

## Template for Evidence(s) UI GreenMetric Questionnaire

University : Alexandria University  
Country : Egypt  
Web Address : <https://alexu.edu.eg/>

### [5] Transportation (TR)

#### [5.15] Number of Transportation Initiatives to Decrease Private Vehicles on Campus



Alexandria University Shuttle Service Station



Campus Bikes parking at the Faculty of Engineering  
(Alexandria University, Egypt)

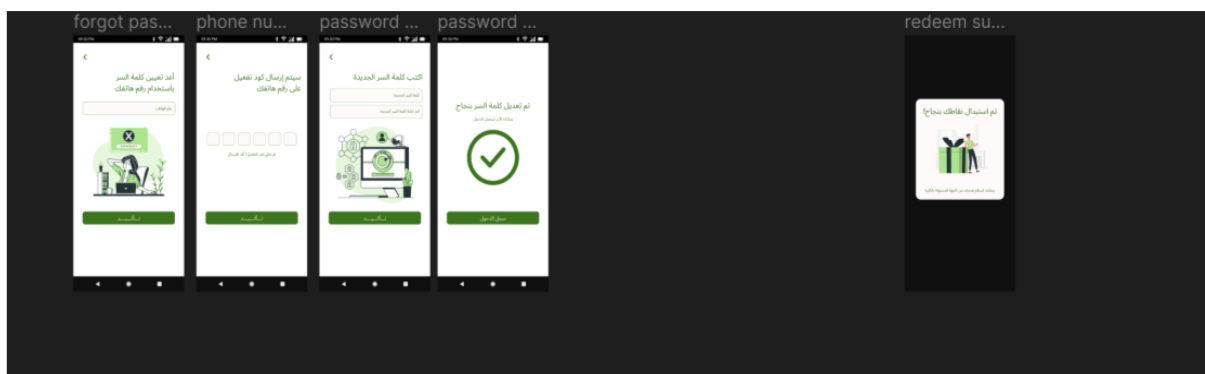
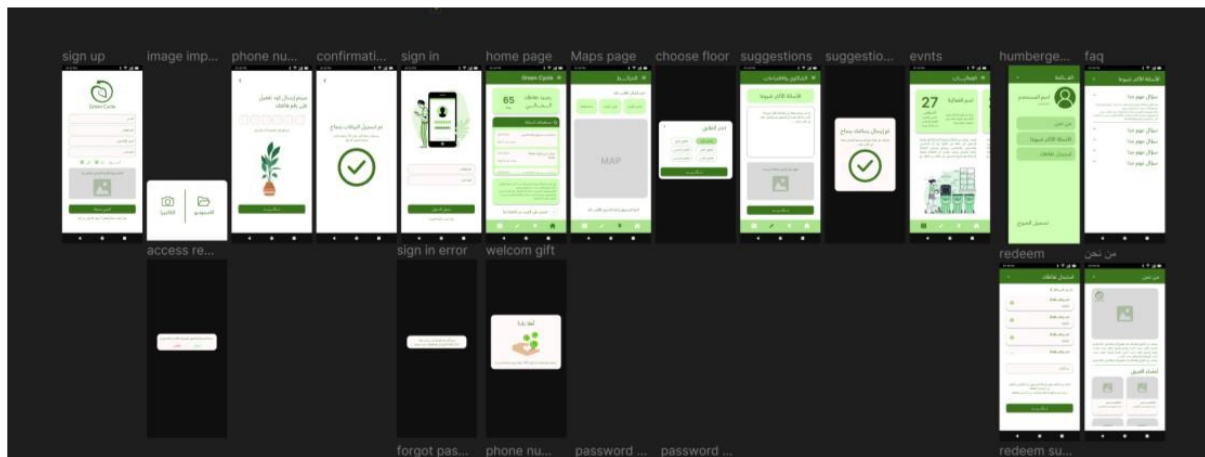


Ride Share (Carpool) (Faculty of Pharmacy,  
Alexandria University, Egypt)



Shuttle Services (Alexandria University)





**Carpooling application for smartphones - Green Cycle project in the Faculty of Pharmacy (Alexandria University, Egypt)**



**The Faculty of Pharmacy organized a sports marathon for walking and cycling titled "Running for Green" in collaboration with ASPSA "Alexandria Scientific Pharmaceutical Students Association". This event is part of the preparations by both the Faculty of Pharmacy and Alexandria University for the COP27 Climate Change Conference.**



The cycling race and marathon activities launched within the activities of the Global Conference on Climate Change and Sports, organized by the Faculty of Science and Faculty of Physical Education in Abu Qir in the period from October 27-29, 2022



Faculty of Sport Education Abo Qir Hosts Environmental Awareness Marathon entitled "Our Health is in Our Planet" in collaboration with the Ministry of Environment and Sanofi on May 4, 2024. The marathon began in front of Stanley Bridge and concluded at the University Administration Building in Shatby.





