership through excellence.

10,000 Social Work Specialists Training Program (Women's Empowerment & Protection)

📅 **Academic Year: 2024 - 2025**
🏛️ **Host: Ibn Tofail University**
📊 **Scale: 597 participants | 38%+ women**
🎓 **Tracks: Inclusive Education | Social Assistance | Labor Law & Social Protection**



UIT implemented large-scale accredited training programs to strengthen social services and support vulnerable groups. By engaging a strong share of women participants and focusing on protection, inclusion, and social integration, the initiative contributes directly to women's empowerment and equity.

NAYAUP 2025: Women & Sustainable Urban Futures (Academic Platform)

📅 **Date: 6–8 March 2025**
🏛️ **Organizer: Faculty of Humanities & Social Sciences – UIT**
📍 **Venue: Institute of Sports Professions (UIT)**
🎯 **Focus: Women's leadership + inclusive, sustainable urban development**

Through NAYAUP 2025, UIT created an academic space that connects women's leadership with policy and research on inclusive urban futures. The initiative supports gender-sensitive dialogue and promotes women's participation in shaping sustainable communities.



Women's Sports Excellence at UIT: National Team Achievements

📅 **Dates: Feb 2025**
🏀 **Teams: Women's Basketball Team (Semi-finals) | Women's Futsal Team (Final)**
📍 **Level: National University Championships**

UIT strengthened female participation and leadership in university sport by supporting women teams reaching advanced national stages. These achievements promote equal opportunities, visibility, confidence, and role modeling for women on campus.



SDG 6

FOR HEALTHY COMMUNITIES THROUGH CLEAN DRINKING WATER



Assessment of the year

Key Figures

149,000 cubic meters of campus wastewater are treated and reused to water green spaces. Approximately **63%** of the campus is comprised of green areas irrigated with treated wastewater.

Education Programs

- Bachelor's Degree in Water Science and Technology in Agriculture
- Bachelor's Degree in Hydro-Agricultural Development
- Bachelor's Degree in Water Engineering
- Master's Degree in Water Engineering

Wastewater Treatment

Two remarkable projects illustrate these initiatives:

- UIT Wastewater Treatment Plant has a daily capacity of **500** cubic meters. This facility is dedicated to treating liquid discharges from the vast UIT campus, which spans over **62** hectares and serves over **60,000** users.
- The Hybrid Technology Water Pumping and Treatment Station, combines advanced membrane techniques and utilizes renewable energy sources.
- Such as photovoltaic panels and wind energy, to provide drinking water to approximately **4,000** users, with a daily allocation of 3 liters per person.





Other Initiatives

The university has taken several important actions:

- Collaborated with local authorities, environmental associations, and other stakeholders to exchange best practices and work together on water resource conservation.
- Installed water meters and set up regular consumption monitoring to identify high-consumption areas and take corrective measures if necessary.
- Promoted research and the development of innovative technologies and practices for more efficient water management within the university.
- Used appropriate filtration systems to enable the reuse of water from laboratories or research facilities.
- Installed water-efficient equipment and infrastructure, such as low-flow faucets and toilets, rainwater harvesting systems, and Smart Irrigation systems.
- Planned expansions of the UIT wastewater treatment plant to implement water collection and treatment systems for reuse in irrigating public green spaces.
- Implemented a Smart Irrigation System, which uses advanced technologies to optimize the efficiency of watering green spaces.

Morocco Showcases Circular Water Resilience at World Water Week 2025

📅 Date: August 25–29, 2025
📍 Location: Stockholm, World Water Week 2025

At World Water Week 2025, Morocco presented its circular water resilience strategy to address severe drought and water stress, aligned with the National Water Plan 2020–2050 and circular economy goals.

A key highlight was Ibn Tofail University's Living Lab in Kenitra, a full-scale innovation site that treats 400–500 m³ of wastewater daily and reuses it for irrigation, reducing campus potable water use by about 70%. The platform combines advanced treatment technology, renewable energy, and real-time monitoring, while also serving as a national training hub for students and water professionals, and extending impact to rural communities through clean water initiatives.



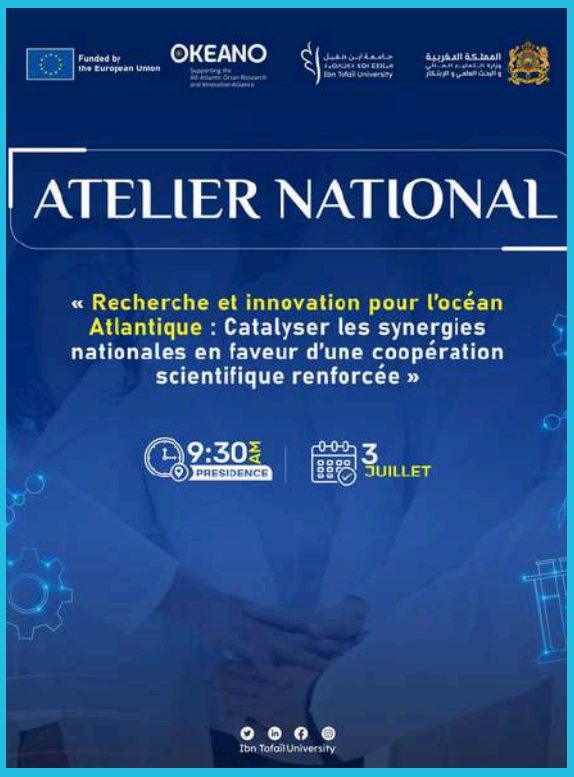


The Atlantic in Focus: National Workshop on Ocean Research & Cooperation

📅 Date: July 3, 2025
📍 Location: Ibn Tofail University, Kenitra

Ibn Tofail University hosted a national workshop dedicated to strengthening research, innovation, and cross-border scientific cooperation around the Atlantic Ocean, recognizing the ocean as a strategic pillar for climate balance, water systems, fisheries, and coastal resilience. The event brought together national and international experts to align Morocco's ocean and water-related research priorities with global Atlantic partnerships.

As host and scientific driver, Ibn Tofail University played a central coordinating role, showcasing its ocean and environmental research capacity and connecting Moroccan institutions with the All-Atlantic research network through the OKEANO project. Discussions emphasized transdisciplinary science, technology transfer, youth engagement, and community inclusion in ocean and water governance. The workshop positioned Ibn Tofail University as a key academic hub advancing Atlantic research collaboration and sustainable water-ocean resilience strategies.



6 CLEAN WATER AND SANITATION

THE GLOBAL GOALS

SDG 7

SUSTAINABLE ENERGY, SUSTAINABLE FUTURE

7 AFFORDABLE AND CLEAN ENERGY



Assessment of the year

Key Figures

- Total Scope emissions in tCO2e (tonnes of carbon dioxide equivalent): 35 tonnes
- Amount of energy generated on campus from renewable sources, in GJ: **1.332**
- Reduction in electricity consumption costs within the university campus: approximately **63%** in 2025
- 4 photovoltaic canopies
- 1 photovoltaic pergola
- 1 solar façade
- 30 solar benches
- The switch to LED lighting was completed across the entire university campus.
- Ten bicycles can reach a speed of **25 km/h** and have a battery range of **30 to 70 km.**
- Two vehicles can reach a speed of **130 km/h** and have a battery range of **150 km**.

