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Sustainability Science Centre



The Sustainability Science Centre
belongs to you and everyone
else at the University
of Copenhagen.



Your entry point for *sustainability*

The Sustainability Science Centre (SSC) is an infrastructure that, since 2012, has been supporting research and educational activities across the University of Copenhagen relevant for sustainable development. Transforming society on a more sustainable trajectory is the greatest challenge facing humankind. Such transformation requires systemic thinking which, in turn, relies on input from all academic disciplines.

SSC provides a platform where researchers and students alike can focus on using their competences to achieve a more sustainable development of our societies. SSC represents a network of researchers interested in contributing to societal transformation from across the university and profiles the university's activities in this field for the public. Thus, SSC serves as a “portal” for both businesses and governments for gaining access to the knowledge and many competences found at the university that may be relevant for their own sustainability journeys.

However, we will never achieve sustainable development without citizen engagement. Therefore, an important focus of SSC's activities is making relevant new knowledge regarding sustainability challenges and their solutions available to the public. Here, digital media are often employed for developing teaching materials like Massive Open Online Courses (MOOCs) that allows SSC to have an operating sphere that goes well beyond Denmark.

In summary, Sustainability Science Centre places the University of Copenhagen on the map as a leader within the field of sustainable development, working to advance our understanding of current issues and promote sustainable practices in society through research, education, and public engagement.



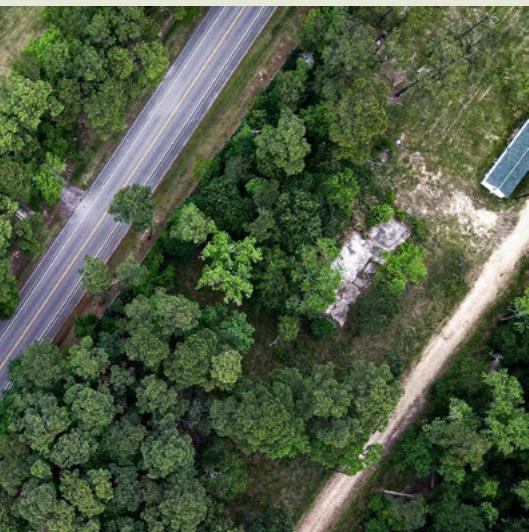
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Sustainability science draws from all academic disciplines and focuses on providing the knowledge necessary to bring the dynamic relationship between humanity and the planet on a sustainable trajectory.





*Engagement for *future* *development**

The Sustainability Science Centre (SSC) is engaged in the promotion of education and public engagement on sustainability issues across topics, fields, and disciplines aiming at making the University of Copenhagen a leading actor in the field. SSC offers and facilitates a variety of activities, events, and resources including courses, workshops, and public lectures.

In addition, we collaborate with communities, organizations, and institutions to promote sustainable practices and policies. We help connect the university's researchers and students, as well as members of the public, in order to address issues relating to sustainable development and societal transformation.

Finally, we are engaged in ongoing projects reaching outside of the university with the development of educational activities and materials, as well as media productions, including documentaries and podcasts.

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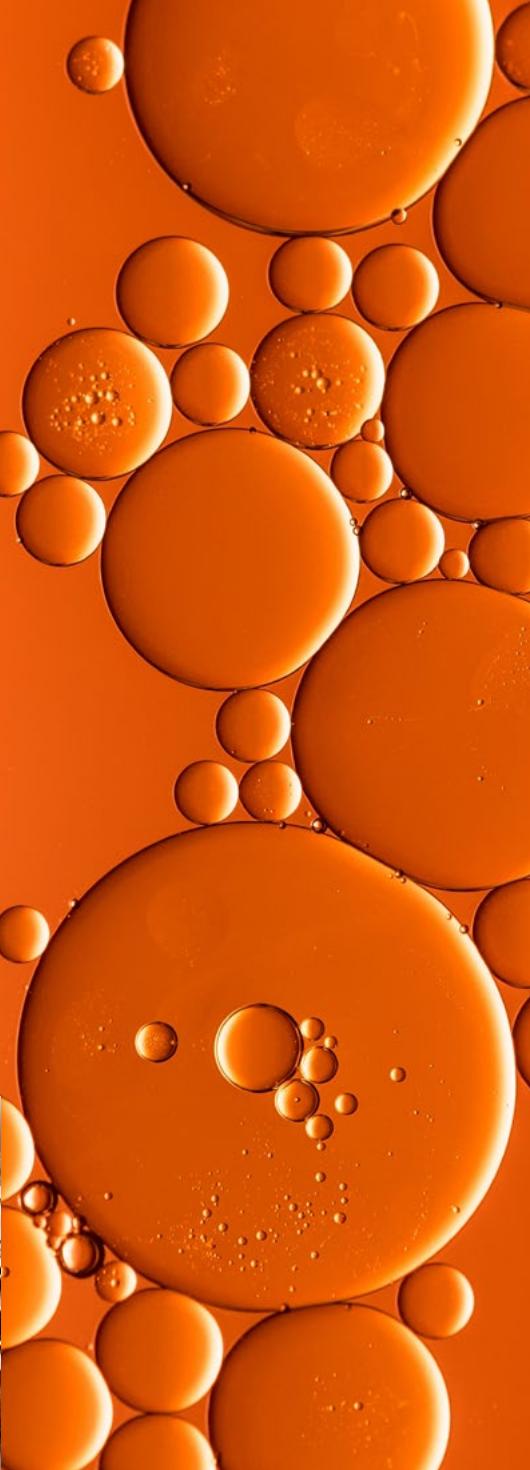
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Life Below Water, Climate Action, Reduced Inequalities. Not only do we address the increasing interest in global sustainability issues among students through cross-disciplinary activities. We also make it easier for students to navigate at the University of Copenhagen.

Through our website, we provide a database and overview of the many courses at both the Bachelor and Master's levels in both Danish and English relating to the 17 UN Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs).

Visit our website, get inspired, and find the courses that best match your personal and educational interests. Here, you also find resources on additional opportunities to shape your academic profile, including open online courses and lectures.

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Networks for *knowledge*

The UN Sustainable Development Goals provide a global and cross-disciplinary vision for the future sustainable society. At the University of Copenhagen, research and education are organized in faculties that all carry out activities relevant for innovative solutions and sustainable development. Since 2012, Sustainability Science Centre (SSC) has been providing the platform for the development and cultivation of synergies between research, education, and society.

In addition, SSC provides an entry point for members of society and stakeholders outside of the university to access the variety of competences and skills relevant to sustainable development found at the university in order to address the global challenges of tomorrow.

Using our website, you find an overview of the many active networks, collaborations, and entry points associated with the University of Copenhagen, including research groups, cross-faculty centres, student organizations, and the UN Sustainability Development Solutions Network (SDSN).

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