

Welcome to

Social Europe Days 2023 “We and the SDGs (Sustainable Development Goals)!”

International seminar in a blended & hybrid learning format
with students and lecturers of 10 European universities from 8 different countries!

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Program Overview

Date	Program Element	Technology / Venue
April 13, 2023 10.00am – 17.00pm	Kick-Off Day (Online, Obligatory)	Zoom
April 13 – May 14, 2023 self-selected times per IMT	<i>Collaborative Work in International Multidisciplinary Teams (IMT; Online, Obligatory)</i>	<i>Zoom & self-selected digital tools</i>
April 24, 2023 10.00am – 17.00pm	Guest Lecture Day (Online, Optional)	Zoom
April 13 – May 14, 2023 self-selected times per IMT	<i>Collaborative Work in International Multidisciplinary Teams (IMT; Online, Obligatory)</i>	<i>Zoom & self-selected digital tools</i>
May 15 - May 17, 2023 Full Days (Arrival May 14, Departure May 17)	Berlin Excursion Days (Onsite, Obligatory)	Aletto Hotel Potsdamer Platz, Berlin, Germany https://www.aletto.de/de/potsdamer-platz/

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1 General Course Description

Course Objectives: You will gain an understanding of the United Nations' Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) and its significance for all of us as world citizens. Moreover, you will acquire an understanding of the issue of sustainability within the European Union and its basic European values. In addition, you will explore the significance of the SDGs for your own professional field. Furthermore, you will gain skills and experience in international multi-disciplinary virtual collaboration.

Course Description: The United Nations' Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) provide a vision for peace and prosperity for all people in the world and our common planet. Within this course, you will collaborate virtually and on-site in multi-disciplinary and international teams. As a team you will investigate one of the SDGs in a more detailed way, develop a project idea as a good practice example from one of your professional fields and explore the significance of the SDG for you personally and in a European context.

The course is created collaboratively by 10 European Institutes of Higher Education. Participants are enrolled in programs such as social work, public administration, human resource management, management of social innovations, labor law, gender studies, or social policy.

We expect around 65-75 participants from Bremen (Germany), Groningen (The Netherlands), Hasselt (Belgium), Leuven (Belgium), Málaga (Spain), Malta, Munich (Germany), Sibiu (Romania), Tallinn (Estonia), and Zurich (Switzerland). Working language is English.

Teaching Methods: online self-study, international group work, field visits, lectures

Prerequisites: Basic command of English and interest in the UN Sustainable Development Goals. However, more important than your actual language skills are an open mindset and an active, self-starter attitude to make this international experience a success.

ECTS: vary according to study program, pls. consult with your responsible teacher

Recommended Reading:

<https://sdgs.un.org/goals>

<https://www.ifsw.org/social-work-and-the-united-nations-sustainable-development-goals-sdgs/>

<https://www.earth4all.life>

Summary PDF

https://static1.squarespace.com/static/6253f8f13c707724ac00f7c1/t/636a2fbed83ce700018ff79a/1667903427603/Earth4All_Exec_Summary_Sep2022.pdf

<https://www.belbin.com/about/belbin-team-roles> Belbin Team Roles

2 Detailed Program of Kick-off Day

ZOOM data

<https://hm-edu.zoom.us/j/92521398466?pwd=UzFjdjFYR2hyR3k4OHdkT1FOSE9mQT09>

Meeting-ID: 925 2139 8466

Passwort: 037763

Time	Agenda	Team lead
10.00 - 10.55	Warm Welcome – Introducing delegations, topic, and program	Patricia & Reeli
11.00 - 11.55	Speed Dating - Getting to know each other	Johan & Meret
12.00 - 13.00	<p>Interactive Keynote Session I</p> <p>Prof. Dr. Kromp-Kolb, Centre for Global Change and Sustainability, University of Natural Resources and Life Sciences, Vienna https://green-brands.org/en/team/helga-kromp-kolb/</p> <p>Sustainable Development Goals – why do they matter for all of us?"</p> <p><i>Abstract: The many challenges the world is facing today can only be met if we all have a common vision of the kind of world we would like have. The Agenda 2030 with the 17 Sustainable Development Goals are as close as nations have got to developing such a vision. In spite of their shortcomings, the sustainable development goals are a great help in giving orientation. The fact that they are to be achieved simultaneously opens opportunities that are not available when pursuing e.g. only the climate issue.</i></p>	Patricia

