

## Agenda 2030 Graduate School monthly newsletter #1

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Hi!

Semla is in the air. Semla is on the table. If you do not know what a semla is, you live in Sweden and you like any cookies or cakes that contains almonds in it, then you have really missed something. If you do not like it, well good luck! They are practically thrown at you at this time of the year.

Here is the monthly newsletter for February:

### Upcoming Agenda 2030 Graduate School courses 2023:

- **Representing sustainability** (Faculty of Fine & Performing Arts, 7,5 ECTS). Time it will be given: 24 April – 26 May 2023. This doctoral course will examine how narratives around the global goals are created, can be understood and also how it relates to the doctoral student's own research. The doctoral students will gain a theoretical and practical foundation in discourse analysis and metaphor analysis in order to critically review the language, images and narratives surrounding the goals, as well as an introduction to artistic methods to provide practical tools for creating a perspectivized and embodied narrative. The course will include seminars where metaphor analysis and the relationship between text and discourse are presented and discussed. The course also includes a workshop where practical artistic methods on storytelling, dramaturgy and presentation will be investigated. The course is examined through an oral presentation, departing from the doctoral student's research and the different methods presented in the course and as well as through a written assignment.

For more information about the courses, see: [Agenda 2030 PhD courses | Sustainability Forum \(lu.se\)](#)

### Workshop series spring 2023

The A2030 office is in full swing with its workshop series focusing on skill development and outreach. Feel free to mark the following dates:

- **Workshop on creating scientific posters** (21<sup>st</sup> of March, 9:00-16:00, Kårhuset Hollywood (John Ericssons väg 3, Lund)). Posters are a common and valuable tool in the academic community as they summarize scientific information and highlight results to generate discussion. But what makes a scientific poster a good poster, and how can you shape the format so that it attracts a crowd and conveys the right message?  
Register to the workshop here: [Workshop on creating scientific posters | Kalenderdelning \(lu.se\)](#)

### Other

- Lund University: LUCSUS research seminar:
  - **Unruliness in Energy Frontiers: governing uncertainty and change** (16<sup>th</sup> February, 11-12, Biskopsgatan 5, Lund)
  - **Climate futures in Rio de Janeiro: Participatory methods for developing scenarios and visions of climate vulnerability and community-led adaptation** (2<sup>nd</sup> March, 11-12, Biskopsgatan 5, Lund)
  - **Trying to be revolutionary: from living well within limits to realizing post-growth societies** (16<sup>th</sup> March, 11-12, Biskopsgatan 5, Lund)
- Workshop course in Lund: **Written English for Scholarly Publication** (Every Thursday between 13:15-15:00 2 March – 8 June). Deadline to apply 23<sup>rd</sup> February ([English: Written English for Scholarly Publication \(lu.se\)](#)).
- **Lund University Africa Day** will be the 20<sup>th</sup> of March 9-12:15 + lunch at Palaestra lecture hall, with the title 'South-North collaboration for a better future'. So please check out for that.

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- The Agenda 2030 Graduate School will have its **Agenda 2030 Award ceremony** on the 20<sup>th</sup> of April at Stadshallen, Lund during the sustainability week. Feel free to come and celebrate the winner together with us then.
- **National conference about clinical studies** will take place 4-5<sup>th</sup> of May In Gothenburg. More information can be found here: [Nationell konferens om kliniska studier 2023 - Vetenskapsrådet \(vr.se\)](#)
- **FORMAS Agenda 2030 Conference:** Att använda kunskap i en osäker värld (in Swedish, 17th May 10-16:30, both Stockholm and online): [Formas Agenda 2030-konferens: Att använda kunskap i en osäker värld - Formas](#)
- **Environmental Psychology and nature-based solutions** (Lund University, 5 ECTS). Time it will be given: 22-26<sup>th</sup> of May. This interdisciplinary course will introduce the climate-biodiversity-health nexus and consider Nature-Based Solutions through the lens of (environmental) psychology, ecology, and epidemiology. It will include both theoretical lectures and application of the knowledge in group work, group discussions, and a study visit to two Nature-Based Solutions in Skåne. Registration is done via <https://www.cec.lu.se/form/phd-course-nature-based-solutions-climate-biodiversity-health-nexus-perspectives-environmental>.
- **31<sup>st</sup> annual conference for the society for risk analysis Europe** (18-21<sup>st</sup> of June 2023, Lund). The theme of the conference is **Risk and Assessment in a Changing World**. The theme reflects that the world is changing; we have experienced a societal disruption due to global hazards like the pandemic and climate change where environments or institutions that have been taken for granted suddenly are in danger, which forces us to consider new risks requiring careful development of concepts and theories as well as novel approaches for assessment. You can find more information on the conference website which is accessible via this link: <https://sraeurope.eu/lund-sweden-2023-a94>

On behalf of the Agenda 2030 Graduate School,

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