

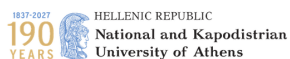
NICE ACADEMY 2026

Conference Programme

Green Guidance: Interpretations and Implications

16–19 September 2026

Athens, Greece



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DAY 1

Wednesday, 16 September 2026

Venue: ... Athens University History Museum – Tholou 5, Athens 105 56

16:00–17:00

Registration & Welcome Coffee

17:00–17:20

Welcome & Introduction to NICE Academy 2026

17:20–18:50

Keynote Panel: Greek Overview

Speakers: Dr Evangelia Siachou, Assistant Professor of Human Resource Management, NKUA · Dr Antonia Samara, Laboratory Teaching Staff – Comparative Education & Lifelong Learning, NKUA · Dr Dimitris Gaitanis, Head of the Career Guidance Services Department, E.O.P.P.E.P. · Periklis Vavourakis, Scientific Coordinator, EGYA Program, Panhellenic Federation of Social Cooperatives

"Bridging Policy, Education, and the Labour Market: Green Guidance as a Driver of Inclusive and Sustainable Development"

19:00–20:00

Cocktails

DAY 2

Thursday, 17 September 2026

VENUES

- Room 1** ... Central Building – Drakopoulos Auditorium
Room 2 ... Central Building – Argyriadis Auditorium
Room 3 ... Kostis Palamas Building, Akadimias 48 – 1st floor
Room 4 ... City of Athens Cultural Center – Tritsis Auditorium & lobby

All rooms are within a 3–9 minute walk from one another. Volunteers are on hand to assist and guide you.

09:00–09:30

Registration & Welcome Coffee

... Central Building – Argyriadis Auditorium

09:30–09:40

Welcome & Notices

... Central Building – Argyriadis Auditorium

09:40–10:30

Keynote Speech #1

Speakers: Mariana Lucas Casanova & Tomás Spriák **ONLINE**

"Meaningful Careers in Times of Uncertainty: Integrating Social Justice and Green Guidance"

... Central Building – Argyriadis Auditorium

10:30–11:00

Mid-morning Coffee Break

... Central Building – Drakopoulos Auditorium

11:00–12:00

Session 1 · Parallel Papers

ROOM 1

Sara Peltola #103 · Sini Parampota #140 · Dione Mifsud #152

..... Central Building – Drakopoulos Auditorium

ROOM 2

Kimberly Howard #134 · Anne Chant & Marios Kostas #100 · Alfredo Berbegal-Vázquez & Beatriz Malik-Liévano #144

..... Central Building – Argyriadis Auditorium

ROOM 3

Rödlöf Schroder et al. #105 · Filomena Parada #124 · Korin Grant & Tania Lyden #112

..... Kostis Palamas Building – 1st floor

ROOM 4

Kirsten Dalene #136 · Maria Pafili #131 · Paola Magnano & Rita Zarbo #104

..... City of Athens Cultural Center – Tritsis Auditorium

12:10–13:10

Session 2 · Parallel Papers

ROOM 1

Aru Berkimbay et al. #116 · Aissatou Lam et al. #132 · May Kunz #149

..... Central Building – Drakopoulos Auditorium

ROOM 2

Nensi Tomac #118 · Marija Kostanic #160 · Rebeca García-Murias & Robert G. Valls-Figuera #157

..... Central Building – Argyriadis Auditorium

ROOM 4

Anna Patrikakou #159 · Lidia Daza Perez #150

..... City of Athens Cultural Center – Tritsis Auditorium

13:10–14:00

Lunch Break

..... Central Building – Drakopoulos Auditorium

14:00–14:50

Keynote Speech #2

Speaker: Peter Plant

"Green Guidance: Trends and Tensions"

..... Central Building – Drakopoulos Auditorium

15:00–15:45

Session 3 · Parallel Workshops

ROOM 1

Peter Plant

..... Central Building – Drakopoulos Auditorium

15:55–16:40

Session 3 · Parallel Workshops (cont.)

ROOM 1

Nikos Drosos #145

..... Central Building – Drakopoulos Auditorium

ROOM 2

Czeslaw Noworol #130

..... Central Building – Argyriadis Auditorium

ROOM 4

Jan Woldendorp #151

..... City of Athens Cultural Center – Tritsis Auditorium

16:45–17:30

Session 3 · Parallel Workshops (cont.)

ROOM 1

Åsa Sundelin #102

..... Central Building – Drakopoulos Auditorium

ROOM 2

Irene Andrioti #125

..... Central Building – Argyriadis Auditorium

17:30–18:20

Structured Networking

..... Kostis Palamas Building – 1st floor

18:30

Optional Cultural Activity

Walking tour – information at the registration desk.

