

Lake Garda Sustainability Retreat:

Be a Sustainable Change Maker: Transform, Connect, Thrive!

General Information:				
Date 	3-5 September 2024			
Teaching	8			
units (90				
mins)				
Location	Arco, Lake Garda			
Country	Italy			
Price	649			
VAT	not included: + 22%			
Minimum	5			
Number of				
Participants				
Accomodation	not included / self organised			
Your trainer	DrIng. Christian Baron			



Course Description

Join our sustainability retreat at beautiful Lake Garda! This unique experience focuses on understanding systems, systemic change, and a comprehensive approach to sustainability. We aim to foster European connections and drive sustainability initiatives, especially in academic institutions.

The program covers environmental, social, and economic sustainability through interactive activities. Together, we'll identify sustainability issues and develop practical solutions for positive change. Enjoy Lake Garda's stunning landscapes, mindfulness activities, and raise your environmental awareness.

As an Erasmus program promoting international exchange, we recommend using sustainable travel options like trains to access Lake Garda from across Europe. Let's embrace sustainable practices throughout your journey.



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Overall objectives of the mobility	 () Utilising European synergies, cooperation and sustainable practices to address sustainability challenges and create solutions. () Understanding the interaction of different sustainability aspects and gaining a holistic view in all dimensions specialized for members from academic institutions. () Transfer and strategies for individual projects and own sustainable actions by promoting collective commitment to sustainable practices. 		
Added Value of the mobility (in	() Global Perspective on Sustainability: Broadens		
the context of modernisation and	participants' understanding of global		
internationalisation of the sending	sustainability challenges and solutions,		
institution	preparing them to address these issues within a		
institution	diverse, international context.		
	() Capacity Building: Empowers academic		
	institutions to develop and implement effective		
	sustainability strategies, enhancing their ability		
	to lead and influence in the field of		
	sustainability.		
	() Knowledge and Skill Transfer: Facilitates the		
	exchange of best practices and innovative		
	approaches to sustainability, enriching the		
	curriculum and research capacities of		
	participating institutions.		



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Activities to be carried out	Highly interactive application-oriented training, utilising game-based approaches, concrete group exercises and working on your own questions and examples. Methods used are: () Concrete exercises () Working in pairs and small groups. () Game-based elements () Blended Learning approach
Expected impact and outcome	After the course you will be able to convey: () A holistic understanding of sustainability () Promote sustainability action and mindfulness () Promote environmental stewardship and encourage active environmental care
Target group	Scientists, doctoral candidates, (sustainability) project leaders, emerging leaders, sustainability advocates

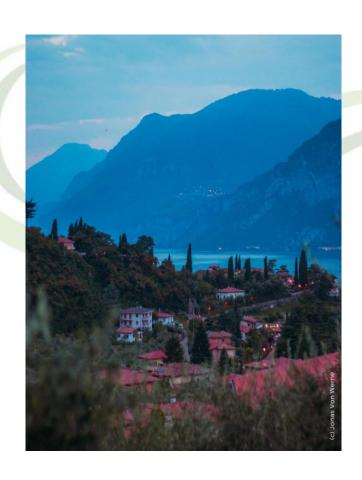


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Your Destination

Visit and explore the stunning region of Arco Lake Garda! Nestled in northern Italy, Arco offers breathtaking landscapes, a rich history, and a vibrant community. Known for its outdoor activities, the area is a paradise for hikers, cyclists, and nature enthusiasts. Experience the peaceful atmosphere of this charming town, characterized by its historic architecture, lush green spaces, and the crystal-clear waters of Lake Garda. Arco also provides easy access to nearby cultural and historical sites, making it an ideal destination for both relaxation and adventure.





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Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
09.00-12.30	09.00-12.30	09.00-12.30	09.00-12.30	09.00-12.30
-	() Welcome! Determining	() Immersive, hands-on	() Group work on your own	-
	own sustainablity learning	activity combining teamwork	projects such as:	
	goals	and fun.	sustainability strategy,	
	() Sustainability basics		planning, eco-design, circular	
			economy, sustainablity	
			actions, behaviour change,	
			user-centricity, green	
			communication	
12.30-13.30	12.30-13.30	12.30-13.30	12.30-13.30	12.30-13.30
Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch
13.30-15.00	13.30-15.00	13.30-15.00	13.30-15.00	13.30-15.00
-	() Group work on your own	() Immersive, hands-on	() Mindfulness, reflexion,	-
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