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Sustainable Development – International Bachelor and Master Summer School
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Worldwide demonstrations against climate change show that the demand for sustainable development is becoming louder and louder. Though some of the sustainable development goals are on track, as the Global Sustainable Development Report (GSDR) shows, there is still a long way to go.

This Summer School offers a unique opportunity to explore current knowledge on sustainable development. By examining various topics, such as food production, commons or inequality, students will learn about different aspects of sustainable development. Students will explore the interfaces between the different dimensions of sustainable development in its complexity. They will have the chance to visit real-life laboratories where they will learn how specific aspects of sustainable development can be implemented.

Through problem-based, interdisciplinary learning and transdisciplinary negotiation processes with different stakeholders, students will be able to use their skills to help find potential solutions to some important issues around sustainable development.

When: 17–28 August 2020
Where: University of Bern, Switzerland
Who can participate: Bachelor and Master students of all disciplines are welcome. Participation is limited to 35 students.

Registration Fee: Early bird registration: 500 CHF, Regular registration: 550 CHF
The registration fee includes course participation, field trips, two “apéro riche”, supervision and materials.

Registration Deadline: Early bird: 18 April 2020
Regular deadline: 15 May 2020

ECTS-Credits: 5

Further Information: cde.unibe.ch/summerschool2020