SUMMER SCHOOL FOR SUSTAINABILITY

The University of Gothenburg Summer School for Sustainability is a chance to take action! Deepen your understanding of global challenges and the UN Sustainable Development Goals by joining an international cohort of like-minded people for five inspirational summer weeks from July 4th to August 7th. Welcome to the beautiful city of Gothenburg!

Courses

Choose one of five courses in the areas of education, politics, IT, biology or archaeology to deepen your understanding of contemporary sustainability challenges and possibilities.

Courses combine workshops and seminars and will give you 7,5 credits (ECTS) to include in your diploma.

Read more about the courses on our web

Activities

Outside of the classroom we will have a range of activities planned for you and your classmates.

Aside from interdisciplinary seminars and practical workshops, we’ll get together in design jams and language cafés, tour Gothenburg and go on excursions in the archipelago to let you get to know Gothenburg and Sweden a bit better.

At the helm of these activities will be our eminent student ambassadors who will help guide you through the programme.

Application

To be eligible to apply, you need to be enrolled in and have successfully completed at least one semester at your home university. English proficiency level B2 is expected, though no formal test is required.

Students who are nominated by their home universities will receive a link to the online application. Contact your home university international coordinator to learn how to be nominated for a spot!

Learn more on our web

Accommodation & Location

Accommodation is guaranteed in one of our centrally located student housing complexes. Prices range between £350 - £500.

Gothenburg is a thriving innovations- and cultural hub on the west coast of Sweden, that shines brightly in the warm summer months when the sun never seems to set.

Enjoy social life and urban culture as well as beautiful and accessible nature – all in the same place. Take a swim in the sea, sample the local seafood- or vegetarian cuisine, and discover the picturesque island archipelago where bike is the only way to get around!

Tuition fee?

Nope! If you are nominated by one of our partner universities the tuition fee is waived and you only pay for travel, accommodation and expenses. Not bad, right?

Deadlines

You need to be nominated by your home university at the latest by March 31st, and have submitted your online application on April 10th.

More on our website

Welcome to Gothenburg!