



BRAINWAR UNIVERSITY

Annual SDG-8 Report 2023-24

SDG 8: Decent Work and Economic Growth

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Vision and Institutional Philosophy

Brainware University believes that universities are economic engines, not ivory towers. Its pursuit of SDG 8 is rooted in three ideas:

- Learning must lead to livelihood.
- Growth must be inclusive, creating opportunities for all sections.
- Work must be dignified, respecting ethics, safety, and well-being.

The University's HR, Training & Placement, and Innovation ecosystems collectively foster decent work and economic growth by connecting education, enterprise, and employability.

Human-Resource Development and Decent Work Practices

HR Reforms (2023-24)

- Transparent Recruitment: Digital evaluation, merit-based appointment, UGC-2018 compliance.
- Faculty Welfare: Institutional health insurance, maternity benefits, and flexible leave policy.
- Workload Rationalisation: Teaching-load policy ensure fair distribution.
- Performance-Linked Recognition

Research and Intellectual Property Supporting Economic Growth

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The University's R&D output contributes directly to productivity, sustainable industry, and financial technology—pillars of SDG 8.

| Patent / Book Chapter | Author(s) | Focus | SDG 8 Link |
|------------------------------------|----------------|-------------------------------|----------------------|
| Blockchain and IoT's Role in the | Rajinder | Secure fintech & job creation | Financial innovation |
| Indian Banking Sector's Digital | Uppal et al. | | |
| Transition | | | |
| Venture Capital Investments in an | Manabhanjan | Start-up ecosystem & capital | Entrepreneurship |
| Entrepreneur Ownership Model | Sahu | flow | |
| An Automated Market Analysis and | Soumen Saha | AI in trading & financial | Economic |
| Trading System for Stock Market | et al. | inclusion | innovation |
| Human Resource Management in | Tiny T. | Future of work & AI skills | Workforce |
| the Era of Artificial Intelligence | Gohain et al. | | transformation |
| Impact of the COVID-19 Pandemic on | Adhikari S. et | Labour market resilience | Inclusive growth |
| Migratory Behaviour of Rural | al. | | |
| Workers | | | |

Skill Development and Career Readiness

Brainware's skill-building strategy is woven into every curriculum:

| Initiative | Key Focus |
|---------------------------------|--|
| Pre-Placement Training Module | Soft skills, aptitude, interview readiness |
| AI & Data Analytics Workshops | Digital economy skills |
| MSME Entrepreneurship Bootcamp | Business planning & fund raising |
| Digital Marketing Certification | Online business skills |
| Entrepreneur Summit | Start-up showcase |

Employability Index (IQAC 2024): 87 % of graduating students found suitable employment or entrepreneurial pathways within 6 months of completion.

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Decent work and sustainable growth are not abstract goals at Brainware University—they are visible in its classrooms, offices, and community fields.

Every student is guided toward a livelihood, every faculty member toward professional growth, and every initiative toward measurable social impact.

By merging employability, entrepreneurship, and ethical work culture, Brainware University ensures that growth becomes inclusive and work becomes dignified—living the true spirit of SDG 8 and strengthening India's knowledge economy in the process.

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