

# **Sustainability Policy**

THS Armada actively seeks to work with Social and Environmental Sustainability. The organization strives to make social and environmental conscious choices that are made throughout the whole year.

### **Digitalisation**

- Minimize the amount of hard print in all communication and marketing.
- Continuous Improvement to our digital platforms in order to increase the usage.
- Develop the applications and our webpage in order to allow companies to put more information there rather than using flyers and give-aways.
- Transparency on how Armada contributes or aims to contribute to sustainable development.

#### Consumption

- Take environmentally conscious decisions regarding foods and beverages, e.g. an all vegetarian fair and banquette; prioritizing organic food and fairtrade products.
- Prioritizing fairtrade and organic certified products in all our purchases, e.g. clothes used in the organization is both fairtrade and organic.
- Carpets and signs used for the fair are stored in a safe way in order to be reused.
- When printing consider to avoid dates or any information which is volatile, so the banner or printed ad could be reused for long term.

#### Waste management

- Minimize the waste volume by restricting handouts from companies participation on the fair - no flyers policy.
- Optimize and forecast the order volume in order to prevent unnecessary waste.
- Minimize the amount of disposables used by companies and students on the fair by encouraging companies to give better options to visitors.
- Promoting better sorting and recycling during the fair for better recyclability.
- In case of excess food, partnering with local volunteering groups (eg. Olio) to help to distribute the food.



#### **Decarbonization**

- A no flyers-policy for the participating companies and within Armada.
- This year, we introduced an action plan for carbon reduction.
- Carbon accounting at the end of the fair to understand our impact areas and to improvise in mitigating them.

## **Transportation**

- Armada offers exhibiting companies to use Armada Transport in order to reduce the CO2 emissions.
- We in the organization communicate and also promote commuting in public transport internally and externally.

## Wellbeing

• Promoting wellbeing and providing necessary support for all people in the organization.