UCU CHAMPIONS GOOD GOVERNANCE THROUGH ACCOUNTABILITY AND INTEGRITY POLICIES

In full support of **Sustainable Development Goal 16 (SDG 16)**—Peace, Justice, and Strong Institutions—**Urdaneta City University (UCU)** upholds its commitment to transparency, accountability, and ethical governance through the **publication of its principles and policies against organized crime, corruption, and bribery**. These principles reflect the university's stand for integrity and justice as essential foundations of institutional leadership.

UCU has clearly outlined its anti-corruption measures in official policy documents, manuals, and administrative issuances. These include strict guidelines on ethical conduct, financial accountability, and disciplinary procedures for both employees and students. The university also implements monitoring systems to ensure that all transactions and operations adhere to public service ethics and anti-bribery standards.

The **Office of the University President**, together with the **Human Resource Management Office** and other administrative departments, ensures that all members of the academic community are aware of and guided by these principles. Regular orientations, transparency reports, and internal audits are conducted to strengthen compliance and maintain a culture of honesty and fairness within the institution.

To continuously sustain its commitment to SDG 16, UCU innovates governance programs promoting moral leadership and responsible citizenship. Activities such as ethics seminars, integrity campaigns, and value formation workshops further reinforce the university's proactive stance against corruption and unethical practices.

Through these measures, **Urdaneta City University** proves that it is not only a center of learning but also a model of integrity-driven governance. By standing firm against corruption and bribery, UCU continues to nurture an academic environment rooted in peace, justice, and strong institutions—true to the principles of SDG 16.

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