



SDE21»22, PROGRAMME  
WUPPERTAL RELEASES AN EXCITING AGENDA

<b>Event Calendar SDE 21/22</b> Main event from 10 - 26 June 2022				
	<b>Thursday, June 09, 2022</b> Congress „Energiewendebauen“	<b>Friday, June 10, 2022</b> 3.00 pm - 9.30 pm Congress „Energiewendebauen“ SDE 21/22 Opening Ceremony „Speed Peer Reviews“ of the SDE21/22-Teams	<b>Saturday, June 11, 2022</b> 10.30 am - 9.30 pm Side programme: Chamber of Architects of North Rhine-Westphalia Country- & Culture Day: The Netherlands	<b>Sunday, June 12, 2022</b> 10.30 am - 9.30 pm Side programme: Wuppertal presents itself Country- & Culture Day: Thailand Award ceremony: CESA Award (Communication, Education & Social Awareness) OOC-Ceremony: Mirke Choice Award
<b>Wednesday, June 15, 2022</b> CLOSED	<b>Thursday, June 16, 2022</b> 12.00 am - 9.30 pm Side programme: GdW und GWG Wuppertal Country- & Culture Day: Turkey Award ceremony: Affordability & Viability Award OOC-Ceremony: German Sustainable Housing Award by the German housing industry (GdW)	<b>Friday, June 17, 2022</b> 10.30 am - 9.30 pm Country- & Culture Day: France Education Day Award ceremony: Engineering & Construction Award OOC-Ceremony: Indoor Air Quality Award by the Association for buildings and indoor air quality (FGK) and Solar Award by the International Solar Energy Society (ISES) & Solar Heating and Cooling (SHC)	<b>Saturday, June 18, 2022</b> 10.30 am - 9.30 pm Side programme: Chamber of Crafts Country- & Culture Day: Spain Award ceremony: Sustainability Award OOC-Ceremony: Craft Award 'Building for Future' by the Solingen-Wuppertal District Craft Association	<b>Sunday, June 19, 2022</b> 10.30 am - 9.30 pm Side programme: Timber Construction Associations Country- & Culture Day: Germany OOC-Ceremony: Timber Construction Award by the cooperation of Timber Construction Associations
<b>Wednesday, June 22, 2022</b> 12.00 am - 9.30 pm Side programme: VDI, BIM Institut (BUW) and buildingSMART Germany Country- & Culture Day: Hungary Education Day Award ceremony: Energy Performance Award   Comfort Award   House Functioning Award OOC-Ceremony: Green BIM Award by the Association of German Engineers (VDI)	<b>Thursday, June 23, 2022</b> 10.30 am - 9.30 pm Country- & Culture Day: Sweden Education Day Award ceremony: Urban Mobility Award OOC-Ceremony: Applied Mobility Sciences Award by the European Platform of Transport Sciences – EPTS Foundation e.V.	<b>Friday, June 24, 2022</b> 10.30 am - 9.30 pm Country- & Culture Day: Romania Education Day Final Award Ceremony: Architecture Award   Innovation Award   Final Award	<b>Saturday, June 25, 2022</b> 10.30 am - 10.30 pm Side programme: bdia & LITG Country- & Culture Day: Taiwan OOC-Ceremony: Human Centered Interior Architecture Award by the Association of German Interior Architects (bdia) and Sustainable Architectural Lighting Award by the German Lighting Society (LITG)	<b>Sunday, June 26, 2022</b> 10.30 am - 9.30 pm Country- & Culture Day: Czech Republic OOC-Ceremony: Peoples Choice Award (Audience award)

The Solar Decathlon Europe 2021 (in 2022) will take place this summer in the German city of Wuppertal. This international event gathers multidisciplinary researchers and sustainability experts to showcase cutting-edge research and technologies surrounding sustainable architecture, renewable energy, water, waste and food systems. The ultimate goal is to catalyse the transition towards a socially inclusive and ecologically regenerative future.

We are happy to echo the official SDE21»22 programme, which has been released by the SDE21»22 Host City Executives. The event is set to take place from the 10th – 26th June, 2022. At the heart of the SDE21»22 are eighteen Teams who will breathe life into their concepts, transforming them into tangible and functional buildings. The Teams' eighteen innovative prototypes will form part of a living laboratory to further explore resource-responsible communities. Visitors will be given guided tours of the Solar Campus to gain a glimpse into the future of sustainable cities.



#### PROGRAMME SCHEDULE

The Wuppertal Solar Campus will be open to visitors for guided tours on the following eleven days in June 2022: 10th-12th, 16th-19th and 22nd-26th. These guided tours are excellent opportunities for networking and learning more about sustainability sciences. During the non-public days, various technical measurements and jury visits will determine the SDE21»22 final results and winning Teams.

#### THE ULTIMATE DESTINATION FOR URBAN SUSTAINABILITY

The SDE21»22 includes multiple avenues for engagement, as it includes conferences, exhibitions, talks and tours. The Director of Architecture Dr-Ing. Katharina Simon from the University of Wuppertal further explains:

*"In addition to expert conferences and symposia, the accompanying cultural programme with country and culture days make the SDE21»22 a multifaceted international event.*

*Our motto is 'Sustainable building and living at your fingertips.'"*

True to the spirit of the Solar Decathlon Europe, there will be age-appropriate tours and dedicated excursion days for schoolchildren. These will inspire and empower the youth to develop the intellectual, emotional and creative capacities to tackle contemporary socio-ecological challenges.

#### A NOTE ON COVID-19 COMPLIANCE

Various health and safety protocol will be implemented to ensure public hygiene is maintained across the event area, which is approximately 44 000 m<sup>2</sup>. Dr. Daniel Lorberg from the University of Wuppertal explains that multiple scenarios will be prepared for to ensure a safe event for everyone:

*"This applies to, for example, arrival and departure traffic, as well as possible queuing on-site. In addition to general measures, we envisage limiting the number of visitors who can be in the area at the same time, and a ticketing system. In this way, we will simultaneously counter possible risks and relieve the traffic situation in the district."*

Those who are not able to attend the event in-person will be welcome to follow online live stream videos and immersive 3D digital tours.

#### INTERNATIONAL VOICES

This international gathering of young, ambitious, and creative building scientists will be a gateway for learning. Broad audiences will have hands-on access to new knowledge. Louise Holloway, from the Energy Endeavour Foundation, SDE's governing body, urges:

*"The Solar Decathlon Europe is one-of-a-kind. Join us for an immersive experience, a singular opportunity to exchange and share with our next generation of clean-energy makers and doers, tomorrow's professionals, who will gather in Germany, from all over the world."*



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**<https://sde21.eu/event/programme>**  
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