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SUSTAINABILITY
EDUCATION IN
SINGAPORE

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2026 COURSE CALENDAR

**NUS
Sustainability
Academy**

Name of course	Start date	End date	Period	Course Fee
MFA SCP Program				
Article 6 Implementation on National Basis	9 Feb	13 Feb	5 days	Government-nomination only
The State of Blue Carbon Science, Policy, and Finance	23 Mar	27 Mar	5 Days	Government-nomination only
Professional Certificate in Carbon Services and Trading				
Navigating Policy Developments and Trends in Carbon Markets	19 May	20 May	2 days	S\$2,250 without GST S\$2452.50 with GST
	15 Sept	16 Sept		
Carbon Project Development	16 Nov	18 Nov	3 days	S\$3150 without GST
Carbon Measurement, Reporting and Verification	16 Jun	18 Jun	3 days	S\$3150 without GST
Sustainability 101 Courses				
Sustainability 101 Course for the Army	22 Apr	24 Apr	3 days	S\$2625 without GST S\$2861 with GST
Climate Change and Sustainability 101 Course for Public Officers	6 Apr 6 Jul 26 Oct 30 Nov	9 Apr 9 Jul 29 Oct 3 Dec	4 days	S\$3430 without GST S\$3738 with GST
Other Courses in Collaboration with other NUS Faculties and Organizations				
Sustainability Learning Journeys	27 Jul 23 Sept	29 Jul 25 Sept	3 Days	By nomination only
Capacity Building for Nature and Biodiversity-related Issues	TBC	TBC	3 days	More information will be released

Send in your interest to sustainabilityacademy@nus.edu.sg

introduction

CET programmes at NUS Sustainability Academy *go beyond climate and sustainability science* – we also equip individuals with **tools**, **evidence-backed knowledge**, and **actionable research** from our interdisciplinary pool of researchers in nature-based solutions, the wider NUS ecosystem, and industry experts.

This course brochure contains titles and descriptions of all the courses NUS Sustainability Academy plans to offer in 2026. Dates, prices and venue are subject to change particularly where SkillsFuture subsidies may be applicable. All courses are held in-person at the National University of Singapore unless otherwise specified.

We will update our webpage (<https://sustainability.nus.edu.sg/education/sustainabilityacademy/>) once new information is ready but please email us at sustainabilityacademy@nus.edu.sg for the latest information or to reserve your place.

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FEB

9-13 Article 6
5 DAYS Implementation
on National Basis

MAR

23-27 The State of Blue
5 DAYS Carbon Science,
Policy, and
Finance

APR

6-9 Climate Change
4 DAYS and Sustainability
101 Course for
Public Officers

MAY

19-20 Navigating Policy
2 DAYS Developments
and Trends in
Carbon Markets

21, 22,
24
3 DAYS Sustainability 101
Course for the
Army

2026 calendar

JUN

16-18 Carbon
3 DAYS Measurement,
Reporting and
Verification

JUL

6-9 Climate Change
4 DAYS and Sustainability
101 for Public
Officers

27-29 Sustainability
3 DAYS Learning Journey

AUG

TBC Capacity Building
for Nature and
Biodiversity-related
Issues

SEPT

15-16 Navigating Policy
2 DAYS Developments and
Trends in Carbon
Markets

23-25 Sustainability
3 DAYS Learning Journey

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OCT

26-29
4 DAYS
Climate Change
and Sustainability
101 Course for
Public Officers

NOV/ DEC

16-18
NOV
3 DAYS
Carbon Project
Development

30-3
DEC
4 DAYS
Climate Change
and Sustainability
101 Course for
Public Officers

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COURSE DESCRIPTION

ARTICLE 6 IMPLEMENTATION ON NATIONAL BASIS

This course will explore how nations can implement the comprehensive requirements of Article 6 of the Paris Agreement effectively and realistically. It is targeted for mid-senior level government officials, covering topics such as the Article 6 of the Paris Agreement, benefits and interactions with NDCs, identification of eligible projects, how Carbon registries are tracking and aligning for reporting and accounting and the current regulatory and legislative best practices.

Dates available:

09-13 February 2025

By Government-nomination only
<https://scp.gov.sg/starthome/course-detail/9745>

Deadline for nomination:

Closed



COURSE DESCRIPTION

THE STATE OF BLUE CARBON SCIENCE, POLICY AND FINANCE

This course will serve to enhance participants' understanding of the science, policy and financing tools available to conserve and restore coastal blue carbon ecosystems in the region. It will strengthen knowledge on the potential for blue carbon implementation in the region via sharing of lessons learned from countries already working to implement blue carbon projects. It will also build up the technical capacity needed by countries to implement priority national blue carbon actions.

