

Gaia Education and the 'UNESCO Global Action Programme on Education for Sustainable Development' in collaboration with Smart UIB's 'International Programme in Innovation, Sustainability and Design' present:

Achieving the Global Goals - One Community at a Time



Tuesday, the 24th of January, 9am to 6:30pm
Edificio Sa Riera, UIB, Palma de Mallorca

We invite you to join the vitally important conversation about how to accelerate the implementation of the United Nations' 17 Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) at the local and regional scale in ways that are carefully adapted to the bio-cultural uniqueness of your community and the Balearic Islands.

The 'SDG Community Implementation Flash Cards' contain more than 200 questions structured into the four dimensions of Gaia Education's whole systems approach to sustainability (social, ecological, economic and worldview).

Participants will explore these four dimensions of each of the 17 SDGs in question-focused small group conversations aimed at collaboratively identifying actions and strategies that will support implementation of the Global Goals. Your contributions will help to create local community ownership of the SDGs and ensure that implementation is done in ways that are sensitive to your local culture and ecosystems.



Key Partner

UNESCO Global Action Programme on
Education for Sustainable Development



The Purpose of the Training of Multipliers is twofold:

- to initiate community focused conversations on local SDG implementation;
- to train people to become multipliers of such conversations.

Methodology

The highly interactive and participatory training engages participants in progressive conversations about the local relevance of the SDGs - based on a set of SDG Community Implementation Flashcards designed to help structure small group dialogues.

By exploring the four dimensions of sustainability (social, ecological, economic and worldview) of each of the 17 SDGs in question-focused small group conversations, participants will collaborate in developing ideas and strategies for local and regional SDG implementation through a series of demonstration projects.

The flash card based facilitation process will enable participants to replicate these community conversations about the SDGs in their government department, at the university, in schools, businesses, and community groups around the islands.



Learning Outcomes

During the day-long course participants will be able to:

- acquire a multi-dimensional perspective on all 17 Sustainable Development Goals and their 169 targets;
- prioritise a number of goals that are particularly important for their community;
- participate in a series of small group conversations to identify policies, projects and resources that could support SDGs implementation;
- explain the wider context of the UN sustainable development process and its history leading up to the creation of the SDGs;
- work with like-minded people in your community who are also willing to collaborate on local SDG implementation projects;
- sketch out strategies of how to mobilise local stakeholders around a feasible projects; and
- practice to become an active multiplier of conversations that matter to your community.

Who is this course for

Sustainability is not an end point in a journey. It is a community centred process of learning how to live sustainably and regeneratively in a particular locality with its ecological and cultural uniqueness.

Everyone in that place can take the leadership to start or participate in culturally creative conversations about how to collaboratively create specific projects aimed at implementing priority SDGs in their community.

If you want to take part in or facilitate such conversations where you live or work, this course is for you.

This is a workshop about how humanity's Global Goals (SDGs) are relevant to Mallorca and the Balearic Islands, and to identify local priorities and paths towards implementation. Join us!



Date and agenda

Tuesday, the 24th of January

9:00 to 9:30 Arrival and registration.

9:30 to 11:30 Introduction of United Nations Sustainable Development Agenda and getting to know the SDGs.

11:30 Coffee break.

12:00 to 14:00 Exploring the local relevance of the SDGs and identifying priorities for implementation.

14:00 Lunch break.

15:30 to 17:00 Working systemically with priority SDGs.

17:00 Brief Break

17:15 to 18:30 Creating multi-stakeholder partnerships for local SDG implementation.

Location

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Please click [here](#) to know how to get there.

Cost 75 euros.

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Language

The course will be conducted in English

Registration

Please click [here](#) to register with the FUEIB for this workshop.

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Presenters Biographies

May East, MSc.

May is a sustainability practitioner, educator and designer. Based at the UN Habitat Best Practice Designation, Findhorn Ecovillage, since 1992, May has been leading a whole generation of sustainability educators delivering capacity building activities in 41 countries in the most different stages of development and in both urban and rural contexts.

Awarded one of the 100 Global Sustainability Leaders three years in a row, she currently serves as Gaia Education Chief Executive and UNITAR Fellow. An accomplished facilitator of international think-tanks, roundtables and training programmes May is an inspirational teacher for many. With a cross-cultural experience in both Global North and South she has specialised in working with intergovernmental agencies, educational institutions and the United Nations in the creation of policy guidelines for sustainable development. She has a diploma in Climate Change Diplomacy and an MSc in Spatial Planning.



Dr. Daniel Christian Wahl

Daniel is an international consultant and educator specialized in biologically inspired whole systems design and transformative innovation. He is a biologist (University of Edinburgh & University of California), holds an MSc in Holistic Science (Schumacher College) and a PhD in Design (CSND, University of Dundee, 2006). Daniel has worked with local and national governments on foresight and futures, facilitated seminars on sustainable development for the UNITAR affiliated training centre CIFAL Scotland, consulted companies like Camper, Ecover and Lush on sustainable innovation, and has co-authored and taught sustainability training courses for Gaia Education, LEAD International, and various universities and design schools. He is a member of the International Futures Forum, a fellow of the Royal Society of the Arts (FRSA), and co-founder of Biomimicry Iberia. Daniel currently works for Gaia Education and the SMART UIB project of the Universidad de las Islas Baleares. Triarchy Press published his first book on Designing Regenerative Cultures in 2016.

