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EDITORIAL

Summer School on Sustainable Development Goals: a high-level forum that aims to meet the sustainable development objectives adopted by the UN

Given the huge scope of the economic, social and environmental challenges affecting the state of the planet in these early years of the 21st century, the scientific and academic communities in both North and South have a special role to play through their contribution to increasing global knowledge and promoting useful research to help achieve the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) adopted by the UN.

The "International Campus for Cooperation and Development", set up in 2016, will take part in this ambitious process by creating an innovative summer school programme based on an examination of the role of scientists and the contribution of science to achieving the SDGs.

The original aspect of this very high-level Summer School, for speakers and participants from both North and South, is that it is aimed at scientists (researchers, research lecturers, unit managers, PhD and post-doctoral students, etc.) and also stakeholders involved in achieving the SDGs (decision-makers, executives from local, national and international institutions, ministries, NGOs, business, etc.) who have been enlisted to help implement the 2030 Agenda for the benefit of future generations.

We would like to invite you to take part in this innovative dynamic which is at the heart of the issues facing our society.

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Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs): a response to the challenges facing our planet

The Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) are a worldwide call for action to eradicate poverty, protect the Planet and ensure that all human beings can live in peace and prosperity. They were adopted on 25 September 2015 by the General Assembly of the United Nations and list 17 priorities for achievement by 2030.

Full commitment to meeting the challenges presented by the SDGs

With this new course of action, in addition to the universal agreement on climate signed at COP21 in Paris in December 2015, a major challenge is now clear: our ability to provide all citizens of our planet and present and future generations with the same hopes and opportunities for peaceful co-existence, work, well-being, education and health.

Drawing on the country's very strong network of academic and professional expertise, Aix-Marseille University, the IRD (Institute of Research for Development) and the AFD (French Development Agency) initiated an innovative programme of summer schools in 2016, under the umbrella of the "international campus for development", dealing with the role of scientists and the contribution of science to achieving the Sustainable Development Goals.

This unifying dynamic calls on all the country's skills (academic, civil society, business, etc.) and aims to generate knowledge, networks and a potential for growth in keeping with the Training-Action-Business triptych.

Innovative and very high-level training!

This Summer School is the first of its type at international level and is aimed at scientists, researchers, research lecturers, ministry, civil service and business executives, representatives of UN agencies, NGO managers and PhD and post-doctoral students, all of whom are involved in multi-disciplinary work to share scientific progress and the challenge of achieving the SDGs.

This ambitious dynamic will enable participants to:

- Understand and question universal challenges with the help of knowledge and scientists (ideas and people) from Africa, the Mediterranean and Europe
- Receive innovative, targeted training leading to certification
- Benefit from very high-level teaching
- Meet, share with and learn from international speakers (scientists and stakeholders involved in development - political, NGO and business managers, etc.).

A second summer school focusing on SDG 13

The second SDG summer school will take place between 3 and 7 July 2018. It will host an audience of 250 people in Marseille and will focus on SDG 13, which deals with the response to climate change and its links with the other SDGs:

- **Public health and matters relating to epidemiological risks, emerging diseases and methods of health systems organisation.**
- **Water resources through changes to the water cycle, deterioration of access to water and methods of governance for sustainable management.**
- **The Mediterranean area and the issue of the various scales of governance, particularly in the light in of climate and natural risks and also the challenge of sustainable urbanisation.**

Three training programmes will be offered, each of which will be subdivided into 3 theme-based modules.

The planned format is as follows:

- One day of theme-based meetings with master classes by specialist speakers on issues related to each training programme:
 - ✓ Health and climate change
 - ✓ Water resource and management in the light of climate change
 - ✓ Climate change and the Mediterranean area
- Three training days per module in accordance with the following teaching continuum:
 - ✓ Recent scientific developments
 - ✓ Topic methodology
 - ✓ Region-based practical case
 - ✓ Action plan
 - ✓ Feedback

A detailed programme for these days will be available very soon.