

To whom it may concern

Dear Receiver,

The Baltic University Program (BUP), Associate Secretariat at Åbo Akademi University, Finland, we are delighted to invite **Yuliya Kharchenko, associated professor and senior lecturer at Sumy Makarenko Pedagogical University** to take part in the workshop at Riga Technical University (RTU), 27-29 September 2023. The workshop is a part of the BUP Teachers' Course "Education for Sustainable Development (ESD) in Higher Education". The workshop is organized by the Baltic University Program, Associate Secretariat at Åbo Akademi University in cooperation with our host RTU.

The BUP Teachers' Course Education for Sustainable Development in Higher Education is running from September 2023 to March 2024. The focus lies on sustainable development (SD) issues and ESD methodology. All the participants develop a so-called change project, where they reflect on SD and ESD in their own teaching and learning. The course is international with participants from the whole Baltic Sea drainage area.

Yuliya Kharchenko is one of thirty selected participants. The number of applications for the course was over seventy.

Participation is free of charges, including accommodation, for participants from BUP member universities (as Sumy Makarenko Pedagogical University). Travel costs for the Ukrainian participants to Riga and back will be covered by the BUP project RESCUU (Resilience of Education: Sustainability and Cooperation for Ukrainian Universities).

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