

Upcycling Textbooks

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Summary

- Our Problem
- Our Solution
- Circular Industry Principles
- UN Sustainable Development Goals

Our Problem

- AFG College Library is in charge of the distribution of textbooks to our students.
- Textbooks that need to be updated.
- The library is left with multiple copies of textbooks that our students no longer use.

Problem: We do not have the facilities on campus to store these books.

Our Solution

- Our faculty member, Mr. Mohammad Abrar Hussain, is on the board of the Pak Shamaa School & College.
- Pak Shamaa is the oldest expatriate school in Qatar and uses UK and Pakistani curriculum.

Solution: We have developed a relationship with Pak Shamaa in which we donate appropriate books to their school.

Circular Industry Principles

Three principles of circular economy:

1. Eliminate waste and pollution
2. **Circulate products and materials (at their highest value)**
3. Regenerate nature

UN Sustainable Development Goals

Goal 4: Ensure inclusive and equitable quality education and promote lifelong learning opportunities for all

Goal 12 : Ensure sustainable consumption and production patterns

Goal 13: Take urgent action to combat climate change and its impacts

Thank You

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