Lunch break

14.00 - 15.00	<p>Interactive Keynote Session II</p> <p>Lilith Diringer , Master Student MA Public Policy , University of Denver, USA https://www.linkedin.com/in/lilith-diringer/</p> <p>Everybody can be a changemaker – and it is fun!</p> <p><i>Abstract: In this workshop, we discover together how you as students can be involved in supporting the SDGs at your universities. Using illustrative examples, the participants understand how they can get involved and become Changemakers themselves. The interactive format of the workshop additionally gives the first taste of creative teamwork and interdisciplinary collaboration.</i></p>	Patricia
15.00 – 15.30	International Multidisciplinary Teams (IMTs) & Team Assignment	Johan & Reeli
15.30 – 16.30	Starting collaborative work in International Multidisciplinary Teams (IMTs)	Johan & Reeli
16.30 – 17.00	Open questions and Wrap Up of the Kick-off Day	Damian & Meret

Helga Kromp-Kolb is Professor Emeritus of Meteorology and Climatology at the University of Natural Resources and Applied Life Sciences and works on the dispersion of pollutants and radioactivity in the atmosphere, climate change and education for sustainable development. She lectures widely to raise awareness of the major challenges we face and has also been active in policy advocacy.

Lilith Diringer, 23, is currently studying her Master in Public Policy in order to understand the world better and get to the root causes of global problems. Additionally to her interdisciplinary academic background, she has gained a lot of hands-on experience regarding education and university transformation, being a member of the WWF Youth Council, volunteering for netzwerk n as sustainability coach, and being a Digital Changemaker at the Hochschulforum für Digitalisierung. Above that, she founded the Purpose start-up ChargeHorizons, following her vision to revolutionize the tourism industry in a sustainable way with the booking platform ChargeHolidays.

3 Program Monday April 24, 2023 Guest Lecture Day online (Zoom)

<https://padlet.com/fpmlgomez/sed-2023-april-24-program-l2gzal05722l430k>

<https://hs-bremen.zoom.us/j/63306118462>

Meeting-ID: 633 0611 8462

Password: 069303

Time	Agenda	Event Host
10.00 - 10.10	Warm Welcome – Guest Lecture Program Opening Event coordinators: Dr. Christiane Trüe, Dr. Maria Luisa Gómez Jiménez, Dr. Radu-loan Popa	Dr. Christiane Trüe Dr. Maria Luisa Gómez Jiménez, Dr. Radu-loan Popa
10.10 - 10.55	Guest Lecture 1 Dr. Marc Stauch, Leibniz University of Hanover, Germany “SDG 13 – Augmenting the GD - The Case for Tradeable Carbon Consumer Allowances” https://hs-bremen.zoom.us/j/63306118462 Meeting-ID: 633 0611 8462 Password: 069303	
11.00 - 11.45	Guest Lecture 2 Dr. Patricia Arnold, Munich University of Applied Sciences, Germany “Open Education - A Way to Realize SDG 4?” https://hs-bremen.zoom.us/j/63306118462 Meeting-ID: 633 0611 8462 Password: 069303	
11.45 - 12.15	Guest Lecture 3 Dr. Christiane Trüe, Bremen University of Applied Sciences, Germany “Legal Protection for Climate Rights in the EU” https://hs-bremen.zoom.us/j/63306118462 Meeting-ID: 633 0611 8462 Password: 069303	
12.15 - 12.45	Guest Lecture 4 Dr. Ana López Narbona, Malaga University, Spain “Sustainable Developments Goal and Discrimination” https://hs-bremen.zoom.us/j/63306118462 Meeting-ID: 633 0611 8462 Password: 069303	
12.45 - 13.30	Guest Lecture 5 Dr. Radu-loan Popa, “Lucian Blaga” University of Sibiu, Romania “Migration and Labor Force in Times of War - Adapting to a New Setting” https://hs-bremen.zoom.us/j/63306118462 Meeting-ID: 633 0611 8462 Password: 069303	
13.30 - 14.00	Lunch Break	