Dates available:

23-27 March 2026

By Government-
nomination only
<https://scp.gov.sg/starthome/course-detail/9798>

**Deadline for
nomination:**

30 January 2026



CERTIFICATE DESCRIPTION

PROFESSIONAL CERTIFICATE IN CARBON SERVICES AND TRADING

Through 8 days of dialogues with academic, industry and government representatives, participants will be equipped with industry-relevant insights to the latest trends in carbon market developments, project development considerations and scientific methodologies and technologies for carbon measurements.

They will also gain insights on Article 6 of the Paris Agreement and the eligibility criteria for Singapore's International Carbon Credit (ICC) Framework, which are imperative for professionals working in carbon services and trading sector.

Courses:

- 1) Navigating Policy Developments and Trends in Carbon Markets
- 2) Carbon Project Development
- 3) Carbon Measurement, Reporting and Verification



Target Learners:

This course is designed for early to mid-career professionals (2 - 10 years exp). It will prepare learners in the following job roles to perform their responsibilities more effectively, and help learners to take up an occupation in the carbon services & trading sector.

COURSE DESCRIPTION

CARBON PROJECT DEVELOPMENT



Designed for professionals seeking practical, end-to-end fluency across nature-based and technology-based project types, the course will guide participants through the full development cycle - from project origination and financing to preparing Project Design Documents (PDDs), structuring co-benefits and stakeholder engagement, navigating legal and regulatory requirements across jurisdictions, and managing third-party audits.

Dates available:

16-18 November 2026

Course fees:

S\$3,375 without GST

S\$3,679 with GST

Target Learners

Individuals interested in acquiring skills to develop and manage a variety of different carbon project types and trade carbon credits on both compliance and voluntary markets internationally.

COURSE DESCRIPTION

CARBON MEASUREMENT, REPORTING AND VERIFICATION

This course aims to familiarize participants with scientific concepts and frameworks behind carbon mitigation as well as up-to-date measurement methodologies, standards and best practices.

This course will also provide participants with a foundational understanding of the methodologies and frameworks developed by standards organizations to analyse the credibility of different carbon credit projects, techniques for measuring and analysing carbon data such as geospatial imaging and geospecific remote sensing, tracking methodologies.

Dates available:

16-18 June 2026

Course fees:

S\$3,375 without GST

S\$3,679 with GST

Target Learners

Individuals interested in acquiring skills to develop and manage a variety of different carbon project types and trade carbon credits on both compliance and voluntary markets internationally



COURSE DESCRIPTION

NAVIGATING POLICY DEVELOPMENTS AND TRENDS IN CARBON MARKETS

This course serves as a catalyst for professionals to actively contribute to the green economy to help them navigate, contribute to and shape sustainable practices in the evolving landscape of carbon markets. It goes beyond a superficial understanding of carbon markets and covers strategic insights into investment decisions and provides practical tools for professionals looking to enter or partake more meaningfully in carbon markets.

Key topics will include 1) Paris Agreement Article 6, 2) Carbon Markets Pricing and Investors, 3) Quality and Integrity of Carbon Credits, 4) Co-benefits of Carbon Projects, and 5) Outlook of Carbon Markets.



Course fees:

S\$2,250 without GST

S\$2452.50 with GST

Dates available:

19-20 May 2026

15-17 September 2026

Target Learners:

This course is designed for early to mid-career professionals (2 - 10 years exp.) interested in entering a carbon services and trading occupation and looking for a comprehensive programme to refresh their understanding and knowledge.

COURSE DESCRIPTION

SUSTAINABILITY LEARNING JOURNEYS

Experiential learning adds a practical and interactive component to one's academic experience, allowing learners to apply theoretical knowledge in real-world situations. Taking the form of company or site visits, the development of sustainability learning journeys enables NUS Sustainability Academy to fulfil its role in bridging academic excellence with industry relevance, thus equipping current and future workforces with the skills and networks to lead Singapore's and ASEAN's green transition.



NUS Sustainability Academy launched our first learning journey to Sungei Buloh in February 2025, as part of the 5-day Nature-based Carbon Project Development and Measurement, Reporting and Verification course under the Ministry of Foreign Affairs Singapore Cooperation Programme (Sustainability Action Package), in collaboration with NParks and NUS colleagues. Participants enjoyed seeing mangroves for the first time; others developed deeper appreciation for the very ecosystems being protected in nature-based carbon projects.

COURSE DESCRIPTION

With the core mandate as a leading institute for sustainability continuing education and training, under a collaboration with Meta, NSA will be conducting a series of sustainability learning journeys in 2026 for ITE and NUS students.

This programme aims to guide students in identifying typical green job roles and map academic/ career pathways in the sustainability sector. It is designed to cover a broader idea of bridging academic learning and industry needs, building partnerships for sustainability talent development.

Dates available:

27-29 July 2026

23-25 September 2026

Nomination by Schools
only

Interested in collaborating for other forms of Learning Journeys?

