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University of Lodz

UL is one of the leading partners of the Horizon 2020 FRONTSH1P project, which brings together 34 institutions from several European countries. Research on waste management in Lodz and Lodz region is conducted by scientists from the Faculty of Economics and Sociology and the Faculty of Geographical Sciences of the University of Lodz. Green transformation of Lodz region is to be done through the implementation of four specific system circular solutions. They relate to the treatment of plastic waste, wood packaging, food waste and the protection of soil and water in the context of fertilization. Production lines will be created for the use in waste treatment processes and the production of new products.

<https://www.uni.lodz.pl/aktualnosc/szczegoly/zielona-transformacja-lodzkiego-horyzont-2020-na-ul>

Yaroslavl-The-Wise Novgorod State University

NovSU has launched a programme aimed at transformation of tourism system. The programme includes new areas of student training, internships and practical trainings abroad. There are plans to create a Bachelor's programme in Territory Hospitality Management. There will also be a Master's programme in International Tourism. In addition, NovSU professor Natalia Omarova participated in the development of the Municipal Tourism Standard «32 Steps for Tourism Development in Municipalities». It aims at the creation of so-called points of tourist interest in each municipality, around which necessary infrastructure is built in the future. Development of such a tourist standard for a municipality is the first practice in Russia.

<https://www.novsu.ru/news/93173/?returnUri=L2kuMTAwOTU3MS8=>

NovSU offers free Russian language courses for foreigners. Within the framework of the Open Russian Language project, 55 general education courses will be available: from elementary to certification level. Distance learning is provided through the Moodle platform. Courses are available for foreign citizens living in Russia and abroad. There is no age limit for listeners. One can choose one or several courses. Top 100 students will have opportunity to pass a free test in Russian as foreign language. After testing, they will receive a certificate, officially confirming the level of language proficiency.

<https://www.novsu.ru/announce/view/i.9288/?view=11299&returnUri=L2kuOTM3Mi8=>