



Environmental Policy

Policy Statement

European College of Law and Business (ECLB) recognises that it can contribute towards conservation and protection of the environment and is committed to comply with legal and other requirements. It will prevent pollution and promote awareness of environmental responsibilities among all staff, students and all those working on its behalf.

The College is also committed to improve its energy efficiency and reduce energy consumption associated with various college activities, including lighting, air and water heating, and refrigeration.

This is to be achieved through the following aims and objectives:

Aims

- To improve awareness and understanding of environmental issues and sustainable development in the College;
- To encourage all staff and students to be active participants in environmental initiatives;
- To improve the way the College manages its own environment;
- To work with the local community, public and private sector organisations to improve the local environment and promote sustainable development;
- To improve energy performance and reduce the carbon footprint of the College building;
- Integrating environmental and sustainable principles into the College's operational procedures and promoting best practice at every level.

The College will comply fully with environmental legislation and officially approved codes of practice, and will continue to:

- promote sound environmental management policies and practices;
- increase awareness of environmental responsibilities amongst Fellows, staff and students;
- reduce material and organic waste and to facilitate the reuse and recycling of paper, glass, aluminium, plastics and organic refuse generated by College activities, using the most environmentally effective means;
- reduce energy consumption in all College property;
- minimise consumption of water;
- minimise use of chemical and other pollutants;
- maintain the grounds and the College building in an environmentally sensitive way;
- have regard to environmental factors as far as practicable in respect of the growth of the College;
- encourage modes of transport by staff and students which minimise the environmental impact;
- consider and act to minimise the environmental impact of all new developments, taking into account noise and light pollution, visual impact and habitat degradation.