Educational Programs

- Engineering Degree in Renewable Energies
- Bachelor's Degree in Renewable Energy Engineering
- University Degree in Renewable Energies and Energy Efficiency
- University Degree in Electrical Engineering, Renewable Energy, and Quality Management
- University Master's Degree in Renewable Energies

Other initiatives

The University has implemented a number of significant actions:

- Established a Smart Building platform at ENSA/ENCG
- Installed an East-West photovoltaic canopy connected to a **70 kWc** network
- Added new solar benches for electric charging
- Set up new hybrid photovoltaic/wind installations to power the STEP
- Constructed a pilot positive energy building
- Developed an intelligent supervision and control platform for all Renewable Energy installations
- Strengthen energy efficiency measures by adopting advanced technologies and raising awareness among university members to reduce their energy consumption.
- Increase the use of renewable energy by installing more solar panels on buildings and exploring other green energy sources, such as wind energy.
- Implement new self-consumption photovoltaic installations with a total capacity of approximately **150 kWc.**
- Promote the installation of electric vehicle charging stations in university parking lots.

Sustainable Water and Energy Project at Ibn Tofail University

Ibn Tofail University installed a solar-powered water treatment station at Al Anouar High School in Sidi Taïbi, using Nanofiltration to provide clean drinking water for 4,000 students (12 m³/day). This initiative, in partnership with BELECTRIC and FIRMUS, also supplies additional electricity, making the school energy-autonomous. The project reduces pollution, protects health, supports research and training, and raises environmental awareness. It aligns with national goals to ensure affordable, quality water access and sustainable resource management.



Industrial Effluent Treatment via Anaerobic Digestion

Ibn Tofail University treats highly polluted molasses-based effluents from Sotrameg using anaerobic digestion in a **70 L/day** pilot reactor. This process effectively reduces organic pollutants (DCO, DBO5, MES), produces renewable biogas (~90% yield), and creates biofertilizer for agriculture. Utilizing mesophilic fermentation, the project converts harmful waste into energy and valuable byproducts, supporting sustainable waste management and environmental goals in the Rabat Salé Kénitra region.

Ibn Tofail University Strengthens Global Presence at the "Dialog" Forum in Vladimir, Russia

Ibn Tofail University strengthened its international presence by participating in the "Dialog" Forum held on 28 July 2025 in Vladimir, Russia, alongside researchers and representatives from more than ten countries. The forum focused on global climate challenges, sustainable environmental solutions, and the importance of cross-regional scientific partnerships. Through this participation, the university showcased its research expertise and reinforced its commitment to international cooperation and knowledge exchange. The event aligns closely with key Sustainable Development Goals, particularly Climate Action, Affordable and Clean Energy, and Partnerships for the Goals, confirming the university's active role in global sustainability dialogue.



Ibn Tofail University Participates in International Workshop on Advancing Sustainability in Higher Education at Atatürk University, Erzurum, Turkey

Ibn Tofail University took part in a high-level international workshop dedicated to advancing sustainability practices in higher education, organized by Atatürk University in Erzurum, Turkey. The event gathered academic leaders, researchers, and sustainability practitioners from multiple countries to explore how universities can move from sustainability commitments to measurable on-campus and academic impact.

Throughout the workshop, participants examined practical frameworks for embedding sustainability across university systems, from governance and strategy to teaching, research, and infrastructure. A strong emphasis was placed on energy-related dimensions of sustainability, including renewable energy integration, energy-efficient campus operations, and the role of universities as living laboratories for clean technology and climate solutions. Sessions highlighted how higher education institutions can reduce their environmental footprint while simultaneously producing research and innovation that supports the global energy transition.

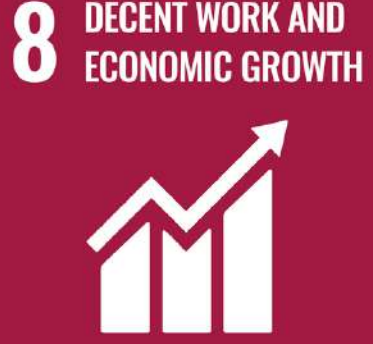






SDG 8

FOR BALANCED AND ACCESSIBLE ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITIES



8 DECENT WORK AND ECONOMIC GROWTH

Assessment *of* the year

Key Figures

- **100% of employees on permanent contracts (CDI):** All **1322 university employees** are on permanent contracts, reflecting a commitment to job stability and employee well-being.

- **16,667 students have completed an internship of at least one month:** The university promotes professional experience and the development of practical skills by requiring a minimum one-month internship for its students.
- 18 actions and 4063 beneficiaries from activities related to students' integration
- 3385 IDMAJ contracts: 1411 terminated contracts - 1974 non-terminated contracts.
- 8 integration workshops in partnership with anapec
- graduate integration through TAHFIZ program: F- 57,4 / M- 42,6

Openness to the Job Market: Partnerships

In 2025, Ibn Tofail University strengthened its relationships with renowned companies and various government institutions through strategic collaborations. These partnerships aim to promote innovation, enhance educational programs, and create an environment conducive to the academic and professional development of students.

By fostering interaction between academia and industry, the university seeks to bridge the gap between theory and practice while providing students with tangible opportunities to acquire skills aligned with the needs of the global labor market. These initiatives also reinforce the university's commitment to transforming Morocco's educational and economic landscape.

Empowerement Center

The Empowerment Center is a support space dedicated to students at Ibn Tofail University, aimed at strengthening their employability, facilitating their professional integration, and encouraging student entrepreneurship..The missions of the Empowerement Center are as follows:

- Provide services and support programs that enable graduates to develop their skills and find employment.
- Collaborate with businesses and organizations to facilitate the professional integration of UIT graduates.
- Help students and graduates define their career goals and develop a career plan.
- Organize employability training programs.
- Connect students and graduates with companies and organizations offering internships and jobs.
- Organize job fairs.

Politics

- Promote ethical working conditions that respect human rights for the entire university community.
- Uphold high ethical standards in our relationships with external providers, ensuring the respect of workers' rights, regardless of their status.
- Create an inclusive, respectful, and equitable working environment for all members of the university community.
- Promote continuous professional development.
- Encourage health and well-being in the workplace.
- Foster employee participation in decision-making.

Recruitment day

📅 **Date: November 11–14, 2025**
🏛 **Organizer: Empowerment Center – Ibn Tofail University**
🤝 **Participating Companies: SEBN-MA, Gotion Power Morocco, Xiezhong Morocco Automotive Air Conditioning, Kromberg & Schubert Maroc, OSourcing, Fujikura Automotive Morocco**





The Empowerment Center organized a Recruitment Week from November 11 to 14, 2025, providing students and recent graduates with a platform for direct interaction with the professional world. The event saw participation from renowned companies, including: SEBN-MA, Gotion Power Morocco, Xiezhong Morocco Automotive Air Conditioning, Kromberg & Schubert Maroc, OSourcing, and Fujikura Automotive Morocco. This event allowed participants to explore job and internship opportunities and to gain a better understanding of employers' expectations



📅 **Date: February 25, 2025**
🤝 **Partner: Concentrix Morocco**
📍 **Location: Code 212 – University Library**

Ibn Tofail University organized a 100% Recruitment Day in partnership with Concentrix to strengthen student employability and professional integration. The event offered students and recent graduates direct access to job opportunities, including meetings with HR representatives, CV submissions, and on-the-spot interviews. This initiative reinforced university–industry collaboration and supported youth access to decent work in a competitive labor market.

