

The SDGs and the Future of Europe

Monday, 15 October 2018, 10:00am – 5:00pm

(followed by a public evening event 5:30pm – 7:30pm)

Deutsche Welle in Bonn

Kurt-Schumacher-Str. 3, 53113 Bonn, Germany

Programme (Draft)

*Moderator: **Patrick Leusch** (Head European Affairs, Deutsche Welle)*

10:00 – 10:30 Registration and Coffee

10:30 – 10:45 **Welcome**

***Guido Schmidt-Traub** (SDSN Executive Director)*

***Johanna Lutz** (ENoP Coordinator)*

10:45 – 12:45 **Session I: The EU at the crossroads: Achieving the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) in challenging times – defending sustainability against populism**

Keynotes, panel and table discussion featuring inter alia

***Johan Rockström** (Stockholm Resilience Centre / Potsdam Institute for Climate Impact Research (PIK))*

***Matern von Marschall** (Member of the German Bundestag)*

***H.E. Miguel Ángel Moratinos Cuyaubé** (Former Foreign Minister of Spain; Chair of SDSN Spain)*

12:45 – 13:45 Lunch Break

13:45 – 15:15 **Session II: Making the SDGs Europe's Business**

Impulses followed by parallel breakout sessions on key challenges and opportunities

- Budgeting for the SDGs: What should the Multiannual Financial Framework (MFF; 2021-2027) deliver?
- European Parliament elections 2019: How to engage with the political parties in the run up to the election?
- Building up networks to achieve the SDGs: New partnerships, innovative alliances, reaching out to domestic civil society and business actors
- Engaging with the EU presidencies, new member states and candidate countries
- European international relations: Can the EU lead on the SDGs?

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Experts/facilitators will introduce the topics in the plenary. Parallel working groups will then delve deeper into each of the topics including identification of key messages for a joint ENoP/SDSN call on SDGs in Europe.

15:15 – 15:45 Coffee Break

15:45 – 16:45 **Session III: Key messages for European politics over the next 12 months**
Panel discussion with the facilitators of the working groups.

16:45 – 17:00 **Concluding Remarks**
Where do we go from here? What can ENoP und SDSN achieve together?

17:30 – 19:30 **Public Evening Event**

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Keynotes and panel discussion with Gesine Schwan, Johan Rockström and others

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