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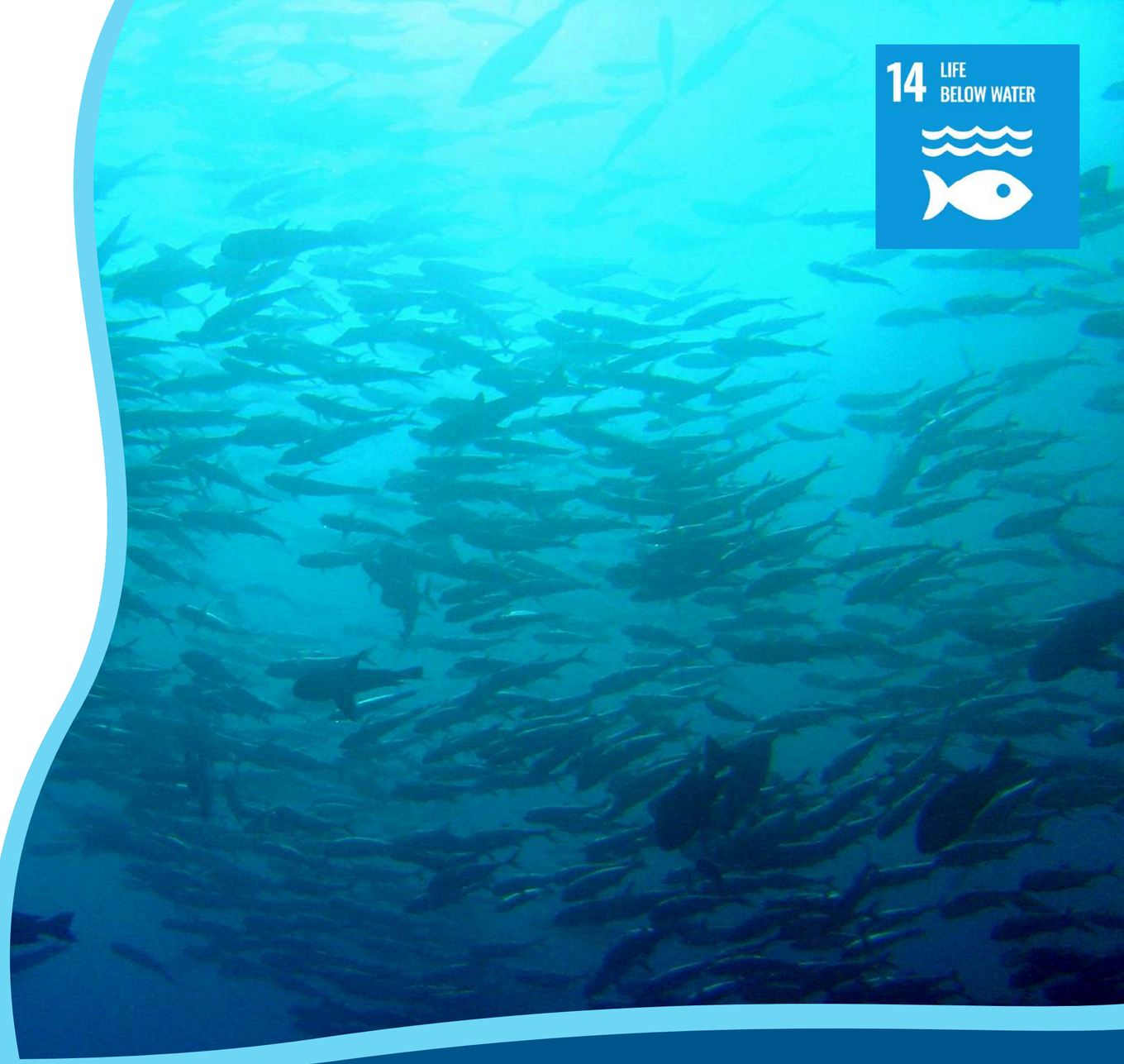
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2025

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Conserving and Sustainably Using Aquatic Ecosystems Through Research, Education and Partnerships



