

Dear all,

We are glad to introduce this information email that will be sent monthly in order to foster connection between the different bodies of the WP3. Any suggestion for the content of this information tool is welcome, you can directly reply to this email. You're welcome to forward this email to anyone who would benefit from it!

This first edition focuses on the first call of seed funding application. We want to congratulate and thank all of you for your investment in this first EU GREEN call and the huge work that has been done by all of you. You can see the summary of the pre-selected project on the WP3 website. The definite answers on the selected projects will be made by the JRC before December 30th.

The selections for the Researcher Mobility Program are made internally by your local referents. It did not meet the same success as the researcher mobility program. As a reminder, it is planned that each university will finance up to 10 mobilities this year. The next call will be launched on the 1st of March 2024.

As the first year of our alliance comes to an end, we want to think ahead, which is why you can find at the end of this email a feedback survey that will allow WP3 to assess the achievements of the past year, and to approach 2024 with a global vision.

## CLUSTER 1

6 seed projects took roots in Cluster 1 before internal selection (in bold the ones that have been selected internally):

- MHUS\_Mental Health of University Students: associated factors between countries
- NEHCP\_Nutrition Education for HealthCare Professionals
- TAILEXER\_Prescription of tailored physical exercise from the integration of OMIC, clinical and lifestyle data to prevent cardiovascular diseases
- Eating disorders among elderly people in residential care
- Personnalized medecine & nanomedecine for lung cancer through of miRNA identification as markers of response to treatment
- Plant bioactive compounds against critical pathogenic yeasts



3 seed projects took roots in Cluster 2:

- CDF+ \_Circular Dairy Farming Plus
- AGRIBIOPEP\_Bioactive peptides recovery from agrifood industry waste
- BIOCOWRNA\_New screening approach to prevent and reduce drug use in dairy cows based on colorimetric gene-sensing platform microRNAs assay

#### CLUSTER 3

5 seed projects took roots in Cluster 1 before internal selection (in bold the ones that have been selected internally):

- PhotoXanDyC\_Development of Photoelectrodes Based on Xanthene Dyes and Carbon Nanostructures for Hydrogen Production
- CHAIN2SUSTAIN\_ Collaborative Human AI Decision-Making for Sustainability
- <u>- ECO-MINE: Environmental Characterisation of Abandoned Mines: A Comprehensive Approach for Sustainable Remediation</u>
- SUABE\_Sustainability and AI-Based Education
- REMWA\_Removal of Heavy Metals from Water with Sulfur-containing Heterocycles

#### CLUSTER 4

4 seed projects took roots in Cluster 4 before internal selection:

- MOTEA\_MODEL OF TOURISM FOR ENGAGEMENT ADOPTION
- NOTES\_The Net-Zero challenge for tourism educators
- MORE-residents\_The European resident's satisfaction project
- FOOD\_Enhancing the Local Heritage through Sustainable Tourism and Communication

### CLUSTER 5

3 seed projects took roots in Cluster 5 :

- BASE: Baseline Assessment of Sustainability related Educational practices and perceptions of the academic and research staff across EU Green
- ROAD2SSE\_Role of affective domain in sustainable science education
- RCD\_Empower\_Digital citizenship, digital competence and sustainable education for the empowerment of young people in rural environments



3 seed projects took roots in Cluster 6:

- <u>- EUFoodHabits: European consumers' preferences and attitudes towards plant-based products</u> <u>designed to replace animal-based products</u>
- INVAGREEN: Ecology and management of invasive species in the EUGREEN research network
- PROVES: Promoting evidence-based solutions for biodiversity and ecosystem services delivery



The JRC will meet on December 7th to select the seed funding projects. As a reminder, only 9 projects will be funded this year, a new call will be launched next year.



You will find below some interesting calls that fit the scope of the EU GREEN alliance.

- The French Research Agency is launching two calls to develop collaborations in research between Eastern and central European labs and French labs, they might interest some of you as they propose cofunding for events that will take place in 2024. They are called PARCECO2024 and ACCES2024.

PARCECO 2024 [#conference #mobility #summerschool] The relevant countries are France, Poland, Romania.The funding must be used for French researchers mobility towards another country. Deadline: 11/12/2023

ACCES 2024 [#conference #mobility #summerschool] The relevant countries are France, Poland, Romania. The funding must be used for mobility towards France. Deadline: 11/12/2023

Make our planet great again: the call MOGPA 2024 is open [#visiting fellowship program #early career international researchers #climate change #environment] Deadline: 09/01/2024

Next meeting of the taskforce: 18/12/2023



This new body of WP3 that gathers representatives of each university's doctoral schools has held its first meeting jointly with the JRC on November 20th. The members were explained the structure of EU GREEN by the leaders of WP3 and WP2, and were introduced to the different goals of their instance.

# WHAT ELSE?

You can give us feedback regarding this past year's work by filling in this survey before the 30th of January 2024.

Mark the date! The 2nd Edition of the Research Week will take place from June 17th to 19th 2024 in ATU. All members of the WP3 will meet in the Sligo campus. Suggestions for the agenda are welcome.



This month's researcher is Karina Becker from Otto von Guerick Magdeburg. Her research focuses on 1) diversity-oriented, racism-sensitive and dominance-critical didactics in the field of German literature and language, 2) sustainability in teaching and learning at university,3) attitudes of (prospective) teachers towards various dimensions of diversity (interculturality, multilingualism, religion, gender) from an intersectional perspective.

#### Recent publications:

Becker, Karina; Hofmann, Michael (ed.): Rassismussensibler Literaturunterricht - Grundlagen, Dimensionen, Herausforderungen, Möglichkeiten (Racism-sensitive literature teaching - basics, dimensions, challenges, possibilities). Würzburg: Königshausen & Neumann, 2023. Open Access: https://verlag.koenigshausenneumann.de/product/9783826077852-rassismussensibler-literaturunterricht/

Becker, Karina; Kofer, Martina (ed.): Berufsbildender Deutschunterricht im Kontext von Migration und Einwanderung (Vocational German lessons in the context of migration and immigration). Münster: Waxmann 2023. Open Access: https://www.waxmann.com/waxmann-reihen/waxmannreihe-didaktik/?tx\_p2waxmann\_pi2%5Breihe%5D=REI100339&tx\_p2waxmann\_pi2%5Baction%5D=show&tx\_p2waxmann\_pi2%5Bcontroller%5D=Reihe&cHash=d881a33b31a6da2e1badac51b64291b5

One of her recent project is Second Language Learning for Teenagers at Schools (SLL4Teens) (Erasmus+, 11/2023-10/2026) https://eugreenalliance.eu/the-role-of-neurolinguistics-in-foreign-language-learning/. Partners: Angers/Nantes, Parma, Extremadura

If you would like to introduce someone from your university, please reply to this email.

Thanks for reading.

Best regards, WP3 Team