

# 8th

## SUSTAINABLE SUMMER SCHOOL

AUGUST 12  
+ 7 DAYS / 2018

SMARTPHONES, RESOURCES  
AND HUMAN RIGHTS —  
A TRANS-DISCIPLINARY  
APPROACH

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PARTNERS



## SCHEDULE

All breakfasts, lunches and dinners will be held as group meals in order to strengthen the communication and foster the exchange.

### **Sunday, August 12th**

Arrival before 6 p.m.

First orientation, get-to-know

Forming the workshop groups

### **Monday, August 13th**

Introduction to the current state of Smartphone

Research by Wuppertal Institute

### **Tuesday, August 14th**

Expert Day with renowned experts from research, corporations, humanitarian organizations, and civil society.

### **Wednesday, August 15th**

Workshop sessions all day.

### **Thursday, August 16th**

Workshop sessions all day

### **Friday, August 17th**

Workshop sessions all day

### **Saturday, August 18th**

a.m.: Preparing the presentations of workshop results

p.m.: Presentation of the workshop results.

Farewell Party

### **Sunday, August 19th**

Departure after breakfast

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## **The Topic**

The introduction of smartphones is one of the most striking cultural innovations since the invention of printing. Within one decade, smartphones have radically effected on our everyday lives. These revolutionary innovation is just about to accelerate the changes in our lives, our cultural and economic patterns, and even of our bodies in an unprecedented manner. On the other hand, smartphone production and use has enormous impacts on material flows around the globe, challenging all efforts towards a circular economy. The impacts are not limited to the resources of the planet only, but affect as well all the people who are ensnared into the extraction of resources, their well-being, their political and ecological situation, and their human right situation. We will immerse into these challenging contexts in a one-week intensive workshop with a strong trans-disciplinary approach.

## **Registration**

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