



Student Leadership Bootcamp Warsaw 2026

Call for Trainers

The Opportunity

The European university college Association (EucA) invites experienced trainers and subject-matter experts from EucA network to submit session proposals for the Student Leadership Bootcamp, taking place in Warsaw, Poland, from 16 - 18 April 2026.

Now in its 4th edition, this event brings together student leaders from university colleges across Europe to explore exciting aspects of student life through innovative and interactive sessions. Participants will discover diverse traditions, organizational models, and engagement practices from colleges throughout Europe.

Why you should participate

Participating as a trainer in the Student Leadership Bootcamp is an opportunity to directly shape the next generation of student leaders across Europe. By joining, you will contribute to a collaborative and impactful learning environment, expand your professional network within a diverse academic community, and share your expertise with motivated young leaders.

Trainer Profile and Responsibilities

Trainer Profile

We are looking for trainers with proven experience in mentoring, teaching, or facilitating interactive workshops for student or academic audiences. Candidates must possess excellent teamwork skills and be available to actively contribute before and during the event.

Selection Process

A maximum of 4 trainers will be selected. The selection will be based on the following criteria:

- Relevance and quality of the proposed session content.
- Experience in training student/academic audiences, as demonstrated in the Trainer Bio.
- Applications will be reviewed on a rolling basis, so early submissions are strongly encouraged.



- Previous Participation: Experience and participation in previous EucA Bootcamps or events will be considered a significant plus.

Expected Contributions

- Attend at least 5 preparatory meetings prior to the event.
- Assist with logistical support during the event, helping coordinate with students and session activities.
- Help review up to 30 student proposals and provide feedback on student submissions for the Call for Presentations between January and February 2026.
- Deliver a training session of approximately 30–45 minutes on one of the four bootcamp topics listed below.

Topics for Sessions

We strongly encourage proposals that are highly interactive and learning outcomes-oriented within the following four mandatory thematic areas:

1. Active Citizenship: Promoting democratic participation, social advocacy, civic duties, and the role of student leaders in societal change.
2. Student Engagement: Strategies for building strong campus communities, increasing participation in college life, and fostering a sense of belonging.
3. Mental Health: Practical tools for stress management, promoting student well-being, peer support strategies, and recognizing mental health challenges.
4. Sustainability: Implementing environmental initiatives, integrating sustainable practices into college operations, and driving student-led climate action.

Financial and Logistical Coverage for Trainers

EucA will offer the following logistical support for all selected trainers:

- Accommodation: Up to €250 contribution, recommended for 2–3 nights (we suggest 3 nights for full participation).
- Meals: One dinner with EucA staff, one lunch during the event, and one aperitivo.

Please note that travel expenses (flights, train tickets, etc.) to and from Warsaw are NOT covered by EucA.

Timeline

Key dates for the application and preparation process are outlined below.

Action	Date
Application Deadline	17 November 2025
Notification of Acceptance	19 November 2025
1st Preparation Meeting	Early December 2026
2nd Preparation Meeting	Early January 2026
Review student submissions and provide actionable feedback	End of February - Early March
3rd Preparation Meeting	Early February 2026
4th & 5th Preparation Meeting	Early March 2026 & Early April (before the event)
Event in person	16-18 April 2026

Application Submission

Submit your proposal by 17 November 2025 using the application form linked below. Make sure to include all required information, including your trainer bio, session title, abstract, format, and technical needs. Early submissions are strongly encouraged, as applications will be reviewed on a rolling basis.

- [Application form link](#)

We look forward to reviewing your proposal and partnering with you to empower Europe's next generation of student leaders!

If you need more information, please contact us!

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