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SDG 11.4 Sustainable Practices

SDG 11 – Indicator 11.4.7 Local authority collaboration regarding planning and development

Universitas Sriwijaya (UNSRI) continues to prioritize regional development through collaborations with government institutions and ministries. Partnering with the Ministry of Public Works and Housing (PUPR), UNSRI has successfully developed student housing projects, including a four-story tower completed in 2019 and ongoing construction of additional flats to accommodate more students. These projects reflect UNSRI's commitment to supporting student welfare while contributing to sustainable infrastructure development.

In collaboration with the Ministry of Villages, Development of Disadvantaged Regions, and Transmigration, UNSRI plays a key role in fostering village development, particularly through initiatives like establishing village-owned enterprises (*Badan Usaha Milik Desa*) and promoting tourist villages. These programs leverage various funding sources, including village funds, MSME budgets, and social assistance programs, to empower village leaders and communities to innovate and utilize their resources effectively. By focusing on local potential and cultural heritage, UNSRI aids in transforming villages into sustainable economic hubs.

UNSRI has also contributed significantly to rural planning through the development of comprehensive village data systems, utilized by government agencies for policymaking and targeted development. UNSRI's expertise in understanding and supporting villages makes it a vital partner in addressing rural challenges and maximizing village potential. These efforts align with the national *Nawacita* vision to eradicate poverty and hunger by prioritizing rural development and uplifting communities from the periphery.

UNSRI's Initiatives with Ministry of Public Works and Housing

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