

## GOVERNANCE WITH INTERNAL AND EXTERNAL STAKEHOLDERS POLICY

Istanbul Beykent University's Governance Policy with Internal and External Stakeholders aims to strengthen collaboration with internal and external stakeholders for education, corporate governance, social contribution, and research along with development activities within the scope of the quality assurance system. The policy seeks to enhance the effective participation of all stakeholders in decision-making processes.

## **Core Values**

The core values underlying the University's Governance with Internal and External Stakeholders Policy are as follows:

- **1. Inclusivity:** The University supports the participation of all stakeholders in decision-making processes, systematically implements and maintains a structured feedback mechanism.
- **2. Continuous Improvement:** Feedback and experiences of stakeholders, applied through a feedback mechanism in all processes, guide the institution's continuous improvement activities.
- **3. Sustainable Management:** The University fulfills its social responsibilities, minimizes environmental impacts, and promotes sustainable practices. It collaborates with the community to adopt eco-friendly practices and contribute to social projects.
- **4. Openness and Transparency:** The University commits to transparency in corporate governance processes, decision-making mechanisms, and performance evaluations, informing internal and external stakeholders about the processes for achieving the university's goals.
- **5. Confidentiality:** The University commits to respecting the privacy rights of all stakeholders and securely storing information.
- **6. Collaboration and Communication with Stakeholders:** The policy represents efforts to strengthen continuity by collaborating with other educational institutions, civil society organizations, and the community.

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## Strategies of the Governance with Internal and External Stakeholders Policy

The key elements of the Governance Policy with Internal and External Stakeholders, shaped around the University's core values, are as follows:

- **1.** Providing information to internal and external stakeholders about the university's vision, mission, strategic objectives, and performance indicators.
- **2.** Ensuring regular receipt and monitoring of views and suggestions by establishing an effective communication strategy with all stakeholders.
- **3.** Encouraging increased stakeholder participation in decision-making processes through regular meetings, events, and surveys.

## Objectives of the Governance with Internal and External Stakeholders Policy

- **1.** Enhance collaboration and coordination with internal and external stakeholders.
- 2. Regularly meet with internal and external stakeholders throughout the academic year.
- **3.** Evaluate feedback from internal and external stakeholders and make continuous improvements based on this feedback.
- **4.** Enhance the effectiveness of Consultation Committees at the University in collaboration with internal and external stakeholders.

Assessments are conducted to monitor the realization of these objectives, and corrective and continuous improvement measures are taken when necessary.

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