Contact us at
[sustainabilityacademy
@nus.edu.sg](mailto:sustainabilityacademy@nus.edu.sg) to explore
our menu of options.



COURSE DESCRIPTION

CLIMATE CHANGE AND SUSTAINABILITY 101 COURSE FOR PUBLIC OFFICERS

CNCS launched its inaugural Sustainability 101 Course for Policy Officers in 2022 in collaboration with the National Climate Change Secretariat (NCCS), Prime Minister's Office Strategy Group, and NUS School of Continuing and Lifelong Education (SCALE) Global.

From 2025, NUS is partnering the Ministry of Sustainability and the Environment to broaden the target audience of government officers, and to provide new modalities such as the choice to customise learning experiences based on individual interest.

The “Climate Change and Sustainability 101 Course for Public Officers” is symbolic of a “whole-of-nation” sustainability movement to create a robust green talent pipeline as enshrined in the Singapore Green Plan 2030. In 2026, there will be new choices in relation to Food Resilience and Adaptation.

Dates available:

6-9 April 2026

6-9 July 2026

26-29 October 2026

30 Nov-3 December 2026

For Singapore
Government Public
Officers only



COURSE DESCRIPTION

SUSTAINABILITY 101 COURSE FOR THE ARMY

Building on the Sustainability 101 Course for Policy Officers and the customised Sustainability 101 Course for MINDEF Leadership in Sep 2023, CNCS collaborated with the Army Combat Service Support Command (CSSCOM) to launch the customised Sustainability 101 Course for the Army in Sep 2024.

This course is designed for officials from the Singapore Army who want to broaden their knowledge in sustainability, and acquire deep sustainability expertise in domain-specific areas.

Upon completion of this course, participants will be equipped with the knowledge and tools necessary to develop a sustainability mindset and incorporate sustainability principles and thinking into their workstreams.

Dates available:

21,22,24 April 2026

For Nomination
by Army only



COURSE DESCRIPTION

CAPACITY BUILDING FOR NATURE AND BIODIVERSITY RELATED ISSUES

Our economies are embedded in nature and not external to it. Natural capital accounting and biodiversity conservation has emerged as one major area of physical and transition risk for businesses. It is imperative to encourage and enable business to assess, report and act on their nature-related dependencies, impacts, risks and opportunities.

In response to the growing need in the area, NSA will be curating a workshop to build the capacity in Nature-related financing, reporting and practice.

Dates available:

TBC



GENERAL INFORMATION

Location

Classes are held at the National University of Singapore. NUS is located at 21 Kent Ridge Road, Singapore 119077 and is accessible by public transport including bus and MRT.

Admission Requirements

Please see course descriptions on our website for specific admission requirements for each course.

Application Deadlines

Application deadlines for short courses are a month before the start date of the course. It is advised to apply early as spaces fill up quickly.

Learning Materials

NUS uses our learning management portal Canvas to share learning material with participants. Once successfully registered for the course, the organizers will send log in details to access this material. Learning materials include pre-readings such as articles, videos as well as presenters' slides. Participants are encouraged to bring their laptops or tablets to access materials during the course. Laptops are also required for classroom activities.

Accommodation

NUS does not provide or help to secure accommodation for overseas participants.

GENERAL INFORMATION

Financial Assistance

The arrangement of financial support to cover all study costs is the responsibility of the applicant. Some participants are sponsored by their own governments, universities or employers, while others apply for a fellowship. More details about available fellowships for eligible countries will be made available on our website.

Applying for Courses

According to the latest link on website, do follow the guidance of either L3AP or OAP registration process.

If any issues may occur, contact us at sustainabilityacademy@nus.edu.sg

TESTIMONIALS



This course brought us out of our individual silos to understand the topic of sustainability from a more comprehensive and in-depth perspective, covering modules ranging from financial instruments in the carbon market and nature-based solutions to civil activism and sustainability reporting methodologies.

**-Humphrey Sew,
Director,
Strategic Comms
and Outreach Group
URA**

**- Dawn Chia,
Head of
Communications,
APAC & Japan,
Autodesk**

I just wanted to express my gratitude for a great learning experience this week! While I'm still trying to decode my learnings, I was thoroughly impressed with the great balance of topics as well as the selection of speakers including Melissa Low. I hope you run this course again!

Thank you very much, Team APCEL-CNCS and participants! A deeply engrossing seminar and engaging discussions with participants.

**-Chng Li Ling,
Partner, Head, Financial
Services (Regulatory)
Practice and Co-head,
Environmental, Social &
Governance Practice
RHT Law**

**-Loi Heng Yang,
Chief Transport
Officer, MINDEF**

The Course has provided good insights into the nation's sustainable efforts and how MINDEF personnel can have protected time to have deeper insights into relevant sustainability topics. Enjoyed the course.

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