Empowering Students Through Skills and Entrepreneurship: Ibn Tofail University collaborative Workshops

📅 **Dates: November 11–13, 2025**
🏛️ **Institution: Ibn Tofail University**
🤝 **Partners: Office for Cooperative Development (ODCO) – Injaz Morocco – Dar Al-Mouakil**
📌 **Topics: Self-Employment through Cooperatives | Career Planning | Self-Employment & Entrepreneurship**





Ibn Tofail University organized a series of professional development workshops aimed at strengthening students' employability and entrepreneurial skills. The program covered key areas including self-employment through cooperatives, career planning, and entrepreneurship fundamentals, with the support of national partners and field experts. Each workshop concluded with the awarding of certificates, providing participants with practical tools, career-oriented guidance, and enhanced readiness for the labor market, while reinforcing the university's commitment to professional integration and economic empowerment.

Highlights from the Huawei ICT Competition 2025-2026 Workshop

Ibn Tofail University, through its Code<212> Center, hosted an immersive workshop dedicated to the Huawei ICT Competition 2025–2026, aimed at strengthening students' digital skills and professional integration. The event introduced participants to industry-recognized certifications in AI, Cloud Computing, Network Security, and Big Data, offering access to high-level technical training, internship and recruitment pathways, and direct interaction with industry experts. By aligning academic learning with international technology standards, this initiative enhanced students' employability and reinforced the university's role in preparing competitive digital talent for the evolving global labor market.

📅 **Date: November 20, 2025**
📍 **Location: Code<212> Center – Ibn Tofail University**
🤝 **Partner: Huawei**
📌 **Focus Areas: Artificial Intelligence | Cloud Computing | Network Security | Big Data**



International Financial Security Olympiad 2025



📅 Event Start: March 21, 2025
🌍 Scope: International
🎓 Target Audience: University students (Law, Economics, Mathematics, International Relations, Financial Security)
📍 Finale: Krasnoyarsk, Russia (September 28 – October 3, 2025)

Ibn Tofail University students participated in the International Financial Security Olympiad 2025, a global competition designed to develop expertise in financial security, risk management, and financial systems. The Olympiad combined academic excellence with real-world problem-solving and offered participants international exposure, professional networking, and access to competitive internship opportunities. Conducted through multiple phases and culminating in an international final, the initiative strengthened students' professional competencies and prepared them for careers in finance, security, and risk analysis within a globalized labor market.

Start with an Idea, Leave with a Plan: The Entrepreneurial Journey at UIT

📅 Dates: May 14–15, 2025
🏛️ Institution: Ibn Tofail University
🤝 Partners: Empowerment Center (UIT) – EsMaroc Hub
🤝 Program Framework: DAPP Project (with ActionAid & Swisscontact)
💡 Key Outcome: Seed funding of up to 30,000 MAD for selected projects



Ibn Tofail University, through its Empowerment Center, organized a two-day entrepreneurship training titled "From Idea to Structured Project" to support students in transforming innovative ideas into concrete, actionable projects. Delivered in partnership with EsMaroc Hub and supported by ActionAid and Swisscontact, the program combined practical workshops on entrepreneurship fundamentals, business models, and legal and financial frameworks with mentoring, pitch simulations, and collaborative learning. The initiative strengthened employability, entrepreneurial skills, and self-confidence, culminating in a final pitch session and the awarding of certificates, with the most promising projects receiving seed funding, reinforcing the university's role in fostering innovation, self-employment, and youth empowerment.

SDG 9

A COMMITMENT TO A SUSTAINABLE AND INNOVATIVE INDUSTRY

9 INDUSTRY, INNOVATION AND INFRASTRUCTURE



Assessment of the year

Huawei's partnership

Ibn Tofail University partners with Huawei Morocco and other universities in the region tend to promote ICT skills. They seek to open a training center for teachers, focused on ICT training, including big data, cloud computing, and artificial intelligence.

Enhance Project

The project prepares students and workers for Industry 4.0. It analyzes the needs of companies, develops a learning framework, and creates innovative teaching materials.

Some Innovative Training Programs

- Multimedia and Digital Creativity
- Business Intelligence and Digitalisation
- Entrepreneurship and Innovation Management
- Artificial Intelligence and Cybersecurity
- Big Data, Artificial Intelligence, and Advanced Applications
- Corporate Governance, Marketing, and Digital Transformation.

Technological Platforms

Ilbn Tofail University is equipped with several advanced technological platforms that not only support research and innovation but also contribute to addressing global environmental challenges. Each platform is designed to foster sustainable practices and solutions that minimize environmental impact, ensuring that research contributes to a more sustainable future.

Digital Platform

Features a cutting-edge data center and high-performance computing, ensuring data sovereignty and enhancing the university's technological autonomy.

Biotechnology Platform

Supports research in sustainable agriculture, environmental health, and green biotechnology, promoting eco-friendly technologies to reduce industrial environmental impact.

Energy Platform

With a focus on renewable energy, this platform is dedicated to finding sustainable solutions to reduce carbon emissions and improve energy efficiency. It supports research into solar, wind, and other renewable energy sources, and, thus, contributes to global efforts to mitigate climate change.

Water Technology Platform (Innovation Hub)

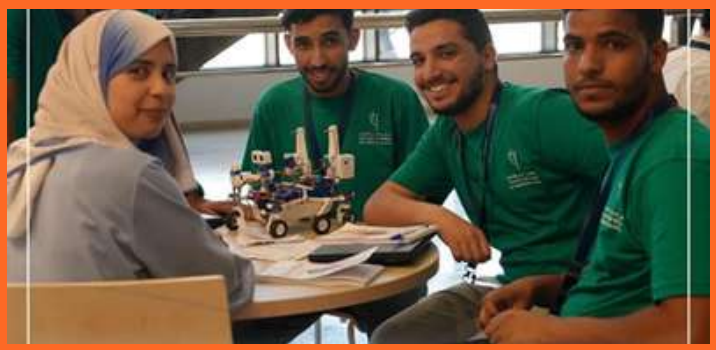
This platform is central to research on water conservation and management as it tackles issues of water scarcity and pollution. By leveraging advanced water treatment and reuse technologies, it supports sustainable water management practices and helps minimize waste.

New Materials

In the regard of innovation in terms of infrastructure, the university has provided new computers:

- Code 212**: 175** computer
- Digital Center: **500** computer
- Other institutions: **250** computer

With a ratio of 24 students per 1 computer.





ICMES 2025: One Stage, Two Victories, Endless Horizons for Ibn Tofail University

Ibn Tofail University, through its Laboratory of Physico-Chemistry of Materials and Surfaces (LPMS), received international recognition at the 8th International Conference on Materials and Environmental Science (ICMES 2025), held in Saïdia from June 12 to 15, where two members of its research team were awarded Best Oral Presentation prizes. The conference gathered global experts around advanced materials, environmental technologies, clean energy systems, and green hydrogen under the theme "Water, Materials and Technologies of the Future." The honored presentations showcased cutting-edge work on nanostructured hybrid materials for sensing and energy applications using low-impact processes, demonstrating strong applied research value and technological relevance. These distinctions highlight the university's growing excellence in materials science, innovation-oriented research, and environmentally responsible technological development, as well as the high quality of its scientific training and international research visibility.









