

DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMICS, MANAGEMENT AND STATISTICS

GEM SILKWAY - TOWARDS ENERGY TRANSITION

BEST PRACTICES, CHALLENGES AND SPILLOVERS: A EUROPEAN PERSPECTIVE

DATES

JUL 23 – JUL 30, 2023

CREDITS

3 ECTS

TUITION

€ 350

INCLUDES ALL COURSES
ACTIVITIES AND ACCOM-
MODATION

APPLICATION DEADLINE

30 APR 2023

LOCATION

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IN COOPERATION WITH

PROGRAM DESCRIPTION

Energy transition (i.e. the replacement of the fossil energy mix by a stable decarbonized, renewable energy mix) is a huge worldwide challenge. For the EU, that leads this process, energy transition is also a categorical imperative towards energy security. Consequently, the alignment of the public policies of the EU community on these crucial issues, with the introduction of CO2 emission rates and other strict environmental regulations, is now a reality. However, in the EU and elsewhere, there are persisting differences within and among nations and regions engaged in energy transition. A more ample and profound view of the process requires new models and a wide discussion based on technical aspects together with economic, cultural, historical and socioeconomic factors.

In this moving scenario, that offers unprecedented opportunities, **GEM-SILKWAY 2023 - EASTERN EUROPE** Edition is ready to contribute to knowledge and dissemination and offers to young researchers, graduate students and professionals

- a wide panorama of the **energy policies** undertaken specifically in Western and East Europe
- the new trends in **energy production** (renewable and conventional)
- **economic and financial models** to propose for a smooth transition
- best practises in **Europe in energy transition**.

TOPICS AND STRUCTURE

ATTENDING GEM-SILKWAY EASTERN EUROPE EDITION WILL ALLOW PARTICIPANTS TO SHARE KNOWLEDGE WITH LECTURERS AND STUDENTS FROM ALL OVER EUROPE AND BEYOND. THE TOPICS ARE CONSTANTLY UPDATED TO THE CURRENT WORLD ECONOMIC ENERGY SCENARIO, WITH SPECIFIC FOCUS TO THE EU.

- WORLD ECONOMY WITH FOCUS ON ENERGY AND GREEN ENERGY SCENARIO;
- FOCUS ON EASTERN EUROPE COUNTRIES.
- THE POLICIES TO TRANSITION EUROPEAN COUNTRIES.
- ECONOMIC AND FINANCIAL MODELLING.
- SUSTAINABLE MOBILITY.

PREREQUISITES

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WEB-SITE

<http://www.summerschoolbicocca.com/23-gem-silkway.php>



DEPARTMENT OF EARTH AND ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCES

YOUNG RESEARCHER FORUM ON SUSTAINABLE BIOMASS AND CLIMATE CHANGE - SPECIAL 2ND EDITION

DATES

JUL 3 - 4, 2023

CREDITS

2 ECTS

TUITION

€ 150 FOR PARTICIPANTS TO THE
ISWFPC SYMPOSIUM / UNIMB
AND UNIVE PHD

€ 250 Post-Doc/PHD

€ 400 PROFESSIONALS/
INDUSTRIAL RESEARCHERSINCLUDES BOOK OF ABSTRACTS
AND COFFEE BREAKS.

APPLICATION DEADLINE

30 MAY 2023

LOCATION

VENICE

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The obvious changes observable in Earth's climate can be directly connected to the past 150 years of industrialisation relying on fossil sources for energy and materials.

The young researcher forum on sustainable biomass and climate change, **SusBiC**, is thought of as an opportunity to bring together especially young researchers of all the different disciplines involved in this complex issue. Also the second edition of SusBiC - the young researcher forum on sustainable biomass and climate change is thought to bring together especially young researchers of different disciplines involved in this complex issue. Realised in the context of the International Symposium On Wood, Fibre and Pulping Chemistry, SusBiC this time aims at conferring to young scientists from academia and industry the knowledge to valorise at best lignocellulosic materials.

The workshop will consist of introductory key lectures by renowned experts active in key areas of renewable biomass and biopolymer valorisation, presenting the transdisciplinary aspects that are needed for a holistic valorisation. A major aspect will lie on analytics, for analytics being the key factor for a promising, holistic valorisation.

This special edition of SusBiC will thus also provide hands-on training on analysing the complex data sets encountered in the field.

PREREQUISITES

PRIORITY WILL BE GIVEN TO POST-DOCS AND LATE-STAGE PHD STUDENTS. 50 PLACES ARE AVAILABLE IN PERSON ON 'FIRST COMES - FIRST SERVED' BASIS; 20% OF AVAILABLE PLACES WILL BE RESERVED FOR PHD STUDENTS FROM THE UNIVERSITIES OF MILANO-BICOCCA AND CA'FOSCARI VENICE. 20% ARE RESERVED FOR INDUSTRIAL RESEARCHERS.