**The First Sports Marathon for University Students, titled "Run for Your Health", was organized by the Student Sports Committee of Alexandria National University on May 24, 2024. The marathon was started at Sidi Gaber Bridge and concluded at Selisla Tower.**

#### **Description:**

#### **Transportation Initiatives to Decrease Private Vehicles on Campus**

1. Shuttle/bus park inside and outside the campus
  - Alexandria University provides shuttle service. The number of buses at Alexandria University is 35 buses. 35 new shuttle Buses were purchased, with the average number of passengers per shuttle of 51 passengers. The buses make approximately two trips per day (30 x 2) on fixed time and fixed line routes to provide convenience for passengers and at the same time to reduce problems caused by the impact of increased traffic density on the local environment such as air pollution and traffic congestion.
  - The University provides mass transportation (shuttle buses) for employees and faculty members to drive to and from the University instead of using their private cars. These buses park mostly outside the University Campus.
2. The University provides the opportunity to contract with some private transportation companies to facilitate the movement of Faculty members and students, and these buses park temporarily outside the University Campus.
3. The students park their cars outside the University Campus and walk inside the Campus.
4. The University encourage car sharing (carpooling) among the faculty members and students, to reduce the number of cars entering the University Campus and limit the parking area, and adopt healthy and sustainable transportation options.
5. The Faculty of Pharmacy organizes a sports marathon for walking and cycling entitled "Running for Green" in cooperation with ASPSA "Alexandria Scientific Pharmaceutical Students Association", as part of the preparations of the Faculty of Pharmacy and the University of Alexandria for the COP27 Climate Change Conference, which was held in Sharm El-Sheikh in November 2022. The marathon started in front of the Library of Alexandria to Qaitbay Citadel, with the participation of about 150 individuals, an elite group of faculty members, faculty members, and students. The marathon was organized with the aim of uniting students and faculty members as one family and encouraging students to practice sports to improve their physical and mental health, which will reflect positively on their academic performance.
6. The cycling race and marathon activities were launched, within the activities of the Global Conference on Climate Change and Sports, organized by the Faculty of Science and Faculty of Sport Education Abu Qir in the period from October 27-29, 2022, with the participation, support, encouragement and sponsorship of the Ministry of Youth and Sports, the Universities Sports Federation, the Ministry of the Environment, and the Egyptian General Authority. For tourism development, and a number of sponsors. More than 1,500 male and female students participated in the marathon, as part of the forum's activities. The marathon started from the Camp Caesar area to Qaitbay Citadel, west of the city.
7. The Student Sports Committee of Alexandria National University organized the First Sports Marathon for University Students, titled "Run for Your Health" on May 24, 2024. The marathon started at the end of Sidi Gaber Bridge and concluded at Selisla Tower. At the end of the event, both winners and participants were honored.
8. In an effort to raise environmental awareness among students and the local community in Alexandria, the Faculty of Sport Education Abo Qir organized an event titled 'Our Health is in Our Planet' in collaboration with the Ministry of Environment and Sanofi on May 4, 2024. The marathon started in front of Stanley Bridge and ended at the University Administration Building in Shatby. The top 20 (male and female) student winners were awarded 20 bicycles.
9. Bicycle parking on campus: The university provides bike parking for students and allow the bicycles to enter the campus.
10. Encouraging students, employees and faculty members who leaves around the University Campus to go by walking instead of using a Car.
11. Increasing the University green area.



12. A competition between the faculties in the University was set titled “Towards an Eco Faculty” was set. This competition encourages all the different faculties to use their resources in a way that fulfils the idea of green faculty and green environment.

13. **Green Cycle project in the Faculty of Pharmacy - Alexandria University**

The project began in October 2022 by organizing a number of events in cooperation between the Community Service and Environmental Development Committee, ASPSA, and the Alexandria Rotary Clubs, under the supervision and organization of Faculty of Pharmacy - Alexandria University.

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**Link for carpooling application**

<https://www.figma.com/file/Szikt682DveoqpQD4VYxKz/green-cycle?type=design&node-id=0-1&mode=design>

**Link for Sustainable Development:**

<https://alexu.edu.eg/index.php/en/sustainable-development>

<https://alexu.edu.eg/index.php/en/2015-11-24-10-38-07/ranking?id=6011>

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### Pedestrian Path Policy on Campus

**Purpose and Scope:** The policy applies to all students, faculty, staff, and visitors on campus to ensure the safety and accessibility of pedestrian pathways. It aims to create a safe and efficient walking environment, promoting a culture of respect and responsibility among all users.

#### Policy Guidelines

- **Designated Paths:** All pedestrians must use designated pathways for walking, which are clearly marked and maintained. All covered walkways are lined with cultivated plants, not only increasing the greenery on campus but also providing a refreshing environment for students and staff as they walk through.
- **Accessibility:** Pedestrian paths is accessible to individuals with disabilities. Steps have been replaced with ramps designed to accommodate pedestrians with physical disabilities.
- **Safety Measures:** Speed limits for any motorized vehicles allowed on campus must be enforced in pedestrian areas. Proper lighting has been installed to enhance safety.
- **Maintenance:** Regular inspections and maintenance of pedestrian paths is conducted to ensure safety and usability. Water removal protocols is established for the winter months.
- **Behavior Expectations:** Members of the campus community are expected to respect pedestrian pathways and refrain from littering or obstructing them.
- **Enforcement:** Violations of the pedestrian path policy may result in disciplinary action in accordance with university guidelines.
- **Review and Amendments:** This policy is reviewed annually and amended as necessary to reflect changes in campus needs or safety standards.

Sincerely,



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