



KALASALINGAM
ACADEMY OF RESEARCH & EDUCATION
(DEEMED TO BE UNIVERSITY)

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**16 PEACE, JUSTICE AND
STRONG INSTITUTIONS**



16.2.2 Students' union

The establishment of student unions is acknowledged and facilitated by KARE

Director student affairs supervises the democratic process of Student Council elections in every year. The faculty representatives are determined by the representatives elected by each department. From the faculty representatives, the Student Council's elected chairperson is selected. KARE recognises the autonomy of students to establish student unions.

Creating a Students' Union (Peace, Justice, and Strong Institutions) in a university setting is an excellent initiative. It focuses on promoting peace, justice, and inclusive institutions, and a university student union dedicated to this goal can be an effective platform for advocacy, education, and action.

- Promote awareness and education around issues of peace, justice, and strong institutions both locally and globally.
- Engage in advocacy for policy changes within the university, local community, or at national/international levels.
- Foster a culture of inclusion and equality among students and stakeholders.
- Mobilize students for peace-building initiatives, justice reforms, and institutional strengthening.
- Collaborate with other student organizations, faculty, and external stakeholders (NGOs, government bodies) to work on SDG 16 issues.

Link for Student's union :

https://docs.google.com/document/d/143zcinUcN2WojmTfVZ1iN7HVwssZvUIo/edit?usp=drive_link&ouid=113938024005760959391&rtfpof=true&sd=true

Promoting and ensuring equal access to justice for all is a key component of creating a fair, inclusive, and equitable society. Equal access to justice means that every individual, regardless of their background, social status, or economic condition, should have the ability to seek and obtain a fair and impartial hearing before a competent court or legal authority.