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Research Publications on Water and Aquatic Sustainability

Year	Publication Title	Authors	Source
2025	PUBLICATION 01 **Sustainable Transboundary Water Governance in Central Asia: Challenges, Conflicts, and Regional Cooperation**	Prniyazova A.; Turaeva S.; Turgunov D. et al.	*Sustainability (Switzerland)* Scopus

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Green Economy

Environmental Diplomacy

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2025

PUBLICATION 02

The Role of Water Resources in Geopolitical Processes in Central Asia

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Geopolitics

Basics of Diplomacy

Languages

Uzbek, Russian, English

Fresh-water Ecosystems:
Community Outreach and Water Conservation Education

Indicator

14.2.1

Fresh-water ecosystems (community outreach)



6 May 2025 · School No. 250, Yunusabad district, Tashkent



SURVEY · ~100 PUPILS

90%
gained more knowledge on environmental and water issues

70%
willing to join environmental activities

UWED students conducted an educational outreach session at School No. 250, introducing about 100 schoolchildren to responsible water use, environmental awareness and conservation practices.

Read more on uwed.uz

Contribution to SDG 14 (14.2.1)

Promotes freshwater conservation awareness and responsible water use among schoolchildren, providing evidence of community-oriented environmental education relevant to SDG 14.2.1.

Advancing Sustainable Water Management Through International Cooperation

THE Indicator *Conservation and sustainable utilisation of the oceans (events)*



Source: UWED Official News, 2025

22 October 2025 · UWED, Tashkent

Masterclass:
Management of Transboundary Water Resources

Guest Expert: Ainura Djunushalieva
Project Manager, ACTED Uzbekistan

Key Topics Discussed

- Sustainable management of shared water resources
- Modern water-volume measurement technologies
- International cooperation and water diplomacy

Contribution to SDG 14 (14.3.1)

The masterclass promoted awareness of sustainable transboundary water management and regional cooperation, providing relevant educational-event evidence for the conservation and responsible utilisation of freshwater resources.

Protecting Aquatic Ecosystems Through Water Diplomacy

THE Indicator 14.3.1 *Conservation and sustainable utilisation of the oceans (events)*

20 November 2025

Post-Aral Sea Transformation Conference

Co-organized with AFD; examined the Aral Sea crisis, biodiversity, ecosystem resilience and sustainable livelihoods, with 200+ participants.

News 1084 (uwed.uz)



Contribution to SDG 14 (14.3.1)

Through international conferences and scientific dialogue, UWED contributed to knowledge exchange on the Aral Sea crisis, freshwater ecosystem resilience and sustainable transboundary water governance in Central Asia.

Protecting Aquatic Ecosystems Through Water Diplomacy

Indicator 14.3.1: Conservation and sustainable utilisation of the oceans (events)

4 June 2025

Aral Sea Wetlands and Water Diplomacy

UWED associate professors spoke on transboundary cooperation at a UNDP/GEF Aral Sea Wetlands conference on wetlands and bird migration routes.

[News 801 (uwed.uz)]







Protecting Aquatic Ecosystems Through Water Diplomacy

Indicator 14.3.1: Conservation and sustainable utilisation of the oceans (events)

10 April 2025

Water Diplomacy in Central Asia

UWED partnered in an international conference on Amu Darya and Syr Darya water cooperation, with 100+ participants from 10+ countries.

[News 664 (uwed.uz)]



Student Innovation and Youth Engagement for Water Conservation

Supporting SDG 14.3.4 — *Student innovation, freshwater conservation and environmental engagement ·*



SDG Week 2025 · reported 1 December 2025

Innovative Student Projects for Environmental Protection

The Faculty of International Relations exhibited ideas from nearly 100 students, including technologies for environmental protection and water conservation.

