

UNIVERSIDAD POLITECNICA SALESIANA

1. KEY DATA

COUNTRY	Ecuador	
INDUSTRY	Consumer Goods & Services	
SECTOR	Consumer Services	
ISSUER	Don Bosco Finanzierungs GmbH	
ISIN / TICKER	AT0000A2S786	
MARKET CAP	-	
TOTAL ASSETS	189 mil EUR	2020
TURNOVER	72.9 mil EUR	2020
EMPLOYEES	1,638	2020
FISCAL YEAR	1.1. – 31.12.	
ADDRESS & WWW	Calle Turuhuayco 3-69 y Calle Viejja, Cuenca www.ups.edu.ec	

2. EXCLUSIONARY SCREENS

ARMAMENT	No	NUCLEAR ENERGY	No
FOSSIL FUELS	No	ADDICTIVE DRUGS	No
GMO	No	LABOR RIGHTS VIOL.	No
GAMING	No	OTHERS	No

3. STAKEHOLDER & PRODUCT SCREENS

EMPLOYEES	A	PRINCIPLES & STRATEGIES	A-
SOCIETY	A-	MGMT.SYSTEMS & ORGANISATION	ab
CUSTOMERS	A-	PRODUCTS & SERVICES	A-
MARKET PARTNERS	ba	PROGRAMMES, ACTIVITIES & ACHIEVEMENTS	ab
INVESTORS	ab		
ENVIRONMENT	ba		

4. OVERALL SUSTAINABILITY RATING

RATING	A+	A	A-	B+	B	B-	C+	C	C-	EX
INDICATIVE RATING	a			b			c		NR	
	ab			bc			ba			

PREVIOUS RATING **ab 5/2016**
DATA RATE **47%**



5. PROFILE

Universidad Politecnica Salesiana (UPS, Salesian Polytechnic University), headquartered in Quito, Ecuador is a private higher education facility with a catholic background and strong social values.

UPS has four faculties and a postgraduate unit. There are the faculties of administrative and economic sciences, human sciences and education, agricultural and environmental sciences and engineering. The three campuses are located in Quito and two mid-size cities. UPS focusses on teaching and development of young people from lower income backgrounds. The departments serve over 25,000 students per year.

Exclusionary screens relating to sustainability are not affected.

UPS has defined explicit principles and strategies concerning social responsibility, dealing with important sustainability issues at a longer time scale.

Management systems seem to exist for several areas at societal scale. Currently UPS seeks to improve its environmental management programme.

Programmes, activities and achievements seem to be widely in line with own principles and goals and partly with general requirements to a sustainable corporation.

educational services are essential for the present and future challenges of life in lower income societies with positive effects on clients and the society as a whole.

The bond 2021-2027 is issued by Don Bosco Finanzierungs GmbH, Austria, which is as subsidiary of the aid organisation Jugend Eine Welt International. The bond has a volume of 10 mil EUR and a coupon of 1.7%. A credit rating is not available, but the two previous issues (2009-2015 and 2015-2021) were repaid including interests totally and on time.

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