

UNED Costa Rica Adopts an Institutional AI Policy After Surveying 483 Faculty on Ethical Risks

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Quality score: 47/100

Evidence strength: Moderate

Summary

Costa Rica's UNED became the country's first public university to adopt an institutional AI policy, grounded in a CINED survey of 483 faculty that flagged algorithmic bias, data-privacy and over-reliance as top concerns, and stood up a standing network (RedIIA) to govern rollout.

Key dimensions

Dimension	Score
Evidence of learning impact	0/3
Equity & inclusion	0/3
Transparency, ethics & data protection	3/3
Teacher capability & pedagogy	2/3
Scalability & sustainability	2/3

Evaluated by C-NAPSE

Data sources

[C-NAPSE web research](#) — accessed 2026-08-24

[Universidad Estatal a Distancia \(UNED\) — Centro de Investigaciones en Educación \(CINED\)](#) — accessed 2026-08-24

[Infobae Costa Rica](#) — coverage of the CINED study — accessed 2026-08-24

[UNED Acontecer Digital](#) — 'UNED lidera el camino hacia una IA responsable' — accessed 2026-08-24

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