



# BAUHAUS4EU FORUM

WEIMAR

26 – 28 September 2023

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**Co-creating a European University Alliance**

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# PROGRAMME

## TUESDAY 26/09/2023

08:30 – 09:00	Event Registration <i>Oberlichtsaal, Second Floor, Main Building, Geschwister-Scholl-Str. 8</i>	
9:00 – 9:30	Welcome & Greeting Prof. Peter Benz, President, Bauhaus-Universität Weimar Dr. Horst Henrici, Chancellor, Bauhaus-Universität Weimar	
9:30 – 10:15	Opening Speeches Senior Lecturer Merlina Missimer, Blekinge Institute of Technology Prof. Ass. Federica Burini, University of Bergamo	
10:15 – 10:30	Overview - Current state of the BAUHAUS4EU Alliance <i>Oberlichtsaal, Second Floor, Main Building, Geschwister-Scholl-Str. 8</i>	
10:30 – 10:45	<i>Coffee Break</i>	
10:45 – 12:30	Meeting of Rectors & Presidents of the BAUHAUS4EU Alliance  <i>- Steering Committee Members' attendance is recommended -</i>  <i>Room 109 Main Building, First Floor, Geschwister-Scholl-Str. 8</i>	Project Presentations        <i>Oberlichtsaal, Second Floor, Main Building, Geschwister-Scholl-Str. 8</i>
12:30 – 14:00	<i>Lunch Break Cafeteria (Mensa am Park, Marienstraße 15b)</i>	

14:00 – 16:00	Investiture of Prof. Peter Benz  <i>Audimax          Steubenstraße 6</i>	Individual Meetings
16:00 – 17:30	Free time / individual meetings	
17:30 – 19:00	Individual Meetings / Bauhaus.Walk and visit to the Hybrid Learning and Teaching Lab  Meeting Point for the visit: <i>Main Building, Geschwister-Scholl-Str. 8</i>	
19:00	Reception  <i>Foyer, Main Building, Groundfloor, Geschwister-Scholl-Str. 8</i>	

## WEDNESDAY 27/09/2023

09:30 – 10:00	Opening Session Day 2  <i>green:house 001          Bauhaus-Straße 9c</i>		
10:00 – 12:00	Workshop  <i>Innovative Didactics          &amp; Intercultural          Competence           green:house 001</i>	Workshop  <i>Green &amp; Inclusive          Campus           green:house 101/103</i>	Workshop  <i>Research Strategy          Team           green:house 004</i>
12:00 – 13:00	Lunch Break  <i>Cafeteria (Mensa am Park, Marienstraße 15b)</i>		

13:00 – 15:00	<p>Regional Partners</p> <p><i>Thematic roundtables - Meet and share experiences</i></p> <p><i>Topics: Heritage, Culture &amp; Art, Digital Innovation, Teaching &amp; Learning, Entrepreneurship, Smart Infrastructure Management</i></p> <p><i>Mon Ami, Goetheplatz 11, Groundfloor, Weimar</i></p>	
15:00 – 17:00	<p>Walk and Wonder in Weimar's historical city centre (with regional partners)</p>	<p>Individual Meetings / Free time</p>
16:00 – 18:00	<p>Steering Committee Meeting</p> <p><i>Glaskasten, Limona, Steubenstraße 8</i></p>	
18:00 – 19:00	<p>Free time</p>	
19:00	<p>Dinner with Regional partners</p> <p><i>Hotel Dorint, Beethovenplatz 1, Weimar</i></p>	

## THURSDAY 28/09/2023

09:30 – 10:00	<p>Opening Session Day 3</p> <p><i>green:house 001</i></p> <p><i>Bauhaus-Straße 9c</i></p>		
10:00 – 12:00	<p>Workshop</p> <p><i>Innovative Didactics &amp; Intercultural Competence</i></p> <p><i>green:house 001</i></p>	<p>Workshop</p> <p><i>Green &amp; Inclusive Campus</i></p> <p><i>green:house 101/103</i></p>	<p>Workshop</p> <p><i>Research Strategy Team</i></p> <p><i>green:house 004</i></p>
12:00 – 14:00	<p><i>Lunch Break (on individual basis)</i></p>		

14:00 – 16:00	Open debate Outlook & Farewell  <i>Oberlichtsaal, Second Floor, Main Building, Geschwister-Scholl-Str. 8</i>
19:00	Informal dinner (on individual basis)

## WORKSHOPS

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When: 27 & 28 September 2023, 10:00 – 12:00

### Workshop “Innovative Didactics & Intercultural Competence”

The workshop's objective is to consolidate innovative pedagogies and digital tools used across partner universities. The leading question of this moment will be “What innovative, collaborative and culture-sensitive formats of teaching can be piloted in the Alliance and support its development? ».

In relation to this question, one possible outcome of the workshop could be (to start generating) a toolbox that would help every institution/teaching person to put in place collaborative innovative formats of teaching in the Alliance. This toolbox could be a collection of best-practice examples and also common guidelines on how to put in place such formats, etc.

