

# Journey



Climate-KIC

## Take action on climate change through entrepreneurship

Take action, join the Climate-KIC Journey: Europe's largest summer school for climate innovation, offering a unique combination of climate knowledge and hands-on business experience.

#climatejourney18

Apply until 18 February 2018 at [journey.climate-kic.org](http://journey.climate-kic.org)

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# Join our growing global movement of climate innovators


The Journey summer school provides you with climate change knowledge combined with entrepreneurship skills, allowing you to create - together with people from a wide range of backgrounds - a business model which will help our environment.

From validating an idea to understanding the market, structuring a business, and building a team, Climate-KIC gears you up for the world of climate entrepreneurship. Get the tools to make an impact on the global effort to find solutions to climate change, and become an entrepreneur.

The Journey is the right place to gain entirely new skills and a mindset to really make a difference.







“There seem not enough words to describe the most intense and inspiring three weeks I ever had. I have not only gained new knowledge and inspiration on how we can address global problems like climate change with innovative business ideas. I have also gained 40 new friends who will fight this challenge together! Let the journey continue...”

Participant, Journey 2017

## The Journey is your opportunity to:

- Join an international group of like-minded people from a range of academic and professional backgrounds
- Explore climate change first-hand in its scientific, environmental, political, social and economic contexts
- Create your own business idea related to climate change adaptation and/or mitigation
- Receive tuition from the brightest minds in the climate change field, located in the best academic institutions across Europe
- Be inspired by entrepreneurs and innovators who are already putting their ideas into practice
- Work in multidisciplinary teams supported by business coaches to develop and pitch your own ideas as potential business ventures
- Enhance your career qualifications

# What you will take away from the Journey

- A deeper understanding of entrepreneurship and climate change challenges
- An ability to communicate about climate change challenges and solutions
- An ability to develop and deliver ideas, products and services in response to climate challenges
- An ability to work in international and multidisciplinary groups
- An understanding of how business can react to climate change
- Practical support by mentoring to explore and realise your own vision for a sustainable world
- The tools to take positive action on climate change
- Membership of an active and influential network of entrepreneurs, innovators, businesses, regional governments and academic institutions



## Fees and applications

For EU students (holders of an EU/EEA/Swiss passport or students full time enrolled at a European institution during the 2017/18 academic year) there is no fee to take part in the Journey. For all other participants a fee will apply. Please consult our website for further details.

Applicants can choose between a 3-week and a 5-week programme.

For application forms, please visit our website [journey.climate-kic.org](http://journey.climate-kic.org)  
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## Contacts

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