When the stakes are high: Water Engineering and Global Diplomacy for Sustainable Cities
Decentralized Sanitation, Recycling and Zero-waste concepts Summer School

Program

Dates: **18 – 28 June**

Venue: **Marine Biology Institute, Piran, Slovenia**

Day 1	18 June, Tuesday
	Arrivals
19:00	**Social event**
Day 2	**19 June, Wednesday**
9:00	**Introduction to Summer School**
9:45	**Introduction to International Water Governance,** *Dr. Joshua Newton, Global Water Partnership*
10:30	Break
11:00	**Towards Circular Water Management – COST Acion,** *Dr Natasa Atanasova, University of Ljubljana*
12:30	Lunch
13:30	**Water and jobs,** *Dr. Joshua Newton, Global Water Partnership*
14:15	**Introduction to Problem based learning**, *Devi Buehler, Zurich University of Applied Sciences*
15:30	Break
15:00	**Inspection Tour with tutors**
19:00	Joint dinner

Day 3	20 June, Thursday
9:00	**New generation of engineering: Ecological Engineering,** *Andreas Schönborn, Zurich University of Applied Sciences*
10:30	Break
11:00	**Stakeholder Engagement and Public Participation,** *Ivan Zavadsky, International Commission for Protection of the Danube River (ICPDR)*
11:45	*Stakeholder engagement interactive activity*
12:30	Lunch
13:15	**Developing innovative solutions for cities of the future,** *Dr Natasa Atanasova, University of Ljubljana*
15:00	Break
15:30	*Group work kick-off*
17:30	End of the day
Day 4	21 June, Friday
9:00	**Field trip: Dragonja / Constructed wetlands / Salt pans**
15:30	Developing solutions and overcoming barriers in applying circular water solutions (group work)
17:30	End of the day
Day 5	22 June, Saturday
9:00	**Global water challenges and the need for innovation and transformational change,** *Dr. Monika Weber-Fahr, Global Water Partnership*
9:45	*Interactive activity*
10:30	Break
11:00	Group work: Developing solutions and overcoming barriers in applying circular water solutions
12:30	Lunch
14:00	Group work: Developing solutions and overcoming barriers in applying circular water solutions
15:30	Break
16:00	Group work: Developing solutions and overcoming barriers in applying circular water solutions
17:30	End of the day

Day 6	23 June, Sunday
9:00	**Introduction into project management,** *Sabina Bokal, Global Water Partnership Central and Eastern Europe*
9:45	*Project management hands-on activity*
10:30	Break
11:00	*Project management hands-on activity*
12:30	Lunch
14:00	Group work: Developing solutions and overcoming barriers in applying circular water solutions
15:30	Break
16:00	Group work: Developing solutions and overcoming barriers in applying circular water solutions
17:30	End of the day
Day 7	**24 June, Monday**
9:00	**Plenary: Presenting the interim results**
10:30	**Filed trip: Demonstration site Green Technologies Ajdovščina**
Day 8	**25 June, Tuesday**
9:00	**New threats to water resources,** *Prof. Igor Bodik, Slovak Technical University*
10:30	Break
11:00	Group work: Integration
12:30	Lunch
13:30	Group work: Towards sustainable resort for next generation travellers
15:30	Break
16:00	Group work: Towards sustainable resort for next generation travellers
17:30	End of the day
Day 9	**26 June, Wednesday**
9:00	Group work: Towards sustainable resort for next generation travellers

	10:30	Break
	11:00	Group work: Towards sustainable resort for next generation travellers
	12:30	**Field trip: Karst geology and hydrology (Skocjan Cave)**
Day 10		**27 June, Thursday**
	9:00	**Non-conventional Water Resources Programme**, *Nassia Kassela, Global Water Partnership Mediterranean*
	10:30	Break
	11:00	**Serious game**, *Nassia Kassela, Global Water Partnership Mediterranean*
	12:30	Lunch
	13:30	Group work: Towards sustainable resort for next generation travellers
	15:30	Break
	16:00	Group work: Towards sustainable resort for next generation travellers
	17:30	End of the day
	19:30	Joint dinner
Day 11		**28 June, Friday**
	9:00	Group work: Towards sustainable resort for next generation travellers
	10:30	Break
	11:00	**Final Presentations and Stakeholder dialogue**
	12:30	Lunch
	13:30	**Final Presentations and Stakeholder dialogue**
	15:30	Sum-up, evaluation and closing of the summer school
	16:45	Departures
Day 12		**29 June, Saturday**
		Departures