

Businet Spring Workshop Sessions May 2026

All session times shown as CET

Monday 11 May	13.30 - 14.30	Tourism and Hospitality Management (Working Group)
Monday 11 May	15.00 – 16.00	Extended Board Feedback Meeting (Chairs/Co-Chairs only)
Tuesday 12 May	10.00 to 11.30	Information and Computer Technologies (WG)
Tuesday 12 May	11.30 - 12.30	Opening Businet Brunch - From Ecodesign to cognitive sustainability- how to evoke resilient learning behaviour in students
Tuesday 12 May	15.00 - 16.30	STEM (Special Interest Group)
Wednesday 13 May	10.30 to 12.00	Internationalisation@home (Special Interest Group)
Wednesday 13 May	15:00 – 16:30	International Relations Managers IRM
Monday 18 May	10.30 - 12.00	Health & Social Matters (Working Group)
Monday 18 May	15.00 – 16.00	Research (Special Interest Group)
Tuesday 19 May	10.30 to 12.00	Sustainability (Special Interest Group)
Tuesday 19 May	13.00 - 14.00	Decision Makers Forum
Tuesday 19 May	14.00 - 15.00	Open House with the Board
Tuesday 19 May	15.00 - 16.30	Supply Chain Management (Working Group)
Wednesday 20 May	10.30 to 12.00	Creative Industries (Special Interest Group)
Wednesday 20 May	14.00 to 15.00	Interdisciplinary WG
Wednesday 20 May	15.00 - 16.30	Marketing and International Trade
Thursday 21 May	10.30 to 12.00	Communications (Working Group)
Thursday 21 May	15.00 to 16.30	Intercultural Competencies (Working Group)
Friday 22 May	12.00 - 13.30	Entrepreneurship (Special Interest Group)
Friday 22 May	15.00 - 16.00	Conference feedback session and close

Please note: Law Group will not meet during the Spring Workshops. They will next meet during the 39th Annual Conference in Malta.

Businet Opening Brunch - From Ecodesign to cognitive sustainability- how to evoke resilient learning behaviour in students

Speakers: Boris Ney – Windesheim UAS (Netherlands) and Tarun Anand -Universal AI University (India)

Who should attend: This session will be the opening session to the Businet Annual Spring Workshops and is designed to appeal to all Members of the network.

The speakers would like all attendees to complete a short survey before joining to inform their programme. Survey Link will be circulated in the Newsletter and sent to all registrants for the session.

The session will introduce the topic and review the results of the survey. Areas covered will include:

- Eco design and cognitive sustainability
- Small Language Models vs Large Language Models
- The ChatGPT from India
- Neuroadaptation and technology use
- Resilience

There will be an open session for discussion and Q & A following the presentation.

Decision Makers Forum – Tuesday 19 May 1pm – 2pm CET

What it is- The Decision Makers Forum is an open forum for Deans, Managers and owners of Member institutions to discuss issues related to Higher Education management from their perspective. The group met for the first time in Sofia.

Who should attend - Deans, Managers and owners of Member institutions

Open House

An opportunity to invite partners to find out more about Businet membership, What Businet does it does, and its raison d'être. The session will be attended by Members of the Businet Board. Please circulate the Invitation flyer to all partners who you feel would benefit from Businet Membership.