Time	Agenda	Event Host
14.00 - 15.30	Keynote Speaker MEP Dr. Joachim Schuster “The Reform of the Stability and Growth Pact as a Prerequisite for Transformation to Climate Neutrality” https://hs-bremen.zoom.us/j/63599669535 Meeting-ID: 635 9966 9535 Password: 029292	Dr. Christiane Trüe Dr. Maria Luisa Gómez Jiménez, Dr. Radu-Ioan Popa
15.30 – 15.40	Break	
15.40 – 16.15	Guest Lecture 6 Dr. Maria Luisa Gómez Jiménez, Malaga University, Spain “Housing Challenges in the SDG Landscape” https://hs-bremen.zoom.us/j/63306118462 Meeting-ID: 633 0611 8462 Password: 069303	
16.15 - 17.00	Keynote Speaker Dr. Guillermo Hernán Marchesi, National University of Buenos Aires, Argentina “Sustainability Challenges in the Governance in Latin America” https://hs-bremen.zoom.us/j/63306118462 Meeting-ID: 633 0611 8462 Password: 069303	
17.00	Closing Remarks and Take Away	

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4 Detailed Program of Berlin Excursion Days May 14 to May 17, 2023 – Berlin, Germany

Arrival Sunday May 14, 2023 – Informal gathering for those who arrive early at hostel.

Monday May 15, 2023 Setting the Scene & Cultural Day

Time	Agenda	Team Lead
09.00 – 10.00	Welcome & Orientation: Delegations, Topic, Program, Hostel, Berlin, Online Participants from Spain & Romania Linking individual action and system change to reach the SDGs https://climateoutreach.org/reports/linking-individual-action-system-change-climate-advocacy/#	Jeannet & Patricia
10.00 – 11.00	Keynote “The SDGs on your doorstep” , Dr. Dirk von Schneidemesser, Research Institute for Sustainability – Helmholtz Centre Potsdam (RIFS), Germany https://www.rifs-potsdam.de/en/people/dirk-von-schneidemesser#m-tab-0-curriculumvitae	Patricia
11.00 – 14.00	Interactive Activity - Getting to know Each Other incl. Self-Organized Lunch & Break	Damian / Kersti
14.00- 15.45	Working in your International Multidisciplinary Team (IMTs) – Preparing the Project Presentation I	Johan & Reeli
16.00 – 17.30	Introduction to Debate on Earth4 All & Preparation Time in Stakeholder Groups https://earth4all.life/ https://static1.squarespace.com/static/6253f8f13c707724ac00f7c1/t/636a2fbed83ce700018ff79a/1667903427603/Earth4All_Exec_Summary_Sep2022.pdf Pls. note: Stakeholder Group Info (Roles) will be distributed on-site	Meret & Patricia
18.30 – 19.30	***** DINNER at Hostel *****	
20.00 – open end	Cultural Evening <i>Bring along traditional food and beverages from your region or country (make sure those are easy to transport and don't expire on the way – we request your creativity!</i>	Damian & ALL

