



Integrating green competences through student-centered learning for environmental sustainability at Higher Education Institutions

This is the live agenda of the [ENVIHEI: Environmental Sustainability at Higher Education Institutions](#) project event, taking place in the framework of the [Higher Education Transformation Week](#) on Friday, **16 October 2026 (09:00 - 12:30)**, in Brussels at [VUB Main Campus \(Etterbeek\) Building I Room I.1.05](#).

Registrations are open until **18 September 2026**—sign up [here](#).

Registration deadline extended to 25 September 2026.

Join this interactive 3.5-hour workshop showcasing results from the Erasmus+ ENVIHEI project, which strengthens environmental sustainability competences in higher education through innovative pedagogies, interdisciplinary collaboration, and the EU GreenComp framework.

Participants will explore practical tools and problem-based learning activities, learn how to embed GreenComp into curricula and professional development, and discuss challenges and opportunities for transforming higher education for sustainability. Drawing on insights from lecturer training, the Winter School, and pilot testing with lecturers and students, the session blends presentations, discussion, and networking.

Designed for around 50 participants, it offers practical teaching examples, curriculum inspiration, and connections with an international network of sustainability educators.

AGENDA

TIME	SESSIONS TITLE
08:45-09:10	Arrival and Welcome
09:10-09:30	Introduction to ENVIHEI Speaker: Prof. Tom Kuppens, Internal ENVIHEI Project Coordinator at University of Hasselt (BE) together with a video message from Prof



	Angela Taboada Palomares, ENVIHEI Project Lead, Universidad de León, (ES)
09:30-09:45	Lesson Design Workshop Phase 1: Operationalising the GreenComp Framework Speaker: Prof. Tom Kuppens, Internal ENVIHEI Project Coordinator at University of Hasselt (BE)
09:45-10:15	Lesson Design Workshop Phase 1: Activity - Operationalising the GreenComp Framework Facilitators: Prof. Tom Kuppens, Internal ENVIHEI Project Coordinator at University of Hasselt (BE) Dr. Alex Mifsud, ENVIHEI Project Manager at University of Hasselt (BE)
10:15-10:30	Break
10:30-11:00	Lesson Design Workshop Phase 2: Problem Based Learning (PBL) & Transformative Learning Speakers: Dr. Alex Mifsud, ENVIHEI Project Manager at University of Hasselt (BE) Prof. Tom Kuppens, Internal ENVIHEI Project Coordinator at University of Hasselt (BE)
11:00-11:40	Lesson Design Workshop Phase 2: Activity - Applying PBL & Transformative Learning Facilitators: Prof. Tom Kuppens, Internal ENVIHEI Project Coordinator at University of Hasselt (BE) Dr. Alex Mifsud, ENVIHEI Project Manager at University of Hasselt (BE)
11:40-12:10	Plenary: Group Presentations and Discussion Facilitators: Prof. Tom Kuppens, Internal ENVIHEI Project Coordinator at University of Hasselt (BE) Dr. Alex Mifsud, ENVIHEI Project Manager at University of Hasselt (BE)
12:10-12:30	Showcasing ENVIHEI Project's Winter School and Implementation



	Speaker: Dr. Alex Mifsud, ENVIHEI Project Manager at University of Hasselt (BE)
--	---

**Please note that the agenda may be subject to change*

For any questions about the event, please contact us at alex.mifsud@uhasselt.be

For questions regarding the Erasmus+ Staff grant, please reach out to highered.transformation@uni-foundation.eu

This document has been prepared and edited by the ENVIHEI Consortium as the event organiser. The European University Foundation cannot be held responsible for the content of this document.

