Trinational KTUR Summer School Entrepreneurship 2021

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; 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.
- 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 60 participants.

**Time**

Monday, 30 August until Friday, 3 September 2021

**Place**

Campus Basel FHNW, Switzerland, except Monday, 30 August in Freiburg and Friday, 3 September in Strasbourg
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.

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| Monday, 30 August 21 | **Introduction / Ideation / Business Model**  
Idea generation with different creativity techniques  
Selection and development of promising ideas  
**Business model development**  
Selection of ideas to be worked on during the week and development of the business model (7-key model)  
**Startup Event 16.00-18.00** |
| FREIBURG | | |
| Tuesday, 31 August 21 | **Intercultural Management**  
Cultural awareness  
Cultural dimensions  
Communication across cross-cultural teams  
**Market analysis**  
5 forces  
Competiton analysis  
Market segmentation  
Persona  
Group work |
| BASEL | | |
| Wednesday, 1 Sept 21 | **Market entry**  
How do I reach my customers?  
Marketing strategy  
Offline / Online / Sales Pricing  
Group Work  
**Minimal Viable Product MVP**  
How can I test in a quick and cheap way, whether my business idea is viable?  
How can I constantly improve?  
Group work |
| BASEL | | |
| Thursday, 2 Sept 21 | **Funding**  
How will my idea work out financially?  
How much capital do I need?  
How do I get the required capital?  
Group work  
**Me as an entrepreneur and my team**  
What makes a founder?  
What do I need to consider for my co-founding team?  
How do I recruit the right employees?  
**Pitching**  
How do I present an idea convincingly?  
Group work |
| BASEL | | |
| Friday, 3 Sept 21 | **Pitches**  
Final presentations of the business ideas  
**Ecosystem and Closing**  
Entrepreneurial Ecosystem and offerings in the Upper Rhine region  
Feedbacks to the groups  
Awards and Closing |
| STRASBOURG | | |
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.

Different lecturers and entrepreneurs from France, Germany and Switzerland.

English

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/trinational-ktur-summer-school-entrepreneurship-on-the-way-to-your-own-company/

The deadline for registration is June 30, 2021. The number of places is limited. You will hear of us by Mid-July 2021, whether your application was successful.