Tuesday May 16, 2023

Time	Agenda	Team Lead
****8.00 Breakfast at Hostel****		
9.00 – 13.00	Berlin City Program 10.00 - 12.00 Sustainability Walking City Tours (in 3 groups) https://creative-sustainability-tours-berlin.net/tours/east-spree-riverside/ id22: Institut für kreative Nachhaltigkeit / Institute for Creative Sustainability e.V.	Meret
13.00 - 14.00	*****Self-Organized Lunch in Berlin*****	
14.00 - 15.45	Working in your International Multidisciplinary Team (IMTs) – Preparing the Project Presentation II	Johan & Reeli
16.00 – 17.30	Program Highlight: Project Presentations of IMTs as Gallery Walk / Market Place	Johan & Reeli
18.00 – 19.00	*****DINNER at hostel *****	
19.30 – 21.30	Pre-Registered Group Visit to the Dome of the Reichstag Building (half-group) / other group FREE TIME https://www.bundestag.de/en/visittheBundestag/dome/registration-245686 With exhibition on parliamentary history in the dome of the Reichstag Building https://www.bundestag.de/resource/blob/480634/c1666d24783777d8859472d41dfff83d/exhibition_dome-data.pdf	Christiane

Wednesday May 17, 2023

Time	Agenda	Team Lead
****8.00 Breakfast at Hostel****		
8.45 – 10.30	Pre-Registered Group Visit to the Dome of the Reichstag Building (half-group) / other group FREE TIME https://www.bundestag.de/en/visittheBundestag/dome/registration-245686 With exhibition on parliamentary history in the dome of the Reichstag Building https://www.bundestag.de/resource/blob/480634/c1666d24783777d8859472d41dfff83d/exhibition_dome-data.pdf	Christiane
11.00 – 14.00	Preparation Time Discussion on Earth4All https://earth4all.life/ in Stakeholder Groups II *****– incl. Self-Organized Lunch***** https://static1.squarespace.com/static/6253f8f13c707724ac00f7c1/t/636a2fbed83ce700018ff79a/1667903427603/Earth4All_Exec_Summary_Sep2022.pdf	Meret & Patricia
14.00 - 15.00	Earth4All Debate - Mission Impossible or Survival for Our Planet & Humanity?	Meret & Patricia
15.15 – 16.00	Closing Ceremony <ul style="list-style-type: none"> IMT & Stakeholder Groups Debriefing Retrospective: What, So What, Now What? Fare-Well 	Jeannet & Kersti

5 Social Europe Days 2023 Netiquette for Online Meetings

To make the virtual space a stimulating and protected teaching and learning environment, the following principles are supportive:

Be on time

Log in before the meeting begins and do not keep others waiting. Make sure that your first name and surname and the name of your school are visible in the virtual room. If you are not yet familiar with the platform you are using, test access early enough.

Protect privacy

Make sure you do not share confidential information when you share the screen. Choose a neutral environment to participate in the online meeting or use a background image to avoid private glimpses through the switched-on camera.

Use a headset

Please do not use the built-in microphone of your notebook, but a headset or headphones. This will enable the other people present to understand you much better.

Activate camera

Leave your camera switched on from the beginning to the end of the event. If there are performance problems, you can deactivate the camera in between and switch it on again during discussions and requests to speak.

Active participation

Active participants bring the lesson to life and increase the learning effect. Therefore, please get actively involved.

Switch off microphone

To avoid disturbing background noise, you can switch your microphone to "mute". Only activate your microphone when you want to say something.

Raise your hand

To ask questions, make comments or share information, you can use the chat function. You can use the show of hands to make yourself heard for a request to speak.

Privacy

Your privacy is important to us. If we record the online meeting, you will be notified in writing in advance. Pls. refrain from producing any recordings yourself and sharing personal data you come to know in any of the online sessions.

Thank you!

6 Assignment for International Multidisciplinary Teams (IMT)

Guidelines for International Multidisciplinary Teams: online meetings, presentation and gallery walk in Berlin

Dear students

Welcome to the Social Europe Days 2023! At our kick-off session on April 13, you will be divided into International Multidisciplinary Teams (IMT). An IMT consists of students of different nationalities from the network partner institutions. Each IMT should develop a project idea linked to at least one of the UN's sustainable development Goals (SDG's). More information about the SDG's can be found at <https://sdgs.un.org/goals>. The outcome of IMT is a hand designed poster and a powerpoint presentation that together document the project idea in Berlin.