Empowering Rural Entrepreneurship: Innovation Camp at Ibn Tofail University

Ibn Tofail University hosted a technology-driven Innovation Camp on 2 December 2025 at its Code 212 Center, where students worked on AI-based financial solutions tailored to rural entrepreneurs and small business actors. Built around a real banking challenge, the camp pushed participants to transform analytical and digital skills into applied prototypes capable of improving financial decision tools and service models. Through hands-on development, expert mentoring, and direct exposure to sector professionals, students engaged in practical technology design, data-driven modeling, and solution testing. By positioning the university environment as a live experimentation space for AI-enabled financial tools and operational systems, the event strengthened applied technological capacity, encouraged innovation grounded in real use cases, and promoted the development of scalable digital frameworks serving productive economic sectors.





SDG 10

FIGHTING INEQUALITY FOR A BETTER WORLD

10 REDUCED INEQUALITIES



Assessment of the year

Key Figures

1,669 international students with **87%** from the African continent
102 students with disabilities: **58** male and **44** female
Students with disabilities: **43%** are female and **57%** are male
Accomodation for **500** students from all disciplines

A digital platform that facilitates the registration of students with disabilities and identifies their specific needs according to the type of disability, in order to implement appropriate solutions and/or actions. It aims to better accommodate their study paths and exams, allowing them to study under the most favorable conditions, ensuring equal opportunities, greater autonomy, and better integration.

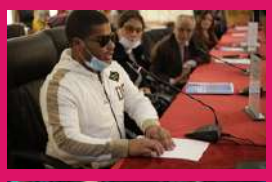
ICT Equipments

The university provides students with disabilities with IT equipment to compensate for difficulties in manual writing or reading, and to enhance access to new information technologies:
Acrobat HD Ultra LCD 27" Desktop Magnifier
Braille Embosser Printer Index Everest D-V4
ZOOMAX Snow 7" HD Electronic Magnifier
Focus 40 Blue Braille Notetaker
Braille EDGE 40
MILESTONE 312 Multi-function Reader-Recorder
Bellman & Symfon Domino Classic
ViewPlus EmBraille
PCEye
GlassOuse
PIAF Tactile Image Maker
IVEO Hands-On Learning System - IVEO
JAWS Screen Reader Software
DBT (for Duxbury Braille Translator)...

Space for Students with Disabilities

This space is dedicated to welcoming and providing educational support to students with a valid disability diagnosis, with the aim of optimally accommodating their study paths and exams. The goal is to allow them to study in the most favorable conditions, ensuring equal opportunities, promoting greater autonomy, and leading to better integration. Some of the key actions include:

- Welcoming and identifying the specific needs of each student with disabilities to implement appropriate actions.
- Supporting students facing educational difficulties.
- Acting as an intermediary between students, teaching staff, and the various university services.
- Implementing necessary accommodations and finding solutions to obstacles and challenges.
- Ensuring the accessibility of classrooms and university services.
- Exam accommodations tailored to the type of disability, ensuring equal opportunities.
- Assistance designed to compensate for difficulties in manual writing or reading, and to facilitate access to new information technologies.
- Providing specific training on tools and software.
- Raising awareness, informing, and communicating on the topic of disability.






Campus for All: A Student-Led Initiative Shaping a University for Everyone

Ibn Tofail University shows that campus transformation does not always begin with major construction projects, but sometimes with student awareness and practical action. The "Campus for All" initiative, led by students from the National School of Business and Management (ENCG), emerged from direct observation of the daily mobility challenges faced by peers with reduced physical access and turned that awareness into concrete improvements across the university environment. Rather than treating accessibility as a secondary feature, the project focused on removing physical barriers through ramps, adapted sanitary facilities, reorganized classrooms, and smoother circulation paths, enabling greater autonomy and dignity in movement and learning. Supervised within the ENCG academic framework, the initiative demonstrates how student-led innovation can reshape infrastructure and learning conditions at the same time, strengthening inclusion, participation, and educational quality. Beyond its practical outcomes, the project reinforces a culture of shared responsibility and empathy, proving that a truly modern university is built not only through facilities, but through purposeful, human-centered design and collective engagement.





Inclusion in Motion: From Dialogue to Transformation at Ibn Tofail University

Ibn Tofail University advanced its inclusion efforts through a July 11, 2025 dialogue initiative led by the Empowerment Center that brought students with disabilities into direct conversation with the institution to convert real needs into concrete action. Instead of a formal conference format, the meeting functioned as a working session where participants identified practical academic and campus barriers, from assistive technologies and accessible routes to adapted teaching methods and faculty training gaps. The outcome was a forward-looking action plan including regular needs assessments, improved adaptive equipment, staff capacity-building, and a digital channel for reporting accessibility issues. The article presents the event as a turning point from awareness to structured implementation, showing how student voices are being used to shape campus design, pedagogy, and support systems in a more systematic and accountable way.



SDG 11

SUSTAINABLE CITIES, STRONG COMMUNITIES: OUR PRIORITY



Assessment of the year

Key Figures

The campus of Ibn Tofail University spans 62 **hectares, making it the largest university campus in Morocco.**
A significant portion of the campus consists of green spaces, representing about **60%** of its total area.

Electro-mobility

- Ten bicycles can reach a speed of **25 km/h** and have a battery range of **30 to 70 km.**
- Two electric cars that can reach a speed of **130 km/h** and have a battery range of **150 km.**
- A photovoltaic canopy connected to the electrical grid, with a total capacity of **21 kW**, equipped with charging stations.

Reducing the ecological footprint of the campus

- Total emissions of **35 tonnes** in tCO2e (tonnes of carbon dioxide equivalent).
- Amount of energy generated on campus from renewable sources: **1332 GJ**.
- **146,000 m³** of wastewater from the campus treated and reused for watering green spaces in 2024

Smart Campus

The university has implemented several significant actions:

- Carbon footprint reduction.
- Treatment and recycling of wastewater.
- Reuse of campus wastewater for watering green spaces.
- Use of LED bulbs.
- Use of smart lighting systems to reduce energy consumption.
- Electricity production through Renewable Energy and Electro-mobility.
- A connected campus offering fast and reliable Wi-Fi access throughout.
- Mobile applications providing students with real-time information about classes, activities, and events on campus.
- Online learning platforms.
- Encouragement of sustainable transport modes, such as electric bicycles or electric vehicles on campus.
- Digital library providing online access to academic resources, e-books, and databases.
- Organization of training programs for staff and students to maximize the use of smart technologies.







Sustainable Cities & Communities

📅 **Date: 27–29 November 2025**
🏛 **Host: Faculty of Sciences – Ibn Tofail University**
📍 **Locations: Kenitra & Exotic Gardens of Rabat**
🌍 **Scale: International conference (researchers, experts, institutions)**

The 3rd Scientific Days of the Environment provided a multidisciplinary platform to discuss the links between climate change, environmental degradation, public health, and territorial development. The event emphasized sustainable urban planning, protection of natural resources, and the role of science in supporting inclusive and resilient territories.







