

Global Academy for Future Governance – A Global Interdisciplinary Course

Presents a collaborative undertaking of the *SILKROAD 4.0* Platform, scientific magazine *European Perspectives* (Intl Institute of the consultative status with the United Nations) and its consortium of European partners and Associates, in the form of the unique two-tier certified course:



Understanding AI, Life Science, and its multidimensional and multispatial implications for the public and private sector

Connectivity Shift – New technologies and New
geographies in the post-globalized world

The first tier: October 16th, 2025

End of Course: December 4th 2025

(Online, Global, Certified)

[Register here.](#)

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The following comprehensive two-tier Global course outline, opened to all geographies and professional affiliations, does present an 8-week program exploring the intersection of AI, life science, and global connectivity through the SILKROAD 4.0 and similar frameworks stretching over the five declared spaces. This innovative program brings together experts across four key domains to analyze how emerging technologies are reshaping global interactions, creating new geopolitical dynamics, and transforming business, societal, and governance models.

Additionally, a guest of honour will address the course participants at the start of every session. Among these guests are also heads of states or governments, ministers, and heads of the world's leading international organisations, and of course CEOs of the related companies.



Speakers' geography*: Austria, France, Germany, India, Italy, KSA, Portugal, Singapore, Switzerland, UK, US, as well as the speakers from the leading Intl organisations and specialised agencies such as the ITU..

Outcome for Participants

Upon the Course completion, participants will be titled: Certified Connectivity Specialists – professional with a multidimensional understanding of AI, life science, and global digital transformation.

However, beyond the certificate, the real transformation lies in the ability to think and act as global system architects who:

- **Navigate Complexity:** Understands how AI, life science, data governance, and global geopolitics intersect—allowing the participant to make strategic decisions in compartmentalised, uncertain, fast-changing environments, especially those affected by the geopol-tech disruptions;
- **Bridge Disciplines:** Communicate and collaborate across domains—technology, governance, economics, and culture, while enabling You to take on lead roles in cross-sector and cross-border projects;
- **Understand Otherness:** Articulate and exchange across geographies (especially of Global South), cultures, generations, societal groups and any perception that may come with it. (Negotiations are oft won by watching and listening, not by talking);
- **Shape Policy and Innovation:** Translate AI and life science insights into actionable strategies for innovation, policy, and investment—whether in government, business, or multilateral contexts;
- **Initiate Global Projects:** Identify new opportunities for collaboration across countries, sectors, generations and institutions, and apply tools and networks gained during the course to inspire, initiate or lead strategic projects at the national, subnational, or international level;
- **Engage in the Global Conversation:** Position Yourself as future-ready leader who can effectively engage in high-level discussions, planning and practical actions on the AI ethics, digital sovereignty, economic diplomacy, and urban innovation;
- **Become a part of a powerful alumni network:** Joining the inaugural cohort of the likeminded from all geographies, occupancies and generations in the constantly expanding Alumni network, You will interact with others but also shape our further Programs.

From Specialist to Strategist: This course transforms planners, project-leads and policy-makers into globally connected interdisciplinary sensitive future leaders—ready to shape the multi-spatial future of AI, life science, and digital governance to the lasting benefit of the mankind.

Course Structure and Certification

Duration:

8 weeks with 2(+1)-hour lectures each week by expert practitioners in their respective fields

8 consecutive Thursdays,

starting in October 2025, 12.00-14.30 (GMT)

Last session: 12.00-15.00 (GMT)

Public Sector Focus:

- AI in life science systems & policy
- Data governance and digital sovereignty
- Health diplomacy and regulation
- Smart cities and public health
- Crisis response & medical infrastructure security

Private Sector Focus:

- AI in medical diagnostics, pharma, and biotech
- Healthtech entrepreneurship and investment
- AI compliance in regulated industries
- Sustainable innovation in life science delivery
- AI applications in insurance, logistics, and agri-health

Each session includes:

- A keynote from a distinguished guest of honour
- Deep-dive lectures with case studies
- Interactive discussions & Q&A

Award:

Certified Connectivity Specialist

Who Should Join?

This course is ideal for **mid- to senior-career professionals**, especially from emerging economies, including:

- Government officials & digital transformation leaders
- life science policymakers & administrators
- AI & Healthtech innovators
- Public health professionals & strategists
- Diplomats & international development experts
- Researchers and academic faculty
- Urban planners, port authorities, and logistics experts
- Investors, insurers, and bankers in emerging technologies

Teaching Methodology

- Weekly expert-led lectures
- Interactive group discussions
- Optional virtual field visits to AI-health innovation hubs
- Final certification project
- Alumni networking and collaboration space

Fee:

CHF 1200 (flat rate: \$, €, £ equivalent) – access, materials, alumni, certificate
Early Bird - 20% off
Developing countries – 20% off,
LDC nationals up to 100% off – through the Donald J. Johnston scholarship
Further discounts (and custom-tailored additions) for the (specialized) groups

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This comprehensive Global program offers participants a unique multidisciplinary perspective on how AI, life science, and other emerging technologies are reshaping global connections, creating new challenges and opportunities across technological, socio-economic, cultural, legal, and security domains. By bringing together experts from various knowledge domains of the whole consortium of the Global Academy, the course provides a holistic framework for understanding and navigating the complex landscape of the post-globalized, connectivity-driven world.

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Register early to secure your place and take advantage of available scholarships and discounts.

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