During the first online session, on April 13 you will build your team by getting to know each other and agree on who takes which role in the International Multidisciplinary Team (team-building). Each IMT will be assigned an academic tutor from participating universities. During the period starting from 13th of April 2023 till we all meet in Berlin you will hold a brainstorming session, followed by on-line team meetings with your IMT and possibly your academic tutor.

IMT and a tutor. The role of the IMT tutor is to support, guide and mentor the IMT's working process, but the activities, and the decisions you make during the IMT meetings are autonomous. So it is relevant to share the information and process IMT is going through with the tutor and if necessary to ask for guidance. But the role is guiding so the ideas and projects will be created by the students. If you feel left out from the group, please do not hesitate to contact your IMT tutor.

The project process. We suggest meeting the IMT at least every week to agree upon your team aim, roles in teamwork and creatively develop the project idea following UN sustainable development goals (each team will choose their own sustainability goal(s)). You should only focus on the SDGs goals which are directly related to your project aim. During the online meetings your group/team should choose an SDG project you will develop in your IMT, which should involve

- a) Pursuing at least one of the SDG's
- b) Networking between students of the universities or university colleges;
- c) and you should assess the feasibility possibilities of the project in your and all other participating countries and universities.

To find a good project you can start with exchanging good practices that already exist in your own countries and follow the SDG's¹. Relevant is to think outside of the box and create project' ideas which are innovative but still feasible to realize with universities or students' context.

Between April 14th and May 14th, you should identify a project that can be developed further and assess the feasibility in following the SDG goals and optimizing the financial and human resources. This means that within your IMT you will have to find a way to connect with each other in an online format and to work together. The Zoom room we use at April 13 will be available 24/7 for you. To use **group work skills** will be helpful which means to get to know each other, to introduce yourself to others, ...

During our stay in Berlin. Finally, you meet in Berlin from 15 to 17th of May and you will present your project on 16th of May connected to UN sustainable development goals. You will still have time to finalize your project and the possibilities to visualize the idea as a poster in combination with a powerpoint presentation. Sharing the poster and powerpoint presentation will take the form of a market place where you try to 'sell' your project to other IMT-groups. However, you must take into account that possibly not all the students of your IMT will be present in Berlin. So, in Berlin you will also have to find a digital way to involve

¹ – Another possible good source of information are the Green Offices. The Green Office Movement is a world wide organization of universities where students and staff work together and develop projects on the theme 'sustainability'. On the website www.greenofficemovement.org you can find more information about the movement. When you click on 'resources' you can find examples of SDG-projects developed within the participating universities.

the students of your IMT that are not present. On the other hand, it is important to involve all IMT students in presenting the poster in Berlin and answering the questions of other students and tutors. Beyond your own presentation in Berlin, it is relevant to be interested in and give constructive criticism to other IMTs' projects.

The poster and the powerpoint presentation. In Berlin other IMTs are waiting for your innovative ideas regarding the implementation of SDGs. We all wait to see your IMT projects made in the format of hand-designed poster and powerpoint presentation.

- **The hand-designed poster** will be prepared during the stay in Berlin. Flipchart paper and flipchart marker will be provided to you from organizers. If you need something in addition, IMT members should bring it themselves to Berlin. The poster should promote your project aim, envisaging shortly your project idea and it should stand out from other posters.
- **The Powerpoint presentation.** Each team will also present their project idea more in depth in powerpoint format. Therefore, you should bring your own computer per IMT to present the powerpoint presentation. We suggest that the powerpoint presentation should be mainly prepared during the online-meeting before the Berlin-meeting. We recommend preparing a self-running presentation². The length of one self-running presentation's cycle should be at least 7 minutes and max 10 minutes, to make the gallery walk possible for all participants.

