

Western Balkan Program 2022, SeGRID – Good Governance

The curriculum combines digital and on-site lectures with workshops. These aim to develop skills for improving core public values such as efficiency, transparency, accessibility, and equality by the smart and sustainable use of digital technologies.

Online module (all activities on the Teams platform)	
Introduction and start of the module Monday 30 th May, Afternoon/evening	Welcome and outline of the program by Professor Wihlborg. Personal presentations. Q&A. Instructions on travel arrangements for August.
Traveling arrangements Friday 3 rd June Afternoon	Q&A on travel and practical arrangements in August.

Learning groups - one tutor per group *Each session is 2 hours	
Introduction and assignments 30 th or 31 st May Afternoon/evening	Discussing how to work together in the learning groups and individual assignment which is to be presented in August. Groups of 5-7 participants meet in Teams, one tutor follows each group. Preparation: Read the instructions and watch the film about 'best practice'. End of session: Answer the online quiz.
Resilience and innovation 7 th or 8 th June Afternoon/evening	Discussing challenges on building resilience and cultivating innovation in e-governance through digital technologies. Work in assigned learning groups in Teams with tutor. Preparation: Watch the recorded lectures, read the articles related to the issues. End of session: Answer the online quiz.
Democratic governance 13 th or 15 th June Afternoon/evening	Discussing challenges on promoting democracy and fostering inclusion through digital innovations in e-governance. Work in assigned learning groups in Teams with tutor. Preparation: Watch the recorded lectures, read the articles related to the issues. End of session: Answer the online quiz.
Best practice tutoring 20 th or 21 st June Afternoon/evening	Tutors available for individual support for presentations of best practice and poster design. Preparation: Work on posters and use the lessons learned so far.

SweWeek in August *preliminary week 33	
Kick-off day Sun 14 th Aug	Arrival at Arlanda Airport, Stockholm and check-in to hotel. Introduction session: welcome and keynote speech, best practice poster session and get to know each other including dinner. SeGRID alumni share experiences on Zoom during the evening.
Study visits Mon 15 th Aug	Study visits in Stockholm city: Government Offices of Sweden/Swedish Parliament/National Library of Sweden/SALAR, plus additional free time. Buffet dinner at Swedish Institute Bus to Linköping (follow-up quiz and instructions for the week) Check in at accommodation at Campus Valla, Linköping.
Good governance and digitalization Tues 16 th Aug	Lecture on 'Good Governance in the Digital Era', Q&A, introduction of group assignment Lunch Q&A following up with the online lecturers from June Study visit at Linköping municipality, meet politicians and public officials. Follow-up quiz Evening: Garden Party at Professors Wihlborg's house
Public leadership in the digital era Wed 17 th Aug	Full day: Roleplay about public leadership and digitalization for modern governance. Supervised by Ass. Professor Mariana Gustafsson. Follow-up quiz and reflections on learning outcomes.
Digital innovations and collaboration Thu 18 th Aug	Bus to Norrköping. Study visit at 'Visualisation Center' (http://visualiseringscenter.se/) Lunch and time for group work Norrköping Science Park, Norrköping municipality. Dinner and city walk in Norrköping Bus back to Campus Valla (follow-up quiz)
Final Ceremony Fri 19 th Aug	Presentation of projects Diploma Ceremony and closing ceremony. International potluck dinner and farewell.
Travel home Sat 20 st Aug	Check-out from accommodation Bus to Stockholm Arlanda Airport

Follow-up activities (optional)

These occasions will be open and optional for those who have an interest in any of the following:

Extra keynote lecture and Q&A Dates to be decided	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Lecture and dialogue on information security • The 2022 Swedish election and its outcomes
Supervision for project management and further collaboration Dates to be decided	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open session on general project management • Open session on funding for innovation projects • Open session on funding for student and practitioner exchange • Individual supervision by the SeGRID team by appointment. <p>Arranged in collaboration with representatives from LiU's International Office and faculty at the unit of Project Management and Innovations</p>
Supervision for academic writing and further collaboration Dates to be decided	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open session on writing and publishing in the field of sustainable digital government, presenting key conference options in the area. • Open session on academic writing and publishing (staff from the university library will support and show online search options and talk about plagiarism). • Individual supervision by the SeGRID team by appointment. <p>Arranged in collaboration with representatives from LiU Library and Academic Writing Unit.</p>