

### **SAVONIA**

# Workshop 6: Academic collaboration and example of Sustainable Future master's degree program

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#### **Content**

- Academic collaboration in general and practice
- Instructions for collecting your ideas about academic collaboration
- Building up the new EU4Dual Green Economy and Sustainable Future joint master's degree program
- Sustainable Future master's degree program in Savonia







### Academic collaboration in general

- Methods:
  - Online or classroom teaching containing lectures, group works etc.
  - Project work courses
  - Virtual and local exchange among students and university staff (Erasmus+ funding in EU)
  - Blended intensive programs (BIP)
  - Thesis





### **Academic collaboration in practice**



- Do you have ideas for academic collaboration regarding:
  - Content of the courses?
  - Pedagogy?
  - Exchange?
  - Summer and winter schools?
  - Interdisciplinary and multi-university implementation (online courses, workshops etc.)?







### **EU4Dual** in the nutshell





Alliance of 9 – to become the global top-quality reference for Dual Education.









14 M€ Savonia 2 M€



EU 4 v.+ EU 2v.? + ?



Dual Higher Education Model

Combining theory and practice in learning and research.

Close collaboration between learners, academics and business stakeholders.

European Higher Dual Education University (WP1+WP9)

Center of Excellence in Dual Education (WP2)



Future of Green Healthy
Work Economy Living
WP3

Masters
Degrees (WP3)

Microcredentials (WP4)

Research (WP5)

Stakeholders cooperation (WP7)

Learning platform (WP8)

Mobility (WP6)



### 9 of the Leading Dual University Institutions in Europe

	MONDRAGON UNIVERSITY	DUALE HOCHSCHULE BADEN- WÜRTTEMBERG	МВН		ESTIA SCHOOL OF ENGINEERING	NEUMANN JÁNOS EGYETEM	PAR UNIVERSITY COLLEGE	MALTA COLLEGE OF ARTS, SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY	KOSZALIN UNIVERSITY OF TECHNOLOGY
	SPAIN	GERMANY	AUSTRIA	FINLAND	FRANCE	HUNGARY	CROATIA	MALTA	POLAND
Bachelor's	Y	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ
Master's	Υ	Υ	Υ	Y	Y	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ
Doctoral	γ	N	N	N	Υ	γ	N	Υ	Y
	2. Business Studies 3.Engineering 4. Gastronomic Sciences	Business 2. School of Engineering 3. School of Social Work  www.heilbronn, dhbw.de	Computer Sciences 2. Building, Energy & Society 3. Engineering 4. Health Studies 5. Management 6. Media & Design  www.fh- joanneum.at	School of Design     School of     Engineering and     Technology	School of Engineering www.estia.fr	Faculty of Technology and Informatics 2. Faculty of Economic Sciences 3. Faculty of Horticulture and Rural Development https://nje.hu/	Statistics, and	Engineering and Transport 4. Institute of Business Management and Commerce 5. Institute of Community Services 6. Institute of Information and	1.Faculty of Architecture and Design 2.Faculty of Electronics and Computer Science 3.Faculty of Humanities 4.Faculty of Civil Engineering, Environment and Geodesy 5.Faculty of Mechanical Engineering 6.Faculty of Economic Sciences



# Green Economy and Sustainable Future joint master's degree program



- Interdisciplinary master's degree program will be launched in 2026
- EU4Dual 4 universities implement master study program, but all 9 universities participate in
- Savonia UAS and FHJ Joanneum leads the development process and participate in the steering core-team
- PAR University college, Malta college of arts, science and technology, Mondragon University, and ESTIA school of engineering participate in the steering core-team
- John von Neumann University participates in all phases of the designing and implementation





# An example of Sustainable Future Master program



- Savonia UAS has initiated in Autumn 2023 the new interdisciplinary master's degree program
- Curriculum
- Pedagogy utilizes team pedagogy and T-model in developing process of students' expertise in sustainable development
- T-model is implemented with 15 ects credits coutses including students' teamwork in multidisciplinary teams, and 45 ects credits of studies that deepen the expertise in the student's own field





### **Teamwork pedagogy**

Teamwork pedagogy can be described as a collaborative effort where students work together on a project topic given by a company to achieve a common goal. It involves communication, cooperation, and the sharing of ideas and responsibilities among team members.

Effective teamwork often results in increased productivity, improved problem-solving, and a sense of comradeship among team members.

Good teamwork also requires trust, respect, and a willingness to support and rely on one another.





### Elements of Savonia's teamwork pedagogy



- Multidisciplinary teams (3 5 students)
- Common MS Teams platform for communication, file sharing, brainstorming and reporting
- Real project cases / assignments from companies (Dual approach)
- Team oriented project management
- Teachers' role as coaches and mentors
- Multichannel assessment (self-, peer-, client- and teacher assessment)







### **Discussion about your ideas**

What are the next steps of academic collaboration?

- -> Context
- -> Methods
- -> Schedule





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Thank you!