

OpenEU International Summer School

“Learning and Innovation for Resilience in Sustainability”

28.-30. August 2026 | Den Haag, Netherlands

Time	Room 1 (3C.12) (Sessions recorded)	Room 2 (3C.18)	Room 3 (3C.10)	
Friday, 28. August				
9.15- 10.00	Registrations & Inloop			
10:00- 10:30	Opening Speech: “Multidisciplinary research and the quest for resilience and sustainability” Speaker: Petru Curșeu			
10:30-10:45	Practical Information Summer School Speaker: Organizing team			
10:45-11:45	Succesfully Managing the Publishing Process Speaker: Marjolein Caniëls	Effectively Designing Your Research Poster Speaker: Leonie Pethö- Schramm		

11:45- 12:00	Break			
12:00-12:15	Intro & Procedure PhD Presentations			
12:15-13:00	Track 1a: Media discourse and social change	Track 1b: Coping with Neurodiversity & Trauma	Track 1c (online): Skills, Mentoring and Employability	
13:00 - 14:30	Group photo + Lunch Break + Social Activity			
14:30- 15:15	Statistical Methods in Educational & Humanities Research Speaker: Katerina Doncheva	Learning From Others: Research ‘Bloopers’ & Fails Panel Discussion		
15:30-16:00		Group 1 following Panel discussion (incl. wrap-up)	Group 2	
16:00-16:15	Wrap-Up First Day			
Saturday, 29. August				
9:30- 10:00	Walk-In & Coffee			
10:00-11:15	“Managing & Responding to Reviewers” Speaker: Petru Curșeu	“Career Resilience for Doctoral Researchers in a Shifting Labour Market” Speaker: Mitchell Peters	“Science Communication” Speaker: Ivonne Lipsch-Wijnen	
11:15-11:00	Break			

11:30-13:00	Track 2a: Resilience & Inclusion in Higher Education and Workforce Development	Track 2b: Sustainable and Resilient Health Systems	Track 2c (online): Educational Capacity and Professional Learning	
13:00-14:00	Lunch Break			
14:00-14:45	Navigating Challenges in a PhD Journey & the Value of Multidisciplinary Research Speaker: Petru Curșeu	Using AI Effectively & Responsibly in Research Speaker: Bea Waelbers		
14:45-15:00	Break			
15:00-16:00	Track 3a: Blockchain, Fintech & AI Governance	Track 3b: Culture, Identity and Social Change		
16:00-16:15	Wrap-Up Second Day (Information Social Activity & Dinner)			
Around 19:00	Summer School Dinner at Foodhallen Den Haag <i>Haagsche Bluf 40, 2511 CN Den Haag, Netherlands</i>			
Sunday, 30. August				
09:30-10:00	Walk-In & Coffee			
10:00-11:00	Track 4a: Immersive & AI-enhanced learning innovations	Track 4b: Resilience in Seismic & Structural Engineering		
11:00-11:15	Break			

11:15-12:45	Track 5a: AI, Robotics & Cybersecurity Applications	Track 5b (Online): Governance, Justice and Societal Resilience		
12:45-13:45	Lunch Break			
13:45 -14:45	Track 6a: Sustainable Cultural Heritage and Resilience	Track 6b (online): Digital and Immersive Learning Innovation		
14:45-15:00	Closing & Announcement next Winter School			

Note: Microsoft Teams links for online participants will be made available via the OpenEU portal.