..... Meeting point: Central Building – Entrance

DAY 3

Friday, 18 September 2026

Rooms as listed on Day 2

09:00–09:30

Registration & Welcome Coffee

..... Central Building – Argyriadis Auditorium

09:30–09:40

Welcome & Notices

..... Central Building – Argyriadis Auditorium

09:40–10:30

Keynote Speech #3

Speaker: Eva Kavkova

"Beyond Green Jobs: Sustainable Career Guidance in Practice"

..... Central Building – Argyriadis Auditorium

10:30–11:00

Mid-morning Coffee Break

..... Central Building – Drakopoulos Auditorium

11:00–12:00

Symposium

Organizer: The Laboratory of Counselling Science and Vocational Career, NKUA — Katerina Argyropoulou, Aspasia Karavia, Anastasia Vrettou, Olympia Chaidemenaki, Pinelopi Belki

"Nature, Eco Empathy, Social Justice, and Sustainable Career Development as Pathways to Well Being"

..... [Central Building – Drakopoulos Auditorium](#)

12:00–12:30

Poster Session

Rosemarie Pichler #113 · Lindsay Williams #120 · Irene Andrioti #126 · Chrysanthi Georganta #128 · Shkembini Tafilaj #137 · Georgios Damalos #142 · Anila Shala #143 · Katherine Quispe Contreras #153 · Katherine Quispe Contreras #154 · Saba Sayyed #158 · Gozde Aciker Kurtay #155 · Nikolaos Polatos #161

..... [City of Athens Cultural Center – Lobby](#)

12:30–13:30

Lunch Break

..... [Central Building – Drakopoulos Auditorium](#)

13:30–14:20

Keynote Speech #4

Speaker: Cynthia Harrison

"Green Ambitions for a Sustainable Future"

..... [Central Building – Drakopoulos Auditorium](#)

14:30–15:30

Session 4 · Parallel Papers

ROOM 1

Scott Solberg #133 · Oda Notevarp Paulsen #148 · Chrysanthi Georganta #122

..... [Central Building – Drakopoulos Auditorium](#)

ROOM 2

Georgios Kokkalis & Kalliopi Chaviara #109 · Maria Gkoutisia #127 · Antonia Samara #108

..... [Central Building – Argyriadis Auditorium](#)

ROOM 3

Biljana Blazhevaska Stoilkovska #111 · Biljana Blazhevaska Stoilkovska #146 · Aristeidis Lorentzos #114

..... [Kostis Palamas Building – 1st floor](#)

ROOM 4

Hatice Kubra Ozdogan #121 · Cristina Oliveira #135 · Tarja Juurako-Koskinen #106

..... [City of Athens Cultural Center – Tritsis Auditorium](#)

15:40–16:25

Session 5 · Parallel Workshops

ROOM 1

Mary McMahon

..... [Central Building – Drakopoulos Auditorium](#)

16:30–17:15

Session 5 · Parallel Workshops (cont.)

ROOM 1

Lea Ferrari #156

..... Central Building – Drakopoulos Auditorium

ROOM 2

Foteini Kalogerogianni #101

..... Central Building – Argyriadis Auditorium

ROOM 3

Sini Parampota #141

..... Kostas Palamas Building – 1st floor

ROOM 4

Odysseas Diamantis #107

..... City of Athens Cultural Center – Tritsis Auditorium

17:15–17:45

Project Meetings

ROOM 1

COCAG project supported by COST – Meeting

..... Central Building – Drakopoulos Auditorium

ROOM 2

NICE Foundation meeting – future projects / NICE 3

..... Central Building – Argyriadis Auditorium

ROOM 3

Other project groups (TBC)

..... Kostas Palamas Building – 1st floor

ROOM 4

Other project groups (TBC)

..... City of Athens Cultural Center – Tritsis Auditorium

18:00

NICE 'Family Photo'

..... Central Building – Entrance

19:00–22:00

Optional Gala Dinner

Pre-registered participants only.

..... Athinaikon Restaurant

DAY 4

Saturday, 19 September 2026

Venue: City of Athens Cultural Center

09:15–09:45

Welcome Coffee

09:45–10:45

Keynote Speech #5

Speaker: Mary McMahon

"Sustainable Development and Green Guidance: What does systems theory have to offer?"

..... Tritsis Auditorium

10:45–11:15

Mid-morning Coffee Break

11:15–12:45

Reflection and Takeaways

Panel & Q&A

..... Tritsis Auditorium

12:45–13:00

Farewell Ceremony & Handover to NICE 2027

..... Tritsis Auditorium

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