African Week on the Sustainable Development Goals

📅 **Date: 9 October 2024**
🏛 **Host: Ibn Tofail University**
🤝 **Partners: Next Einstein Forum (NEF), National School of Chemistry**
🌍 **Scope: African researchers, students, policymakers**

African Week brought together academic and institutional actors to promote localized solutions for sustainable development in African cities and communities. The event strengthened dialogue on urban sustainability, renewable energy, social inclusion, and the role of universities in shaping resilient territorial futures.





Smart Intelligence in Governance and Urban Development

📅 **Date: 24 November 2024**
🏛 **Host: Faculty of Legal & Political Sciences – UIT**
🤝 **Partner: Association of Elected Officials in France**

This initiative explored the use of smart intelligence, digital tools, and data-driven governance to improve urban planning, public services, and sustainable development. It reinforced international cooperation and promoted smart, transparent, and inclusive city management.





Community-Based Urban Improvement: Renovation of "Laakarcha" School

📅 **Date: 26–27 October 2024**
📍 **Location: Nkhakhssa**
👥 **Led by: LIONS Club Espoir ENCG Kenitra – Ibn Tofail University**

Through collective action, students and volunteers renovated a rural school, improving learning spaces and green areas. The initiative strengthened community cohesion, enhanced local infrastructure, and promoted sustainable and inclusive community development at the neighborhood level.









SDG 12

SUSTAINABLE CONSUMPTION AND PRODUCTION FOR OUR PLANET

12 CONSOMMATION ET PRODUCTION RESPONSABLES



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Assessment of the year

Social Responsibility Charter

The Social Responsibility Charter of Ibn Tofail University reflects a strong institutional commitment to contributing positively to society. As a higher education institution, the university acknowledges its key role in shaping responsible citizens who are aware of and engaged with societal challenges.
The Charter promotes the values of solidarity, equity, and sustainability across all levels of university life. It also affirms the university's dedication to academic freedom, the diversity of ideas, and the encouragement of independent research. These principles support an open environment that values freedom of expression and the exploration of diverse perspectives within the academic community.

Sustainable Purchasing Policy

The policy prioritizes working with suppliers who demonstrate a strong commitment to sustainability, particularly those holding recognized certifications or eco-labels. Preference is given to products bearing official environmental labels, reinforcing the university's commitment to responsible consumption. In addition, the policy supports sustainable innovation by encouraging the adoption of emerging products and services that contribute to more sustainable practices. It also focuses on raising awareness and educating students, staff, and faculty about sustainable procurement, fostering a culture of responsibility and long-term impact within the university community.

Sustainable Investment Policy

The adoption of the Sustainable Investment Policy represents a key milestone for Ibn Tofail University in aligning its financial practices with its commitment to sustainability. This policy reflects the institution's dedication to promoting responsible investment both within the university and in the broader society.
By integrating ESG (Environmental, Social, and Governance) principles into its investment decisions, the university aims to generate a positive and lasting impact on the environment, social equity, and governance practices.

Formations

- Master's in Applied Chemistry, Environment, and Sustainable Development
- Bachelor's in Renewable Energy Engineering
- University Bachelor's in Renewable Energy and Energy Efficiency
- University Bachelor's in Risk Management in Health, Safety, and Sustainable Development
- University Master's in Renewable Energy

Club Sustainable Development

Student-led clubs at Ibn Tofail University actively promote sustainability through initiatives focused on waste reduction, energy conservation, environmental awareness, and sustainable agriculture. United by a shared goal, they work collaboratively to integrate sustainable practices into campus life. Through projects, events, and partnerships with local and international organizations, they play a key role in raising awareness and driving positive change.

Global Excellence & Water Sovereignty: Research, Innovation, and Climate Action

📅 **Date: 3 December 2025**
🏛 **Host: Ibn Tofail University (UIT)**
📍 **Context: Linked to the XIX World Water Congress (Marrakech, 1–5 Dec 2025)**
🏆 **Highlights: Golden & Silver Awards at an international Early Career poster competition (71 entries)**







This event showcased UIT's global research visibility through award-winning AI innovation while connecting it to Morocco's national focus on water security and climate adaptation. It reinforced responsible, science-driven solutions to water challenges and promoted innovation that supports sustainable production systems and resilient resource governance.

3rd International Congress on Corrosion Inhibitors and the Environment

📅 **Date: 11–12 December 2024**
🏛 **Host: Ibn Tofail University, Kenitra**
🤝 **Partners: CNRST + multiple academic/industry partners**
🎯 **Focus: Environment, water treatment, renewable energy, eco-materials**



This international congress addressed cleaner industrial practices by exploring corrosion inhibitors, environmentally safer materials, and advanced water treatment solutions. It contributed to reducing pollution risks and improving sustainability in industrial production and infrastructure.

“Anir: A Wave of Change for a Cleaner Planet” (Coastal Cleanup Action)



📅 **Date: 23 November 2024**
🌊 **Action: Beach cleanup + awareness on marine pollution & harmful practices**
👥 **Impact: Community engagement + environmental education**

This initiative promotes responsible waste management and environmental awareness by reducing coastal pollution and educating participants on the impact of waste on ecosystems, health, and biodiversity.

International Workshop on Sustainability in Higher Education







📅 **Date: 8–10 September 2025**
🏛️ **Host: Atatürk University**
📍 **Location: Erzurum, Turkey**
🎓 **Participants: University leaders, researchers, and students from multiple countries**

From 8 to 10 September 2025, Ibn Tofail University took part in an international workshop on sustainability in higher education hosted by Atatürk University in Turkey. The event enabled universities to exchange good practices and strengthen cooperation on integrating sustainability into teaching, research, campus management, and community engagement. UIT’s participation reflected its commitment to sustainability, innovation, and international collaboration.

SDG 13

TOGETHER, LET'S FIGHT CLIMATE CHANGE

13 CLIMATE ACTION



13 CLIMATE ACTION

Assessment of the year

Reduction of Greenhouse Gas Emissions

- The total emissions from Scopes in tCO2e (tonnes of carbon dioxide equivalent) amount to **35** tonnes.
- The amount of energy generated on campus from renewable sources is GJ: **1332 .**
- The cost of electricity consumption on the university campus was reduced by approximately **63%** in 2025.
- Approximately **60%** of the campus consists of green spaces, which are irrigated with treated wastewater.

Construction of a Wastewater Treatment Plant

By using advanced technologies to allow the reuse of wastewater for irrigating the green spaces on the university campus.

Waste Management

Educating members of the university community on specific waste sorting guidelines is essential to optimize the quality of collected recyclable materials.

Sustainability Programs

- Master in Applied Chemistry, Environment, and Sustainable Development
- Bachelor's in Renewable Energy Engineering
- University Bachelor's in Renewable Energy and Energy Efficiency
- University Bachelor's in Risk Management in Health, Safety, and Sustainable Development
- University Master's in Renewable Energy

Water Treatment Station by Coupling

Powered by photovoltaic and wind energy, at Al Anouar High School in Sidi Taibi. This station improves the quality of the school's water while contributing to its electricity supply.

