

What the dedicated student programme is all about?

- For students to enhance their project management skills.
- To network with others in a group environment.
- To work in allocated groups to deliver a project.
- To create a project concept for the student competition.

What is the student project competition?

It is a great opportunity to develop new projects for FISU, recommended by students, and meant to be implemented either at international or local levels.

The theme and the winning criteria will be revealed a few days before the FISU World Forum, on August 6, during the pre-event meeting with students. Later, students will be divided into groups and will start working, with their teams, on the project concept, plan and implementation strategy, which they will present a few days later in front of a Jury.

What is the calendar?**a) Pre FISU World Forum:**

Project Management Stream – Pre learning platform available starting from **1.08.2020**.

Zoom meetings:

6.08.2020, 11:00-12:30 CET – Zoom plenary meeting split into two parts:

Part 1 all together with EduC members.

Part 2 within the student groups (opportunity to discover the topic of the competition and the composition of groups)

6-11.08.2020 – Zoom meetings arranged by students on their own within their teams.

b) FISU World Forum:

12.08.2020, 11:00-13:00 CET - One hour all together and one hour within the student groups; possibility of holding additional meetings – up to students to decide within their teams.

13.08.2020 – Meetings to be scheduled by the teams; EduC members available as mentors; project presentations to be sent to the jury (obligatorily a PPP plus optionally a video) by 24:00 CET.

14.08.2020, 14:40-15:30 CET– Presentation of the projects at the plenary and award ceremony.

*For all the meetings arranged by students, a presence of EduC members as mentors is possible whenever required.

c) Post FISU World Forum:

September 2020 (exact dates to be confirmed) – Follow up zoom meetings to check the state of play of projects; problems occurring in the implementation; capitalize on experience and give final advices.

How we will work?

- Using online e-learning platform.
- Using the ZOOM application.
- Any other tools that the groups will decide to make use of (WhatsApp etc.).

We will find solutions to allow and facilitate working in international groups despite constraints related to time zones. We will record all sessions (apart from the workshops arranged by groups on their own) and students, who, for various reasons would not have been able to attend some sessions, will have the opportunity to watch these.

What is the award?

All students completing the pre-learning project management stream and who deliver a project with their groups will receive a certificate. The group that delivers the winning project will receive a special award from FISU and the FISU World Forum Organizing Committee. More importantly, however, all students would have gained new competencies and made new friends from all over the world.