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LOGISTICS

The event will be an in-place event: up to a maximum of 50 participants can join the lectures and trainings in person. Posters will be displayed during the entire workshop, building the base for continuous discussion and networking.

Please note: registration fee to **SusBiC** does not include transport and accommodation costs, health insurance for non-EU participants or any other eventually emerging costs.

The workshop will take place on the premises of the Ca'Foscari University of Venice at Venice-Mestre. Transport from the hotels or hostels to the venue place will have to be organised by the participants themselves.

IN COLLABORATION WITH:



Università
Ca'Foscari
Venezia



<https://summerschoolbicocca.com/23-sustainable-biomass-climate-change.php>





DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS AND LAW

SUSTAINABILITY DISCLOSURE IN CORPORATE REPORTING

IMPROVEMENT AND HARMONIZATION OF BEST PRACTICES IN THE EUROPEAN UNION

 DATES

11- 21 JUL 2023

 CREDITS

3 ECTS

 TUITION

€ 300 - LIVE PARTICIPATION

€ 150 - ONLINE PARTICIPATION

INCLUDES ALL COURSES ACTIVITIES

 APPLICATION DEADLINE

1 APR, 2023

 LOCATION

MILAN

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PROGRAM DESCRIPTION

The Fourth Edition of **SDCR Summer School** offers a unique opportunity to acquire the most up-to-date skills in regard with sustainability disclosure in corporate reporting. The program will look into how, local and global actors, take into account the needs to disclose on non financial information. The aim is to promote teaching, discussion and dissemination of information on sustainability reporting and related activities at the European level in the context of the adoption of the **Directive EU/95/2014**. The program aims to deepen participants' knowledge, understanding and building their competencies on the role and value of sustainability reporting and to give participants the possibility to grow their skill-set regarding to:

- Intercultural, financial, economic and sociological aspects of corporate **social responsibility** in the business and finance context
- Directive EU2022/2464 and new trends in the European Union
- **Climate change**: the role of economic system at local and global level
- Co-creation of viable pathways to **long-term sustainable initiatives in profit and non profit sectors**

All classes and activities will be held at their regularly scheduled date - from **July 11 to July 21, 2023** at the University of Milano-Bicocca. The full scheduled will be delivered to all enrolled students. SDCR School aims to be more than a summer school: you will have the chance to meet, compare your ideas for a **sustainable future together** with participants from different geographical and educational backgrounds.



CONTENTS COVERED

- EUROPEAN DIRECTIVE EU2022/2464
- NON FINANCIAL ACCOUNTING AND CORPORATE REPORTING
- EUROPEAN DIRECTIVE EU/95/2014
- BUSINESS VALUATION, FINANCE AND ESG ISSUES
- SUSTAINABLE CORPORATE GOVERNANCE,
- ENVIRONMENTAL SOCIAL AND EXTINCTION ACCOUNTING
- COUNTING
- SDGs AND CORPORATE REPORTING
- ESG AND FINANCIAL PERFORMANCE
- ESG AND ENTERPRISE RISK MANAGEMENT
- ESG, DIVERSITY AND INCLUSION MANAGEMENT
- VISITS TO ORGANIZATIONS AND COMPANIES ENGAGED IN CORPORATE SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY INITIATIVES

PREREQUISITES

We shall be glad to consider any background deemed for the program as reflected from the CV of the students. The school is open to Master students, PhD Students, Researchers and Practitioners.

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DUAL MODALITY

All classes and activities will be held both online (using video meetings and remote learning platforms) or live. The full scheduled will be delivered to all enrolled students.

WEB-SITE

<http://summerschoolbicocca.com/23-sustainability-disclosure.php>





DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SCIENCES FOR EDUCATION

ORGANISING CLIMATE ACTION

DATES

6 - 9 SEPTEMBER 2023

TUITION

€ 500 INCLUDES ALL COURSE
ACTIVITIES AND TEACHING MA-
TERIAL.

APPLICATION DEADLINE

15 MAY 2023

LOCATION

COMO

CONTACT

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PROGRAM DESCRIPTION

2022 was yet another year of climate extremes. As greenhouse emissions continue to rise, global temperatures reached record-breaking levels. For some time now, the climate emergency has been at the centre of public debate.

The COVID-19 pandemic only contributed to shedding light on the social roots of the current environmental crisis. Human-induced deforestation and biodiversity loss, it has been shown, are a major cause of the spread of infectious diseases and pose a serious threat to public health.