Zero carbon Strategy

The strategy to be adopted in terms of sustainable development will be the zero-carbon strategy, with UIT becoming a carbon-neutral university by 2030:

- Develop an intelligent platform for monitoring and controlling all renewable energy installations.
- Strengthen energy efficiency measures by adopting advanced technologies and raising awareness among university members about reducing their energy consumption.
- Increase the use of renewable energy by installing more solar panels on buildings and exploring other green energy sources, such as wind energy.
- Install new photovoltaic self-consumption systems with a total capacity of approximately **150kWc.**
- Add new photovoltaic benches for electric charging.
- Strengthen all UIT buildings and equipment with high energy standards (toward the Smart Building concept).
- Promote the use of sustainable, recycled, or low-impact materials.
- Implement an efficient waste management system, focusing on selective sorting, recycling, and raising awareness among the university community.
- Encourage the installation of electric vehicle charging stations in university parking lots.

A Call for Climate Courage : Ibn Tofail University at the Online COP30 Global Summit

On 12 November 2025, Ibn Tofail University represented Morocco in the COP30 Education Day global webinar as a winner in the 2030 Climate Action category, participating alongside leading international institutions. The event gathered universities and climate leaders to exchange practical strategies for advancing net-zero and sustainability in higher education.

During the session, the university presented its key climate achievements and priorities, including its net-zero roadmap, expansion of solar energy infrastructure, campus-wide LED energy transition, strengthened energy management and governance systems, and its flagship Sidi Taïbi Hybrid Water & Energy Station producing potable water through renewable energy. The presentation also stressed student engagement and community benefit, positioning Ibn Tofail University as a recognized, impact-driven actor in global climate action.



From Dialogue to Action: Ibn Tofail University as a Case Study at the Erasmus+ National Seminar on SDGs

On 9–10 October 2025, Ibn Tofail University participated in the national Erasmus+ Morocco seminar "Sustainable Development Goals and Climate Change: What Role for Higher Education?", organized with the Ministry of Higher Education and held online. The event brought together Moroccan and European experts to discuss how universities can turn sustainability and climate priorities into concrete institutional practices.

During the seminar, Prof. Saida El Mendili presented Ibn Tofail University's case study on embedding sustainability across training, research, governance, and campus operations, highlighting initiatives in energy efficiency, water resource management, waste reduction, and inclusive education. The exchanges emphasized practical implementation, impact measurement, and the role of higher education institutions in responding to climate and environmental challenges through coordinated, long-term action.



The Argan Legacy and the Road to 2030: Highlights from the 2025 Celebration in Idaougomad

On May 10–11, 2025, the Faculty of Sciences of Kenitra at Ibn Tofail University co-organized the International Day of the Argan Tree celebration in Idaougomad (Taroudant) with the Mohammed VI Foundation for Research and the Safeguarding of the Argan Tree, the Commune of Idaougomad, Ibn Zohr University of Agadir, and UNESCO. Held under the theme "The World of the Argan Tree: Five Years Before the 2030 Goal," the event brought together researchers, institutions, and local stakeholders to highlight the environmental, cultural, and socio-economic importance of the argan ecosystem.

The celebration emphasized the argan tree's role in biodiversity preservation, resistance to arid climates, and prevention of desertification, while also showcasing its contribution to rural livelihoods and women's cooperatives. Through scientific exchange, awareness activities, and community engagement, the event connected academic research with local knowledge and sustainable territorial practices. It positioned universities as active partners in environmental protection, resilience building, and long-term ecosystem stewardship, linking heritage conservation with practical responses to growing climate and land-degradation challenges.





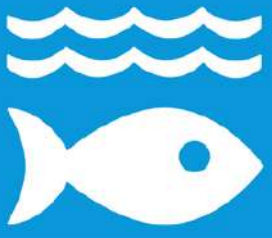




SDG 14

PRESERVING LIFE BELOW WATER FOR A SUSTAINABLE FUTURE

14 LIFE BELOW WATER



Assessment of the year

Programs

- University Bachelor's in Water Engineering
- University Bachelor's in Hydro-Agricultural Development
- Bachelor's in Water Science and Techniques in Agriculture
- Master's in Eco-Engineering of Wetlands
- Master's in Techniques for Exploration and Exploitation of Geo-Resources
- Master's in Engineering for Natural Resource Valorization and Quality Management
- Master's in Hydroinformatics and Hydrosystem Management

Wastewater Treatment plant

Two remarkable projects illustrate these initiatives: UIT Wastewater Treatment Plant has a daily capacity of **500** cubic meters. This facility is dedicated to treating liquid discharges from the vast UIT campus, which spans over **62** hectares and serves over **60,000** users. The Hybrid Technology Water Pumping and Treatment Station, combines advanced membrane techniques and utilizes renewable energy sources.

Key Figures

149,000 cubic meters of campus wastewater are treated and reused to water green spaces. Approximately **63%** of the campus is comprised of green areas irrigated with treated wastewater.

Research Team: New Materials for Water Treatment

This team focuses on developing innovative materials for the treatment of water and wastewater, with a sustainable and efficient approach. It combines expertise in materials science, chemistry, and environmental technology.

Research Focus Areas:

- Water and Wastewater Treatment: Develop materials to effectively purify drinking water and reduce pollutants in wastewater.
- Nanomaterials for Filtration: Design nanomaterials to enhance filtration and efficiently remove impurities.
- Polymers for Pollutant Adsorption: Use polymers to capture heavy metals and other contaminants.
- Composites for Disinfection: Create antimicrobial composite materials for chemical-free disinfection solutions.
- Membranes for Reverse Osmosis: Develop more resilient membranes for energy-efficient purification.

These research areas emphasize the team's commitment to eco-friendly solutions for managing water resources.






Global Excellence and Water Sovereignty: Ibn Tofail University's Leadership in Scientific Research and Climate Action

Ibn Tofail University recorded international visibility through student participation in an IWRA-affiliated global poster competition focused on water and sustainability research, where several participants received top distinctions among more than seventy international entries. The recognized work reflects ongoing academic activity in Artificial Intelligence and interdisciplinary research applied to water and environmental topics. This development occurs alongside Morocco's hosting of the XIX World Water Congress, a global forum addressing water governance, innovation, and climate adaptation. Together, these elements illustrate the connection between current research efforts and broader international discussions on sustainable water management and related ecosystem issues.







OKEANO: Supporting the All-Atlantic Ocean Research and Innovation Alliance

The OKEANO project (2023–2026) is an international cooperation initiative supporting the All-Atlantic Ocean Research & Innovation Alliance, with Ibn Tofail University serving as the Moroccan coordinator under the leadership of Pr. Echchelh Adil. Funded by partners including the European Union, Fisheries and Oceans Canada, and the United Nations Decade of Ocean Science for Sustainable Development, the project brings together a consortium of fifteen organizations across Atlantic regions. Its activities focus on strengthening coordination and governance of marine and maritime research and innovation, developing a shared All-Atlantic Strategic Research and Innovation Agenda, and facilitating structured dialogue among stakeholders at local, national, and international levels. The project also supports capacity-building programs for Early-Career Ocean Professionals and contributes to common indicators, data protocols, and governance guidelines related to ocean sustainability.