News 1087 (uwed.uz)









Contribution to SDG 14 — *UWED encouraged student-led innovation in environmental protection and responsible water use, promoting practical ideas that may contribute to the sustainable management of freshwater resources.*

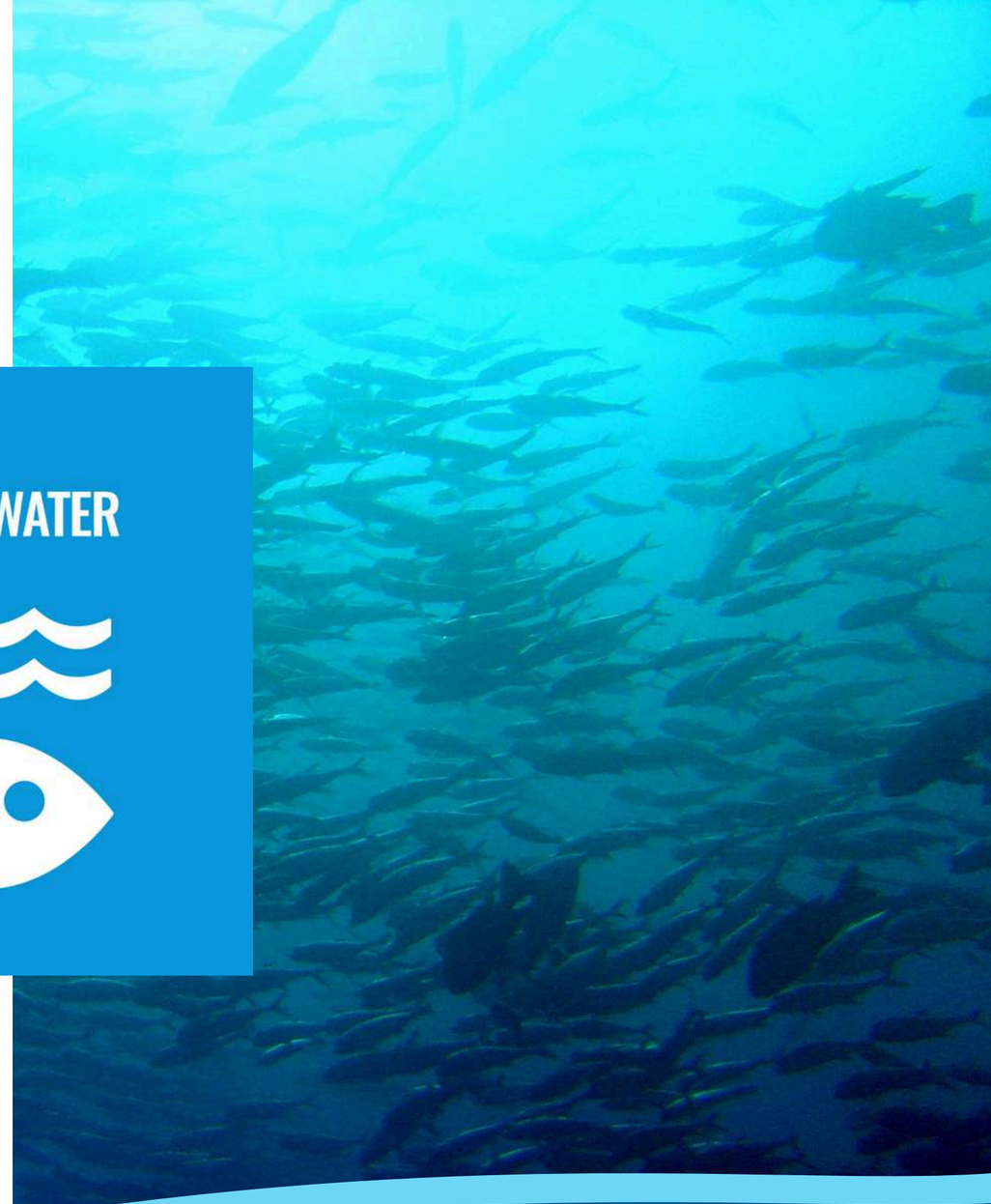
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“Protecting our waters today means preserving biodiversity, strengthening regional cooperation, and securing a sustainable future for generations to come.”



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