

88 public service initiatives in the 3rd quarter of 2025

UP Open University recorded a **6% increase**  compared to the previous quarter.

- HIGHLIGHTS**
- 1** **Tripartite Agreement for PDL Education.** UPOU signed a landmark agreement with the Bureau of Corrections (BuCor) and the UP Alumni Association (UPAA) to provide education and workforce development for Persons Deprived of Liberty (PDLs).
 - 2** **Professional Development via MOOCs.** The university will offer MOOCs to support the professional growth of PDLs and BuCor staff, focusing on dignity restoration and reintegration.
 - 3** **Job Placement Support.** UPAA will provide job placement services to help eligible PDL graduates secure employment.



37 Information Dissemination



30 Service to University



14 Networks and Linkages



HIGHLIGHTS

Top SDGs



SDG #4
Quality Education
54 initiatives



SDG #10
Reduced Inequalities
28 initiatives



SDG #9
Industry, Innovation and Infrastructure
16 initiatives

↑ 6% Growth
Initiatives focused on information dissemination, university service, and network-building, with strong alignment to education access, equity, and institutional partnerships.



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Initiative Spotlight



Tripartite Agreement for PDL Education

The UP Open University facilitated the **tripartite agreement with the Bureau of Corrections (BuCor) and the UP Alumni Association (UPAA)**. The initiative supported Persons Deprived of Liberty (PDLs) and BuCor staff focusing on restoring dignity, professional development through MOOCs, and preparing detainees for reintegration into society.



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