This involves examining current study programs to establish collaborative educational offerings. If they can, the participant might bring some examples of current study programmes, detailing the research status, implementation, potential development, and challenges of these teaching elements and tools.

The results will be summarized, offering an overview of innovative pedagogical strategies, tools, and their implementation status the status of innovative pedagogies and tools, along with future prospects for exchange beyond the project's conclusion.

Guidelines and a framework for BAUHAUS4EU joint European curricula will be developed to categorize and gather best-practice examples.

*Workshop coordination: Lucie Jacquet-Malo & Chantal Maciborko, Université de Picardie Jules Verne*

## Workshop "Green & Inclusive Campus"

In the "Green and Inclusive Campus" workshop, the aim is to discuss and understand how a green/sustainable campus and an inclusive campus can intersect and, also, to prepare a statement paper between the Alliance's partner institutions, considering the relevant Sustainable Development Goals, related to both areas. The

*Workshop coordination: Ana Ribeiro & Luís Quinta-Nova, Instituto Politécnico de Castelo Branco*

## Workshop "Research Strategy Team"

In the first session (Wednesday the 27th, 10 - 12h), we will have a more general talk about a common research strategy for our alliance. The session will be designed as a moderated workshop to gather ideas for further steps: In short, we want (1) to look out for synergies and opportunities the alliance is providing us, especially (but not only) for European projects, and (2) to better understand how we can support our researchers to develop joint projects and start to design such a support structure.

In the second session (Thursday the 28th, 10 - 12h), we will shortly present projects that are currently being developed with and for the alliance. After each pitch, you will be asked to think about possible partners from research and practice from your university and regional innovation ecosystems. Moderation: T. Schmitz

*Workshop coordination: Tonia Schmitz, Bauhaus-Universität Weimar*

# THEMATIC ROUNDTABLES

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When: 27 September, 13:00 – 15:00

Through its connection to various stakeholders in Europe, the overarching goal of the BAUHAUS4EU European University Alliance is to promote sustainable and inclusive development of European regions. The Thematic Roundtables will be dedicated to selected topics linked to the thematic focus of the Alliance: Heritage, Culture & Arts, Digital Innovation, Teaching & Learning, Entrepreneurship, Smart Infrastructure Management. During this session, the question on how the present organisations can contribute to sustainable and inclusive regional development will be addressed. The format will allow groups of experts to exchange ideas, experiences and proposals for action to tackle regional challenges and to foster European cooperation. At the end of the session, every Roundtable will present the results of their exchange.

*Coordination: Tonia Schmitz & Eva Léchelle, Bauhaus-Universität Weimar*

# WEIMAR

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**Population: 65 000 | 12 UNESCO World Heritage Sites | over 30 museums**

Weimar is a city located in Thuringia in Central Germany. No other German small town has so much German and European cultural history. During several historical eras Weimar was an important centre for artists, musicians, politicians, and philosophers. In the 18<sup>th</sup> century the city was home of the leading literary figures of the Weimar Classicism, such as Johann Wolfgang von Goethe and Friedrich Schiller. Composers such as Franz Liszt and Richard Strauss and philosophers like Friedrich Nietzsche made Weimar a musical and philosophical centre in the 19<sup>th</sup> century. Later, artists, and architects such as Henry van de Velde, Wassily Kandinsky, Paul Klee, Lyonel Feininger, and Walter Gropius came to the city and founded the Bauhaus design school. After the First World War, the first democratic constitution of Germany was signed here, giving its name to the Weimar Republic (1918-33). During Nazi Germany, the Buchenwald concentration camp was built just 8 kilometres away from the city centre. Today, Weimar is home to more than 30 museums, two universities and visited by ten thousand visitors each year.



## Herzogin Anna Amalia Bibliothek

The Herzogin Anna Amalia Bibliothek was one of the first publicly accessible ducal libraries in Germany. After a disastrous fire in 2004, the rococo hall is fully renovated.



## Bauhaus-Museum Weimar

The Bauhaus-Museum Weimar, inaugurated 2019, showcases the treasures of the world's oldest Bauhaus collection. The museum highlights the early phase of the most influential school of art and design of the 20<sup>th</sup> century.





### Goethe Residence & Goethe National Museum

Goethe lived and worked at his home in Weimar for almost 50 years. In rooms designed by Goethe himself to reflect the classical ideals of his time, the residence became a centre for social, cultural, and intellectual dialogue.



### Schiller Residence & Schiller Museum

Before he passed away in 1805, Friedrich Schiller spent his last three years at this residence where he wrote his famous play "William Tell". Today, Schiller's original desk and bed are displayed.



### Haus der Weimarer Republik

The Haus der Weimarer Republik invites visitors to learn more about the Weimar Republic period. It illustrates the crises and challenges the young democracy struggled with.



### Buchenwald Memorial

The Buchenwald concentration camp was established in 1937 and had over 280 000 prisoners which were forced to work for local armaments factories.



