



# TRN Newsletter



Connecting Teachers & Researchers Across Europe

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## EDITORIAL

Welcome to the third issue of the EU4Dual Teachers and Researchers Network newsletter. In our previous editions, we introduced EU4Dual and highlighted several initiatives and activities relevant to academic staff across our partner universities. In this issue, we reflect on the EU4Dual Annual Conference held in April and highlight some of its key outcomes. We also present updates on our first Joint Dual Master's programmes and micro-credential opportunities, showcasing new avenues for collaboration, learning, and professional development across the EU4Dual community. We hope this newsletter provides valuable insights and encourages you to explore the many opportunities available through EU4Dual. Thank you for being part of our growing academic community.

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## LAUNCHING SOON: Joint Dual Master Programmes



[Digital and Sustainable Manufacturing Engineering](#)



[Green Economy and Sustainable Future](#)

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## NEW →

### Dual Microcredentials

In February 2026, FH JOANNEUM launched its first EU4Dual [dual Microcredential](#) (MC) on "[Sustainable Production Engineering](#)" and is now extending its portfolio with a new MC offer on "[Product Lifecycle Management](#)", starting in October. The Microcredential is developed in a partnership of at least two EU4Dual Partner Universities and one company. To get in touch with Work Package 4 on this topic, contact us at [nina.besirevic@fh-joanneum.at](mailto:nina.besirevic@fh-joanneum.at). For further available micro-credentials, visit our [Micro-credential Catalogue](#) and contact [lea.schmitt@dhbw-heidenheim.de](mailto:lea.schmitt@dhbw-heidenheim.de)

[Dual Micro-credential Catalogue](#) →

### TRN ONLINE PRESENTATION

Research collaborations within EU4Dual  
03 Sep 2026 | 14:00 CEST

[Join session](#) →

### FORUM ON THE FUTURE OF DUAL HIGHER EDUCATION

Hybrid event in Bilbao  
15 - 16 Oct 2026

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### EU4DUAL MOBILITY CATALOGUE NOW OPEN!

Explore mobility opportunities by country or study area (login with your university account)

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### ONLINE LANGUAGE TANDEM PROGRAMME

Learn languages through our new online tandem programme

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28 Sep - 02 Oct 2026

[Young Researchers' School \(Theme: Green Economy\)](#)

John von Neumann University

02 - 06 Nov 2026

[Young Researchers' School \(Theme: Healthy Innovation and Technology\)](#)

ESTIA Institute of Advanced Industrial Technologies

### FEATURE



## EU4Dual ANNUAL CONFERENCE (22 - 23 April 2026)

### Shaping a Healthier Tomorrow

The EU4Dual Annual Conference brought together more than 400 participants from 16 countries in Heilbronn, Germany. Hosted by the Baden-Württemberg Cooperative State University (DHBW) under the slogan "Dual Innovation for a Healthier Tomorrow", this year's conference focused on Healthy Living and the role of dual higher education in addressing contemporary societal challenges. Over two days, students, academics, institutional representatives and external stakeholders from across the Alliance met to review ongoing initiatives and discuss future priorities. Topics included joint master's programmes, student mobility, work-based learning, research activities and the continued development of EU4Dual. The programme also featured speakers from government, higher education and industry, who shared perspectives on skills development, lifelong learning and the evolving relationship between education and the world of work

[Watch the conference recap](#) →