

When the stakes are high: Water Engineering and Global Diplomacy for Sustainable Cities

Decentralized Sanitation, Recycling and Zero-waste concepts Summer School

18-28 June 2019 | Piran, Slovenia

Draft Program

18 June
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Arrival • Social event
19 June
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Global water challenges and the need for transformational change • Youth and their engagement in decision-making processes for water • Towards Circular water management • Introduction to Problem based learning
20 June
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • New generation of engineering: ecological engineering • A promising Integrated Urban Water Management approach • Developing innovative solutions cities of the future • Group work kick-off
21 June
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Field trip: Constructed wetlands / Salt pans / Sanbox / Dragonja river • Developing solutions and overcoming barriers in applying circular water solutions (group work)
22 June
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The benefits of the interdisciplinary approach in water management – COST Action Circular City • Overcoming barriers in applying circular water solutions (group work)
23 June
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Introduction into Project management • Developing solutions and overcoming barriers in applying circular water solutions (group work)
24 June
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Group work presentations (interim results) • Water infrastructure in coastal Slovenia; from drinking water to various end products • Demo site of green technologies – field trip
25 June
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Stakeholder analysis and engagement: bridging science, policy and youth • Towards sustainable resorts for next generation travelers (group work)
26 June
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Non-Conventional Water Resources • Karst geology and hydrology – excursion to Škocjan Cave
27 June

- Management of climate extremes in Central and Eastern Europe
- Towards sustainable resorts for next generation travelers (group work)
- Social event

28 June

- Towards sustainable resorts for next generation travelers - Final presentations and a Stakeholder dialogue
- Sum-up and evaluation
- Departure