Using remote sensing and geographic information systems to delineate suitable sites for artificial groundwater recharge: a multi-criteria decision-making approach

This research project focuses on identifying suitable sites for artificial groundwater recharge using remote sensing and geographic information systems (GIS) combined with a multi-criteria decision-making approach. Led by Pr. Bouabid El Mansouri from the Department of Earth Sciences and the Laboratory of Natural Resources and Sustainable Development, the project is conducted in partnership with the Institute of Information Science and Technology (CNR, Pisa, Italy). It aims to develop geoinformation methods and digital tools to support the assessment and enhancement of water resource potential under conditions of climate change and increasing water stress. The work involves applied spatial analysis and modeling, with contributions from student researchers Rahma Fri and Youssef Arejdal.



SDG 15

LET'S PROTECT OUR PRECIOUS TERRESTRIAL ECOSYSTEMS



Assessment of the year

Programs

- Master's in Improvement and Valorization of Plant Resources
- Master's in Environmental Biology
- Master's in Microorganisms and Plant Protection
- Master's in Engineering for the Valorization of Natural Resources and Quality Management
- Master's in Eco-Engineering of Wetlands
- Bachelor's in Water Science and Techniques in Agriculture

Project Adaptation of Olive Trees to Climate Change

This project aims to understand flowering processes, drought adaptation, and identify genomic regions related to these characteristics to better select olive varieties suited to climate change.

Project Adaptation of Olive Trees to Climate Change

The PRIMA project focuses on improving the quality of irrigation water to enhance food safety and preserve biodiversity. It studies wastewater treatment, water reuse for irrigation, the promotion of environmentally friendly practices, and benefits for biodiversity. The goal is to help farmers sustainably increase their yields.



Research Team: Biodiversity and Valorization of Plant Resources

- Identify, map, and document the diversity of plant species in the study region, with an emphasis on endemic or threatened species.
- Develop conservation strategies for endangered plant species.
- Study the medicinal properties of local plants, particularly those used in traditional medicine, and develop sustainable harvesting and processing practices.
- Promote agroforestry systems.
- Analyze the impact of climate change on the distribution of plant species and develop adaptation strategies.

Research Team: Animal Biodiversity and Environment

- Conduct surveys to identify, monitor, and document the diversity of animal species in the study region.
- Design and implement conservation programs for endangered animal species.
- Examine the interactions between wildlife and their environment.
- Develop conservation strategies for habitats essential to animal biodiversity.
- Monitor and analyze migration patterns of animal species, particularly migratory birds, to better understand their conservation needs.
- Analyze the behaviors of wild animals, including communication, reproduction, foraging, and territorial defense.

A Campus in Bloom: When Ibn Tofail University Plants Seeds of Change

On April 22, 2025, in celebration of Earth Day, Ibn Tofail University came alive with green energy as students, staff, and volunteers gathered for a collective tree-planting initiative under the banner "Campus Vert 2025."With no experience needed, just motivation and a smile, participants rolled up their sleeves to plant trees and flowers across the university grounds. The result: a vibrant, greener campus and a powerful message about environmental responsibility. Students from diverse academic backgrounds worked side by side, united by a shared commitment to nature and sustainability. Beyond planting greenery, this initiative fostered a spirit of cooperation, volunteerism, and environmental awareness among the university community. "Campus Vert 2025" was more than just a gardening day. It was a meaningful reminder that change starts with small, tangible actions and that universities can be fertile ground for both education and ecological impact.
Ibn Tofail University once again affirmed its role as a space not only for learning, but for living responsibly and acting collectively for a better future.







Climate, Environment, and Health: Scientific Dialogue for Sustainable and Inclusive Territories

From 27 to 29 November 2025, the Faculty of Sciences at Ibn Tofail University organized the 3rd edition of the Scientific Days of the Environment in Kenitra and at the Exotic Gardens of Rabat, under the theme "Climate, Environment and Health: For Sustainable, Green and Inclusive Territorial Development." The event gathered researchers, experts, and practitioners to examine the links between climate change, environmental conditions, and human health. Discussions addressed ecosystem vulnerability, natural resource degradation, pollution, and environmental risks affecting territories and communities, with attention to sustainable management of water, soil, and fragile environments. The conference promoted interdisciplinary dialogue and emphasized the role of scientific knowledge, preventive approaches, and institutional cooperation in supporting environmentally responsible and health-conscious territorial development.



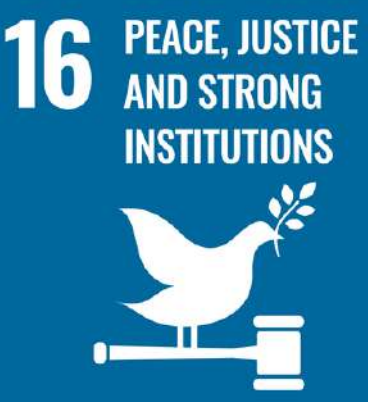






SDG 16

BUILDING A WORLD WHERE PEACE AND JUSTICE PREVAIL



Assessment of the year

Faculty of Legal and Political Science

The Faculty of Legal and Political Sciences offers a diverse range of programs for Bachelor's, Master's, and Doctoral degrees. These programs are designed within the framework of progressive specialization and take into account the demands of the socio-economic sector.

- Bachelor's Degree in Legal and Justice Professions
- Master's Degree in Conflict Law
- University Master's in Governance, Spatial Planning, and Territorial Development
- University Master's in Human Rights and Public Policies

Anti-Corruption Policy

All members of our university community are required to uphold high standards of integrity, ensuring honesty, transparency, and accountability in all interactions and transactions.

- Organize awareness and training sessions on the risks of corruption and its harmful consequences.
- Implement rigorous policies and procedures aimed at preventing and detecting any act of corruption.
- Encourage whistleblowers to confidentially report any act of corruption.

Equity, Diversity, Inclusion

The university has implemented initiatives aimed at promoting equity, diversity, and inclusion:

- Implement equal opportunity and diversity in all its policies and activities.
- Encourage the creation of clubs, associations, and affinity groups focused on diversity and inclusion.
- Review and adapt selection criteria and evaluation processes to reduce biases and promote equal opportunities.
- Offer workshops, conferences, and training sessions on unconscious bias, cultural diversity, mutual respect, etc.
- Organize awareness and training programs on equity, diversity, and inclusion issues for staff, students, and members of the university community.

Student Activities

- Organize awareness campaigns on issues related to justice, human rights, and the fight against corruption.
- Participate in debates and discussions on topics related to justice and peace (organization of the 5th edition of the Ultimate National Debate (UND).
- Conduct research projects on issues related to justice and governance.

Ibn Tofail University Sheds Light on the "Rabat Declaration" in a Scientific Symposium on Child Soldier Prevention

On 25 November 2025, the Faculty of Legal and Political Sciences at Ibn Tofail University organized a scientific symposium dedicated to the Rabat Declaration on the Disarmament, Demobilization, and Reintegration (DDR) of child soldiers, in collaboration with the International Research Center on the Prevention of Child Soldiers. The event brought together academics and international experts to examine legal, political, and socio-economic dimensions of DDR frameworks in Africa. Discussions addressed mechanisms for disarmament and safe demobilization, community reintegration challenges, and prevention strategies supported by academic research and early warning approaches. The symposium provided an academic platform for analyzing human rights–based security policies and strengthening dialogue between research and policy perspectives on child protection and peacebuilding.



