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6. Education and Research

6.25 Planning, implementation, monitoring and/or evaluation of university governance through the utilization of Information and Communication Technology (ICT)

Uzbekistan State World Languages University (UzSWLU) has fully digitalized its university governance system through the strategic implementation of Information and Communication Technology (ICT) across all administrative, academic, and financial processes. This transformation supports transparency, efficiency, accountability, and sustainability, aligning with the national "Digital Uzbekistan–2030" strategy and the university's internal Digital Governance Roadmap (2022–2030).

ICT is integrated at every stage of university management — from planning and decision-making to implementation, monitoring, and evaluation — ensuring data-driven governance and improved institutional performance.

1. ICT-Based Planning and Decision-Making

- The University Information Management System (UIMS) serves as the central planning platform, integrating data on academic programs, staff performance, finance, and student enrollment.
- Strategic and financial plans are developed through digital dashboards, enabling evidence-based decision-making by the Rector's Council.
- E-meetings and digital document circulation (via *E-Hujjat* system) have replaced paper-based procedures across all departments, reducing paper use by over 85% since 2022.
- The "Smart Rectorate Dashboard" (introduced in 2023) provides real-time analytics on academic workload, faculty KPI performance, student satisfaction, and campus operations.

2. ICT in Implementation and Daily Operations

- **E-University platform** integrates academic, HR, and financial management systems covering course registration, electronic attendance, grading, payroll, and procurement.
- Online Rector's Reception (E-Qabulxona) enables direct communication between administration and students.
- **Digital HR System** allows staff contracts, evaluations, and promotion tracking to be managed electronically.
- **E-Library Portal** (powered by KOHA and Elsevier integration) provides online access to scientific journals and digital learning resources.
- **ICT-driven procurement** ensures green purchasing principles via digital tendering and budget tracking.

3. Monitoring and Evaluation through ICT

- All university departments are required to report progress through the **Smart Monitoring Dashboard**, which consolidates real-time indicators on:
 - o faculty and student attendance;





- research publication output;
- o budget utilization and sustainability fund allocation;
- o energy, water, and waste metrics (linked with the *Green Office Dashboard*).
- Annual performance audits are conducted using **automated KPI analytics** covering teaching quality, research outcomes, and administrative efficiency.
- The Internal Quality Assurance Committee (IQAC) reviews digital reports each semester to identify areas for improvement.
- Evaluation results are presented in the annual **University Performance Report**, available online for public transparency.

4. ICT Platforms and Tools Used at UzSWLU

System / Platform	Introduced	Main Functionality
University Information Management System (UIMS)	2022	Integrates academic, financial, and HR data for planning and reporting
E-Hujjat (Electronic Document System)	2022	Digital approval and internal correspondence system
Smart Rectorate Dashboard	2023	Real-time analytics for decision-making and KPI monitoring
Smart Campus Monitoring Dashboard	2024	Tracks sustainability metrics: energy, water, waste, transport
E-University Portal	2022	Central platform for student services, e-learning, exams, and attendance
E-Library Portal	2021	Provides access to digital books and research databases
E-Qabulxona (Online Rector's Reception)	2023	Facilitates student feedback and complaint handling
Green Office Sustainability Dashboard	2024	Monitors environmental and social sustainability indicators

5. Institutional Impact

- Governance efficiency: Decision-making time reduced by 60% compared to 2020.
- Paperless transition: Over 85% of internal documentation fully digitized.
- **Data transparency:** Public reports and financial updates accessible via the website and Rectorate Dashboard.





- **Operational sustainability:** ICT-based processes have reduced carbon footprint by minimizing paper and energy waste.
- **Digital capacity building:** More than **500 staff** trained annually in ICT governance tools.

Integration with sustainability: ICT dashboards also track SDG progress, supporting *GreenMetric* reporting automation since 2024.

Contribution to the UN Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs)

SDG	Contribution	
SDG 4 – Quality Education	Use of digital systems to improve educational management and e-learning.	
SDG 9 – Industry, Innovation, and Infrastructure	Investment in ICT infrastructure for sustainable governance.	
SDG 11 – Sustainable Cities and Communities	Development of smart campus technologies reducing environmental impact.	
SDG 12 – Responsible Consumption and Production	Paperless and efficient administrative operations.	
SDG 13 – Climate Action	Reduced emissions through ICT-driven energy and resource monitoring.	
SDG 16 – Peace, Justice, and Strong Institutions	Transparent, data-driven, and accountable university governance.	
SDG 17 – Partnerships for the Goals	Digital tools for collaboration with ministries and international partners.	

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