

International Relations, Social Sciences and Sustainability

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International Relations...

...does not mean just Relations between sovereign States

The huge role of multinational enterprises:

“MNEs also account for half of global exports, almost one-third of world GDP and about one fourth of employment”

OECD, 2018

Inter-entrepreneurial relations to be considered as well

The role of **private economy**

And the **regulation** of private enterprises



Development & Sustainability

The UN 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development

- 17 Goals
- Many of them deal with **social sciences** related profiles

In any case, the three magic letters of sustainability are to be dealt with jointly, using an **holistic approach**:

- **Environmental**
- **Social**
- **Governance**

And with a strong public/private cooperation



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In other words, sustainability...

...is not just **environmental** sustainability!

Have a look at the **social** and **governance** issues as well...

...that means a **human-centred approach** (as a program by the World Bank promotes, too)



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From human-centred...

...to humanism!

Here's one of **Italian specificities**

- RUS: Rete delle Università per lo Sviluppo
University Network for the Development

And for sure **University of Macerata's one**

- The motto: "L'umanesimo che innova" innovating humanism
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Just a few examples

Sustainability @ UniMC

- Jean Monnet Chair Business Law in the European Union and Sustainable Economy
- Sustainable Innovation Lab
- Sustainability and Digital Transition
- Sharper – Researchers' Night
- Rethinking urban-rural relations for a sustainable future: case studies of informal food value chains in Central Italy
- Trans-Urban-EU-China: Transition towards urban sustainability through socially integrative cities in the EU and in China
- ALICE: AcceLerate Innovation in urban wastewater management for Climate change

...and internal sustainable practices: <https://www.unimc.it/it/ateneo/index/it/sostenibilita>



Overall

A sustainable approach to many different profiles:

- Public officers
 - Private employees and managers
 - Professionals in several areas
 - Lawyers
 - Consultants
 - Tax experts
 - Economists
 - **In order to shape better tomorrow professionals and citizens!**
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Thanks for your attention!

Questions?

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