

European University Networks (EUN)

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Vision of Circle U.

Circle U. is a research-intensive, interdisciplinary alliance working to provide outstanding education, research and innovation to contribute to more sustainable, democratic and healthier societies. Each university plays a key role in the national and regional higher education and research landscapes. Circle U. students, researchers, and staff, and the network of partners from civil society, businesses and the public sector jointly develop competencies, skills, knowledge, and initiatives to tackle global challenges and reinforce our academic and scientific cooperation.

The alliance consists of universities from European countries within and outside the EU, shaping a multifaceted identity rooted in the same European values. Circle U. is committed to inclusivity, providing equal opportunities for our diverse student and academic communities. We value diversity, promoting dialogue and a plurality of views and approaches. Students, researchers, staff and non-academic partners all play a crucial role in the process of shaping Circle U. The alliance is built on academic freedom, integrity, responsibility and sustainability.

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Open Campus • Knowledge Hubs • Climate & Sustainability • Global Health • Democracy • Teaching Innovation • Multilingualism • Entrepreneurship

ACCOMPANYING NATIONAL PROGRAMME

Priorities and Project Activities

- With the national EUN-Programme Humboldt4Europe, Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin will support the development and implementation of **innovative teaching** formats.
- Young academics will design co-operative and virtual teaching modules with their counterparts within the alliance.
- One core element will be the design of **COIL** courses.
- **Climate and sustainability** will be a thematic focus, in accordance to one of the Circle U. priorities.
- Students and academics of the alliance will learn and teach in joint workshops in blended format.
- The COIL courses and, in addition, workshops for staff, will support **digital competences** and **multilingualism**.

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