

# European University Networks (EUN)

## National Initiative

Partner Institutions



## Vision of ENLIGHT

ENLIGHT connects about 300,000 learners who study at nine research-intensive, renowned comprehensive universities. ENLIGHT seeks to contribute to a fundamental transformation of European higher education by empowering learners to become globally engaged citizens and professionals who address the major societal challenges of our time.

In research, innovation to promote sustainability and equitable quality of life will be established and strengthened. Five thematic focus areas are at the centre of the activities:

climate change, health and well-being, equity, digital revolution, and energy and circularity. On the basis of these focus areas, students work closely with researchers and faculty as well as citizens and experts from their region.

To achieve close collaboration between the local and European level, ENLIGHT aims to improve digital infrastructures and learning opportunities by developing the ENLIGHT Interconnected Campus as well as to increase mobility within the network, with a special focus on inclusiveness and sustainability.



German Higher Education Institution  
**University of Göttingen**



Network  
**ENLIGHT**

European University Network to promote Equitable Quality of Life, Sustainability, and Global Engagement through Higher Education Transformation

Cities and regions • Global engagement • Health and wellbeing • Digitalisation • Climate change • Energy and circularity • Equity • Digital campus • Inclusive and climate-friendly mobility

ACCOMPANYING NATIONAL PROGRAMME

## Priorities and Project Activities

- **Building joint structures:** Continuing structural coalescence by developing joint structures that will be firmly rooted at the partner universities (e.g. Joint master's degrees) as well as by connecting existing structures (e.g. cooperation of Green Offices)
- **Transformation of Learning and Teaching:** Promoting the development of subject-related and transversal competences through short-term mobility (e.g. summer schools), flexible mobility windows or virtual exchange modules
- **Innovative research cooperation:** Strengthening linking of researchers, especially young scientists, with the help of match-making events in order to induce innovative cooperation. A special focus lies on projects in the fields of sustainable development
- **Cross-linking with the region:** Enhancement of the societal relevance of the universities by fostering cooperation with local actors for the implementation of high-visibility formats and third mission events

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