



ImPUISe Spring School 2024: Sustainable Agro-Food Supply Systems Innovation Potential, Challenges, Opportunities

Are you passionate about sustainability in agricultural food supply chains? Join us at the **ImPUISe Spring School 2024**, hosted by the **Centre for Logistics and Traffic** (**ZLV**) at the **University of Duisburg-Essen** (**UDE**), Germany, to embark on a transformative learning journey.

The ImPUlSe Spring School 2024 was born from the visionary of the ImPUlSe project funded by the German Federal Ministry of Education and Research, under the umbrella of the Partnership for Research and Innovation in the Mediterranean Area (PRIMA) of the European Commission.

When: April 29 to May 6, 2024. **Where**: Duisburg, Germany

What to Expect?

- **Interdisciplinary Exploration**: Engage in the complexities of sustainable food systems with a dynamic consortium of academic and industrial participants from diverse backgrounds and nationalities.
- **Cutting-Edge Insights**: cutting-edge research and innovation approaches to enhance sustainable agricultural production. Learn from experts through lectures, workshops, and case studies.
- **Cultural Immersion**: Immerse yourself in designing innovative supply chains for agricultural by-products, taking into account socio-economic factors, digitization, and circular economy principles.
- **Field Trips**: Explore the vibrant surroundings of Duisburg and experience the practical significance of sustainable supply chains during site visits at selected companies.

Why to attend?

- **Global Challenges, Local Solutions**: Gain a comprehensive understanding of entire food supply chains from farm to fork, logistics services and transport-related energy consumption, impacting food security.
- **Strategic Sustainability**: Gain insights into resilience and sustainability challenges and understand complex models that capture extended supply chains.
- **Strategic Thinking**: Explore the long-term implications of strategic decisions on food security, supply chains, and circular economy practices.
- **Equip yourself**: Acquire the skills, tools, and knowledge needed to drive positive change.

Participation:

- Download the application form <u>here</u>.
- 25 participants from Egypt, Algeria, Iraq, Yemen, Jordan, Lebanon, Libya, Morocco, Sudan, and Tunisia will receive financial support from DAAD to cover expenses for flight, accommodation, and catering.
- Participants will be selected based on a holistic review of their applications, considering the potential impact of the Spring School on the applicant's career and their potential contributions to the field of sustainable agro-food supply chains.

Don't miss this opportunity to be part of a transformative learning experience. Let's cultivate a greener, more resilient future together!