



European RCEs Meeting 2024

‘Transformative Education: Nurturing the competencies for a sustainable world’

August 27– 29, Dinslaken, Germany

Participants: members of the European RCE network.

Purpose of this gathering:

- Identifying current opportunities and challenges for European RCEs
- Strengthening ongoing communication and collaboration between European RCEs

Agenda items highlighted in green are opportunities for hybrid participation

Monday 26 August

Arrival

19:00	Dinner – informal get-together
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Tuesday 27 August

Day 1

9:00	‘Early bird’ arrival – networking and coffee
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11:00	Opening, Welcome and Introductions
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- Welcome and icebreaker: RCE Ruhr
- Remarks
 - Ministry of Environment of Japan
 - UNU-IAS/Global RCE Service Centre
 - UNESCO Germany
 - European Regional Advisor/Communicators
 - RCE European Youth Co-ordinators
- Input from the host of the 2023 Regional Meeting: RCE Basque Country-Navarre & RCE Fryslân.

12:00	Setting the Scene
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- About this Meeting: aims and structure

12:30	Lunch and Networking
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13:30	Stimulus input #1 led by host (RCE Ruhr):
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- ‘Partnerships’ workshop & discussion

15:30	Break
15.40	Wrap-up and plenary discussion outlining Day 2 (for online participants only). Concludes at 16:00.
16:00	Stimulus input #2 led by host (RCE Ruhr): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 'Seven Gardens' workshop
17:30	Wrap-up and plenary discussion outlining Day 2
18:00	Formal business concludes for the day
19:00	Shared meals with guests: 'Meet the Makers' Open-ended finish time.

Wednesday 28 August
Day 2

9:00	'Early bird' arrival – networking and coffee
10:00	Stimulus input #3 led by host (RCE Ruhr): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 'Pocket programmes'
12:00	Poster marketplace – online and in person (unfacilitated, all participating RCEs)

13:00	Lunch and Networking
14:00	Youth Co-ordinator input: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • To include a discussion on the appointment of the Regional Youth Coordinator for the European Region for the next term starting in 2025
14:45	'Open Space' session briefing
15:00	'Open Space' session begins
16:00	Break
16:10	Wrap-up and plenary discussion outlining Day 3 (for online participants only). Concludes at 16:30
16:15	'Open Space' session continues for in-person participants
17:00	Wrap-up and plenary discussion outlining Day 3
18:00	Formal business concludes for the day
19:00	Shared meals with guests: 'Meet the Makers: Company, Civil society, Co-operation partners' Open-ended finish time.

Thursday 29 August**Day 3**

08:30	'Early bird' arrival – networking and coffee
09:00	Stimulus input #4 led by host (RCE Ruhr in collaboration with RCE Oldenburger-Münsterland) 'Continuing the Collaboration: strategies, tools, and ideas'
09:30	Discussion: next steps for the RCE Europe Network
12:00	Summary and farewell Conclusion of formal business and end of Meeting
13:00	Lunch
14:30	Optional additional Open Space and Networking opportunities
17:00	Close