

# Green universities

conference on environment and climate change

18 November 2015

Warsaw, Novotel hotel



## PROGRAMME

10.30	Registration and coffee
11.00 - 11.15	<p><b>Welcome and opening by</b>  Miroslaw Marczewski Director General Foundation for the Development of the Education System  H.E. Karsten Klepsvik Ambassador of the Kingdom of Norway</p>
11.15 – 12.00	<p><b>Introductory speeches</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>Environment and climate change in Development of Polish HEIs projects</i> by Katarzyna Aleksandrowicz, Director of the Scholarship and Training Fund in Poland</li> <li>• <i>Routes towards sustainability in Higher Education</i> – dr Elli Verhulst, Norwegian University of Science and Technology</li> <li>• <i>Raising environmental awareness through the EEA/Norway grants projects</i> – Barbro Thomsen, senior sector officer for Environment at the Financial Mechanism Office</li> </ul>
12.00 – 13.00	<p><b>Panel discussion</b>  <i>on the role of HEIs in the formation of environmental awareness, strengthening competences of students, graduates and staff in the field of environment and climate change, as an important factor for sustainable economic growth – exchange of experience, challenges and directions for future development</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Professor Zofia Wysokińska Ph.D., Pro-Rector in Charge of International Affairs, University of Łódź – moderator;</li> <li>• dr Tomasz Perkowski – Deputy President of the Board, Foundation for Polish Science;</li> <li>• dr Anna Kalinowska – University of Warsaw, Director of the University Centre for Environmental Studies and Sustainable Development;</li> <li>• dr Elli Verhulst, Norwegian University of Science and Technology Trondheim;</li> <li>• dr sc. ing. Julija Gušča, Associate Professor at the Institute for Energy Systems and Environment, Riga Technical University</li> </ul>

13.00 – 13.45	Lunch
13.45-14.45	<p><b>Presentation of selected projects with the priority on environment and climate change:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>Architecture for Society of Knowledge – ASK – English-speaking doctoral course at the Faculty of Architecture, Warsaw University of Technology (FSS/2014/HEI/W/0007);</i></li> <li>• <i>Environmental education for sustainable development in initial teacher education, Maria Grzegorzewska Academy of Special Education in Warsaw in partnership with the University of Agder (FSS/2014/HEI/W/0017);</i></li> <li>• <i>Drawing up and promotion of interdisciplinary major "Analysis and trends creation" University of Warmia and Mazury in Olsztyn (FSS/2014/HEI/W/0072);</i></li> <li>• <i>Implementation of specialties „Renewable energy and waste management” and “Protection and management of natural resources”, State Higher Vocational School in Tarnow in partnership with the Faculty of Applied Ecology and Agricultural Sciences, Hedmark University College (FSS/2014/HEI/W/0023);</i></li> <li>• <i>Mobile Application Development in Environment Monitoring - a new Program of Master Studies in English, Lublin University of Technology (FSS/2014/HEI/W/0076).</i></li> </ul>