Despite all this, **political responses to climate change on a global scale have proved largely inadequate.** The transition towards an environmentally sustainable society is undercut by the drive toward endless production and resource extraction which governs our economies.

In the past few years, activists and movements worldwide have been increasingly vocal in demanding **more decisive action for environmental and social justice.** But how are we to effectively organise this demand from below?

The second edition of the Lake Como Summer School in Critical Theory of Society will gather scholars of renowned reputation to discuss these issues from different perspectives.

⋯ AIMS AND OBJECTIVES

The Summer School aims to provide students with the opportunity to gain in-depth and cutting-edge knowledge on the topic of emancipation and organisation. It will do so by inviting high-profile scholars and personalities from around the world. The main objective is to **create an international and cross-disciplinary environment of research exchange that can contribute to foster new original projects on the topic**. In addition to this, the Summer School will contribute to the following objectives:

- Expand the outreach of existing university programmes;
- Develop networking opportunities for graduate students and early-career researchers;
- Encourage the construction of an inter-university network on the topics of the Summer School.

⋯ HOW TO ENROLL

You are required to enroll through the online application form. Every program on www.summerschoolbicocca.com has an **APPLY NOW** section in order to access to the application. After receiving the selection notification, you would be required to pay the course tuition fee within a specified period. Please follow the section **Fees & Payment** on our Summer School web-site for understanding the payment options.

⋯ STUCTURE

The Summer School will extend for four days, comprising 24 hours of lectures/seminars in total. Each day will be structured into a morning session (3 hours) and an afternoon session (3 hours). The morning and afternoon sessions will be chaired by different speakers and separated by a lunch break and one or more coffee breaks in order to elicit more informal conversations.

⋯ METHOD

Four speakers will be invited to run a 6-hour seminar each. Each seminar will be divided into two sessions (consisting of a 2-hour lecture and of a 1-hour discussion).

🎓 PREREQUISITES

PhD students and early career researchers. People from different research fields are welcome. Gender balance will be taken into account.

🌐 WEB-SITE

<https://summerschoolbicocca.com/23-organising-climate-action.php>



DEPARTMENT OF SOCIOLOGY AND SOCIAL SCIENCES

GEM - SILKWAY • CENTRAL ASIA EDITION

ENERGIES AT THE CROSSROAD EUROPEAN AND EURASIAN COUNTRIES IN DIALOGUE

DATES

JUNE 26 - 30, 2023

CREDITS

3 ECTS

TUITION

€ 300**INCLUDES ALL COURSES ACTIVITIES, ACCOMMODATION, MEALS AND COFFEE BREAKS**

APPLICATION DEADLINE

30 APR 2023

LOCATION

EURASIAN NATIONAL UNIVERSITY NUR-SULTAN KAZAKHSTAN.

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PROGRAM DESCRIPTION

The GEM (Green Energy Management)-SILKWAY (the former GEM) 2023 Summer school is at its 10th year. GEM- SILKWAY is an International project, now involving more than 17 partners all over the world.

In process of energy transition, reflections on issues of public concern that affect cultures and societies at the global level are needed. The aim of GEM-SILKWAY CENTRA ASIA is to adopt a cross-cultural perspective in analysing the meaning of concepts like sustainability and human development.

Energy transition has become a hot issue, which is debated at the global level from different perspectives, that is from geographic, cultural, scientific, social, economic, and technological ones. The Summer School is thus aimed at bringing together experts in different fields - such as academics, professionals, and institutional representatives - with the interest in opening a productive interdisciplinary and intercultural dialogue on questions of common concern. In particular, the Summer School will be focused on the transformation of geopolitics in relation to energy crises, starting from the ongoing changes occurred in Central Asian area. Students will thus benefit of lectures, debates with international scholars and students, cultural activities, and visits in place of interest.

Representatives of Italian industries operating in Central Asia and Kazakhstan's energy companies (KAZENERGY, KazMunayGas) will participate, giving their contribution to the discussion.

TOPICS COVERED

- A WIDE PANORAMA OF THE ENERGY POLICIES UNDERTAKEN SPECIFICALLY IN CENTRAL ASIA AND EUROPE.
- THE NEW TRENDS IN ENERGY PRODUCTION (RENEWABLE AND CONVENTIONAL),
- THE FUTURE OF NUCLEAR POWER PLANT
- CHALLENGES OF ENERGY POVERTY

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PREREQUISITES & SCHOLARSHIPS

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IN COOPERATION WITH



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WEB-SITE

<http://www.summerschoolbicocca.com/23-gem-centralasia.php>