Evaluation of the project. We recommend building your project presentation with keeping the following criteria in mind:

The content of the project idea

- The feasibility: How realistic is the idea and could it be implemented in each participating country?
- The rationality - the usage and need for resources including human resources, time and financial resources
- The innovation: What is new and original in the project idea?
- Comprehensive: How well the project is understood by others?

The presentation

- Does your idea stand out in the gallery walk?
- How you have visualised your idea as a poster and powerpoint presentation?

The group work

- How do you present the project together?
- How do you present your teamwork, group work skills and synergy in the IMT?
- How do you share the presenting and gallery walking between IMT members?

Final notes. You are cordially invited to this wonderful international professional competence sharing!

After the event will provide you with a link to an online evaluation form. If before that you have any advice for us to improve the Social Europe Days better or want to comment in any other way or want to thank anybody, feel free to send an e-mail to Jeannet (Groningen) z.davids@pl.hanze.nl and Patricia (Munich) patricia.arnold@hm.edu who presently co-ordinate our network.

Thank you in advance and have a great time at Social Europe Days 2023!

² – Instructions for self-running presentations: <https://support.microsoft.com/en-us/office/create-a-self-running-presentation-57fc41ae-f36a-4fb5-94a3-52d5bc466037#OfficeVersion=Windows>

7 IMT Groups SED 2023

IMT Group 1: Patricia Arnold (MUN) Cheylina Boi (HAS) Adriana Wyss (ZUR) Lucia Asurmendi (MUN) Natalja Schützeichel (MUN) Selena Perez Diaz (MUN) Lukas Liebel (BRE) Niklas Dwortzak (BRE) Eugenia Mădălina Zărnescu (SIB online)	IMT Group 6: Johan Vandersmissen (HAS) Maria Sargiacomo (HAS) Mireille Deguara (MALTA) Andreas Hagen (ZUR) Julia Irländer (MUN) Helena Sucker (MUN) Svetlana Skobeleva (BRE) Jasmin Omeirat (BRE) Ioana Filote (SIB online)
IMT Group 2: Christiane True (BRE) Yassmina Bouyaghjdane (HAS) Viktoria Telepina (TAL) Andrina Zimmerman (ZUR) Polina Cherkasova (MUN) Helene Schulze Buschoff (MUN) Maral Bastankhah (BRE) Julia Kiermasch (BRE)	IMT Group 7: Maria Luisa Gomez Jimenez (MAL) Tyana Segers (HAS) Josephine Tonna (MALTA) Hasret Akbayir (MUN) Lisa Kaminski (MUN) Selva Kilic (BRE) Jumana Mkalaluh (BRE) Frederik Leicht (BRE) Student 1 (MAL online)
IMT Group 3: Kersti Krisk (TAL) Jordi Diaz (HAS) Sintija Ozola (TAL) Zoe Mirjam Koch (ZUR) Hanane Elfakiri (MUN) Ayten Yilmaz (MUN) Frederike Schwarz (BRE) Nils Schuckenberger (BRE)	IMT Group 8: Meret Reiser (ZUR) Xander Vliegen (HAS) Yilmaz Sevilay (HAS) Amanda Rölli (ZUR) Jaime Lopez Garcia (MUN) Manuela Novacek (MUN) Sarah Marji (BRE) Henry Bahmann (BRE) Buse Kahaya (BRE)
IMT Group 4: Reeli Sirotkina (TAL) Julie Meers (HAS) Lisett Marmei (TAL) Luca Ljaskowski (ZUR) Shir Haski (MUN) Stefan Wittmann (MUN) Melina Bayram (BRE) Simena Elena Schiau (SIB, online)	IMT Group 9: Jeannet Davids (GRO) Yvette van der Staal (GRO) Ine Houbrechts (HAS) Anja Thijs (HAS) Naia Arrieta (MUN) Nuria Remmer (MUN) Alvaro Goforio (MUN) Fuat Yildirim (BRE) Fatih Alpay (BRE) Student 2 (MAL online)
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