





Universities for Adaptation: nature-based solutions and skills for resilience

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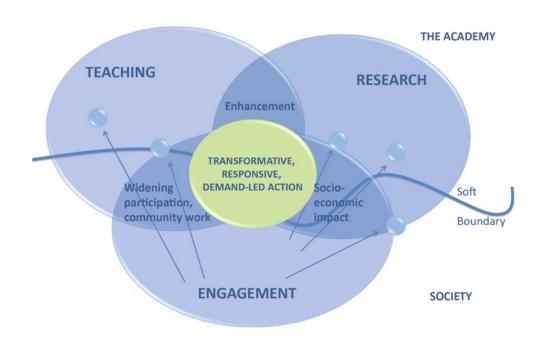




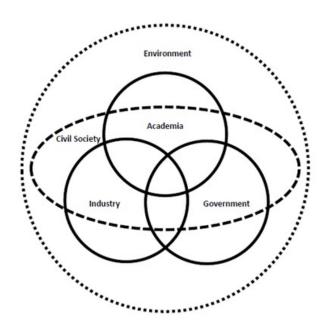




The transformative role of an «engaged» university model

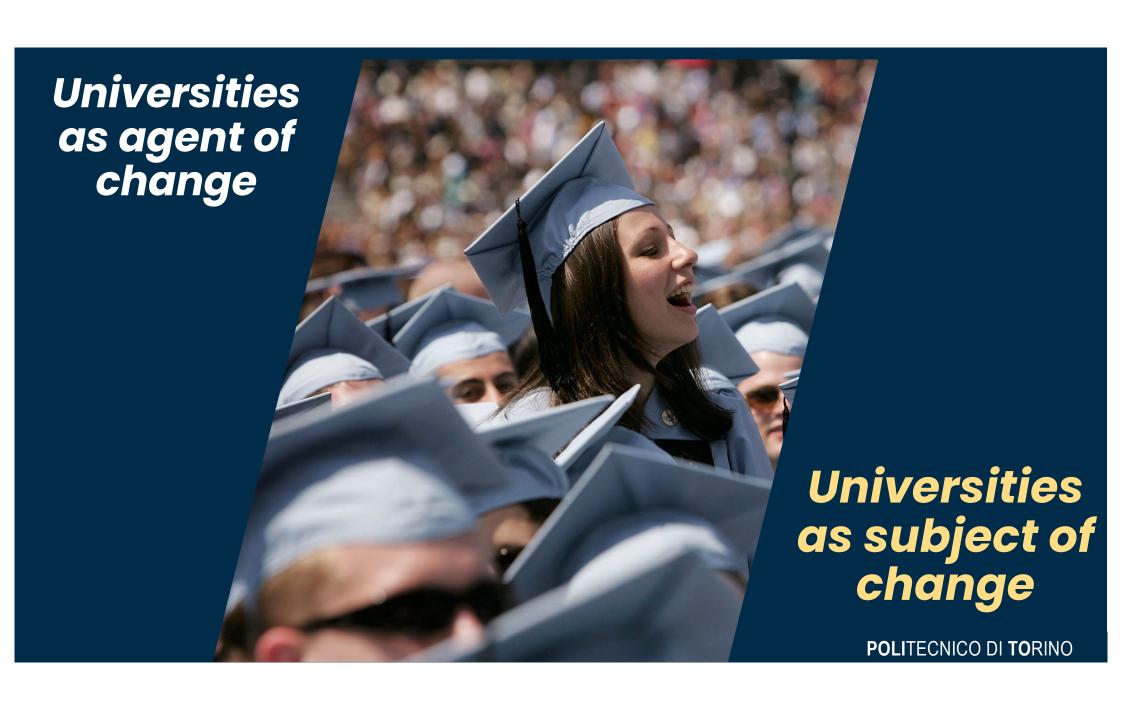






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THE NETWORK OF UNIVERSITIES FOR SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT



Officially established in 2016 by CRUI *the Italian Conference of Rectors* but working **since 2013** through bottom-up approach

Thematic Working Groups











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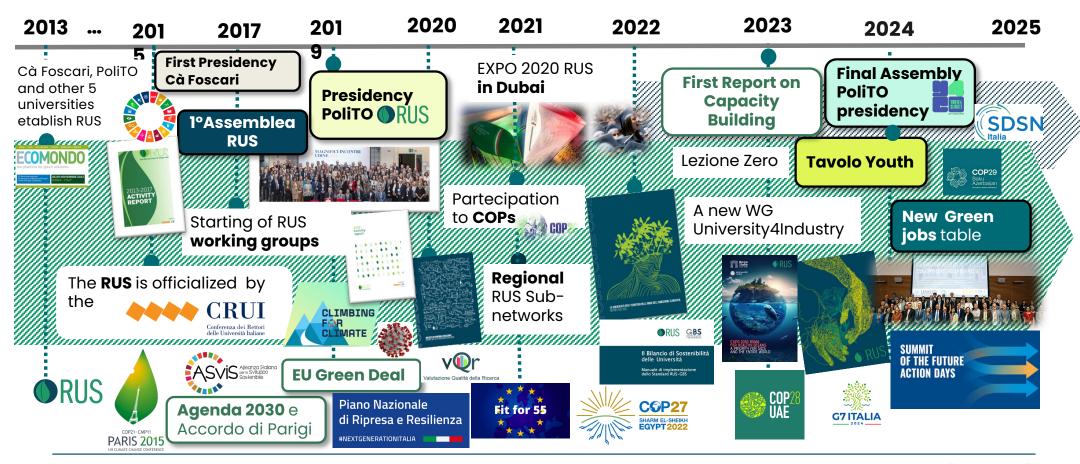
and waste







MAIN STEPS











ROUND TABLE

Experiences and projects from Italian universities, focusing on education, innovation, and local collaboration.

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