





Trinational KTUR Summer School Entrepreneurship 2023

On the way to your own company



The Trinational KTUR Summer School provides first-hand insights into the dynamic world of entrepreneurs. Over the course of a week, the big questions of any business are examined from a practical perspective: What is my business model? How do I make money? Where does the funding come from? How can I attract enough customers? Am I suitable as an entrepreneur? What is a business plan? How do I attract and motivate employees?

Furthermore, do you enjoy meeting students from Germany and France and extend your network in the Upper Rhine Region? Then this Summer School is for you. It is a collaboration across borders between University of Strasbourg, University of Freiburg and the University of Applied Sciences and Arts Northwestern Switzerland. The class will compromise of students from all three countries and we will have inputs from lecturers and founders from the different universities.

The sessions are interactive and each day there is time to apply the tools and techniques to business ideas from the class in interdisciplinary teams.

The EU project Knowledge Transfer Upper Rhine (KTUR), launched in the fall of 2019, marked the start of systematic cooperation among Upper Rhine universities, research institutions, trade associations, and companies in the field of knowledge and technology transfer.

Target Group	 Students at all levels in the Upper Rhine region, as well as international students; especially students with little knowledge of business administration. Students who are considering setting up their own company in the future. Students who want to understand what it means to start and run a business.
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	It is not necessary to already have a business idea or entrepreneurial activities. Interest in the topic is crucial. The Summer School is limited to 40 participants.				
Time Place	Monday 28 August until Friday 1 September 2023. The five days will be divided between University of Freiburg (Germany) for Monday/Tuesday, Campus Basel FHNW (Switzerland) for Wednesday/Thursday and University of Strasbourg (France) for Friday				
Learning Objectives	 The students: recognize different business models and assess their potential for success. reflect on the extent to which they are suitable as entrepreneurs. distinguish between different methods of attracting customers. explain the different ways in which businesses make money. use different methods to develop and test business ideas. are aware of the important legal issues involved in starting a business. present ideas in a convincing manner. 				
Programme	Monday, 28 Aug 23 Freiburg	Morning, 8.30 – 12.00 Introduction / Ideation / Business Model Idea generation with different creativity techniques Selection and development of promising ideas	Afternooon, 13.15-17.00 Business model development Development of the business model for the selected ideas (Magic triangle)		
	Tuesday, 29 Aug 23 Freiburg	Intercultural Management Cultural awareness Cultural dimensions Communication across cross-cultural teams Pitching How do I present an idea convincingly?	Market analysis 5 forces Competiton analysis Market segmentation Persona		
	Wednes- day, 30 Aug 23	Market entry How do I reach my customers? Marketing strategy	Minimal Viable Product MVP		

	Basel	Offline / Online / Sales Pricing	How can I test in a quick and cheap way, whether my business idea is viable? How can I constantly improve?	
	Thursday, 31 Aug 23	Finances and Funding How will my idea work out financially?	Me as an entrepreneur and my team What makes a founder?	
	Basel	How much capital do I need? How do I get the required capital?	What do I need to consider for my co-founding team? How do I recruit the right employees?	
	Friday, 1 Sept 23	Pitches Final presentations of the	Ecosystem and Closing	
	Strasbourg	business ideas	Feedbacks to the groups Entrepreneurial Ecosystem and offerings in the Upper Rhine region by the different universities	
			Awards and Closing	
ECTS	The Summer School gives 2 ECTS. Active participation during the whole week is required to receive the credits. Please contact your university regarding the recognition.			
Faculty	Different lecturers and entrepreneurs from France, Germany and Switzerland. For questions contact: Dario Meyer, dario.meyer@fhnw.ch			
Language	English			

Application

Please apply at the below link with a short summary of why you want to be part of the Trinational KTUR Summer School: https://ktur.eu/en/trinational-ktur-summer-school-entrepreneurship-on-the-way-to-your-own-company-28-august-to-1-september-2023/

The deadline for registration is May 31, 2023. The number of places is limited. You will hear of us by early June 2023, whether your application was successful.