





Olena Vrublevska

has successfully completed the course:

The Baltic University Programme Teachers' Course on Education for Sustainable Development (ESD) in Higher Education (11.9.2023–19.3.2024)

The 6-month course corresponds to 5 ECTS credit points (133 hours) at the Centre for Lifelong Learning, Åbo Akademi University, Finland.

Aim: to support university teachers to integrate Education for Sustainable Development (ESD) into their teaching and courses/programmes, to strengthen the implementation of the United Nations Sustainable Development Goals.

The course was an international learning environment with participants from 8 countries representing different disciplines and subjects. Different learning methods were introduced with focus on e-learning, peer learning and workshops. As a learning outcome, each participant planned and developed a change project to improve the integration of ESD in their current or future work. The change projects were supported by peer reviews via Moodle and during the workshops.

The BUP Course on ESD consists of the following parts:

- E-learning: Introduction of Sustainability and Climate Change (Moodle). Planning of the change project.
- Workshop (1): SD issues and ESD methodology. September 27–30 2023 at Riga Technical University, Latvia.
- Work with the change project in special interest groups. Documentation and communication via Moodle.
- Workshop (2): Critical reflection taking the Change Project forward. March 18– 19, 2024 at SGH Warsaw School of Economics, Poland.

The course was arranged by BUP associate Secretariat, National BUP Centre, at Centre for Lifelong Learning, Åbo Akademi University, Finland.

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