Study Day Highlights Key Perspectives on Governance, Research, Innovation, and Social Inclusion at Ibn Tofail University





On 23 September 2025, Ibn Tofail University hosted an important academic event jointly organized by the Interdisciplinary Laboratory of Sport Sciences and the Laboratory for Studies and Research in Law and Political Sciences. The study day, titled « Cross Perspectives on Draft Law No. 59.24: Governance, Scientific Research, Innovation, and Social Inclusion », provided a structured platform for multidisciplinary dialogue on one of the most significant legislative reforms shaping Morocco's higher education and research landscape.

This event brought together university scholars, policy experts, and institutional actors for an in-depth reflection on the implications of Bill 59.24. Discussions examined how the proposed legislation seeks to modernize governance mechanisms, strengthen scientific research systems, and encourage innovation across academic institutions. By presenting intersecting perspectives from law, political science, sports sciences, and the broader social sciences, the study day fostered a rich understanding of the challenges and opportunities inherent in the reform.

The exchanges also underscored the essential role of social inclusion in national development policies. Participants emphasized the importance of ensuring that governance and innovation efforts incorporate equitable access, community engagement, and societal well-being. This academic gathering reaffirmed Ibn Tofail University's commitment to contributing to national debates, promoting evidence-based policymaking, and encouraging interdisciplinary collaboration in service of Morocco's sustainable development trajectory.

SDG 17

STRENGTHENING PARTNERSHIPS FOR A BETTER FUTURE

17 PARTNERSHIPS FOR THE GOALS



Assessment of the year

Key Figures

- International collaboration, representing **35%** of publications, highlights the university's openness to partnerships with researchers and institutions from around the world.
- National collaboration, accounting for **40.6%**, emphasizes the university's continued commitment to national research and cooperation with colleagues across the country.
- **220** Agreements and Conventions: (Europe, Asia, Africa, America.....)
- **200** Agreements and Conventions: (Regional and national partners of UIT)
- **180** Scientific events
- **58** Awards and Distinctions
- 35 Bilateral and Multilateral Research Projects
- **31** ERASMUS+ KA1 Projects
- 13 ERASMUS+ KA2 Projects
- **25** TEMPUS Projects
- **260** Student Mobility / Year
- **120** Teaching and Administrative Staff Mobility
- **90** Double Degree Programs
- **35%** UIT's publications involve international co-authorship.

UNIMED

- The Employability Sub-Network, stemming from the RESUME project funded by the European Union through Erasmus+, is a cooperation project aimed at strengthening the links between higher education, vocational training, and the labor market. This network's objective is to promote the employability of young graduates and foster entrepreneurship, with a particular focus on female entrepreneurship and the creation of university incubators. By encouraging active collaboration between participating institutions, it facilitates the exchange of best practices and the development of innovative projects to support students' transition into the workforce.
- Ibn Tofail University is a member of the network dedicated to sustainable water management, the restoration of degraded land areas, the integration of bioenergy and agro-industry in rural areas, as well as addressing issues related to food security, water access, rural development, and combating desertification, known as the "Food & Water" network.

Research on Climate Change

Ibn Tofail University is collaborating with University College London as part of the research project titled "Capacity Building for Participatory Research on Climate Change in Morocco." This project is part of the British Council's Research Environment Links (REL) program. The program aims to provide financial support for the development and implementation of pilot activities that promote capacity-building collaboration between Morocco and the United Kingdom.

Institutional Meeting Between UIT and ALTEN: Toward aStrategic Partnership for Training and Innovation



📅 **Date: September 12, 2025**
🏛 **Institution: Ibn Tofail University**
🌍 **Representative: Prof. Mohamed Ebn Touhami, President of UIT**
🤝 **Partner: ALTEN – Global Engineering & IT Consulting Company**

On September 12, 2025, Ibn Tofail University held an institutional meeting with ALTEN, a global leader in engineering and IT consulting, reflecting the university's commitment to strengthening collaboration with key socio-economic partners at both national and international levels. Discussions focused on establishing a long-term partnership encompassing joint training initiatives, student internship opportunities, and support for graduate employability. This collaboration aims to bridge the gap between academia and industry, enhance skills development, and improve students' professional readiness, in line with the university's strategic vision of innovation and international openness.

A Call for Climate Courage : Ibn Tofail University at the Online COP30 Global Summit



📅 **Date: November 12, 2025**
🌍 **Event: COP30 Education Day – Global Online Webinar**
🤝 **Co-hosts: EAUC & International Universities Climate Alliance**
🏆 **Recognition: Global Winner – 2030 Climate Action**

On November 12, 2025, Ibn Tofail University represented Morocco during a global online webinar held for COP30 Education Day, focused on Net Zero and Climate Action. Recognized as one of the two global winners of the 2030 Climate Action category alongside the University of Tasmania, the university showcased its net-zero pathway aligned with Morocco's national climate strategy. Key initiatives highlighted included expanded solar energy installations, campus-wide energy efficiency measures, and the Sidi Taïbi Hybrid Water & Energy Station, a flagship project providing potable water to thousands of students using renewable energy. The event emphasized the role of universities in driving climate action through innovation, student engagement, and international collaboration.



Morocco Showcases Circular Water Resilience at World Water Week 2025

🤝 **Partners: ICLEI Africa – Ibn Tofail University – GIZ – Ministry of the Interior, Kingdom of Morocco**
🌍 **Event: World Water Week 2025, Stockholm**

At World Water Week 2025, Morocco presented its approach to circular water resilience in response to severe national water stress. Ibn Tofail University was highlighted as a national reference model through its Living Lab for Circular Water Management in Kenitra. Launched in 2019, the facility treats 400–500 m³ of wastewater per day using MBR technology, reuses treated water to irrigate over 25% of campus green spaces, and has achieved a 70% reduction in potable water use. The system integrates renewable energy, real-time IoT monitoring, and nature-based solutions, while reducing pressure on the Sebou River. Beyond infrastructure, the Living Lab functions as an open training and innovation platform, benefiting more than 500 students, technicians, and local stakeholders. Through complementary initiatives such as the Sidi Taïbi Hybrid Water & Energy Station, the university also provides clean drinking water to over 4,000 rural students, demonstrating how academic institutions can translate research into scalable solutions for water security and climate resilience.





Times Higher Education Global Sustainable Development Congress 2025 & Impact Rankings Recognition



📅 **Event: June 16–19, 2025**
📍 **Location: Istanbul, Türkiye**
🏛 **Institution: Ibn Tofail University**

Ibn Tofail University participated in the Times Higher Education Global Sustainable Development Congress 2025, a major international platform bringing together universities, policymakers, and global leaders to advance sustainable development through collaboration and innovation. During this event, the university achieved a major international distinction by ranking 1st in Morocco and among the Top 401 universities globally in the Times Higher Education Impact Rankings 2025, confirming its academic excellence and global engagement. On this occasion, Ibn Tofail University also strengthened its international partnerships through the signing of strategic cooperation agreements with several institutions, including UTEG University (Ecuador), Sakarya University (Türkiye), and Daaru Salaam University (Somalia), reinforcing its role as an active and trusted partner within the global higher education community.



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