

SDSN Youth Black Sea

SDSN Youth Black Sea was launched in July 2020 and is the youth division of the UN Sustainable Development Solutions Network for the Black Sea region (SDSN Black Sea). SDSN Youth Black Sea is hosted at the Aristotle University of Thessaloniki, Greece but it expands its activities in the wide Black Sea region covering an area of 12 countries: Albania, Armenia, Azerbaijan, Bulgaria, Georgia, Greece, Moldova, Romania, Russia, Serbia, Turkey, and Ukraine.

Our **vision** is to unite the young people of the wide Black Sea region under the goal of sustainable development. We aim to **educate** young people about the SDGs and create pathways for achieving them, **connect** young people to exchange ideas, share experiences, and collaborate to achieve the SDGs and **support** young people in the creation and scaling of innovative solutions for the SDGs.

You can find more information about our actions in our website and social media:

- Website: sdsn-blacksea.auth.gr
- Facebook: www.facebook.com/SDSNYouthBlackSea
- Instagram: www.instagram.com/sdsnyouth.blacksea
- LinkedIn: www.linkedin.com/company/un-sdsn-youth-black-sea
- Twitter: twitter.com/sdsny_blacksea

*If you are interested in the Sustainable Development Goals, want to learn more about the topic and share the knowledge to your peers, as well as actively work on and develop innovative ways to put the SDGs into practice in your local community, you can join the **SDG Students Program**.*

SDG Students Program

The SDG Students Program aims to engage students in higher education in the global effort to achieve the 2030 Agenda and the SDGs, as well as empower them with the knowledge, skills, and pathways to action to be effective agents of change today. The objective of the program is to **transform the world's universities into hubs of learning and engagement for the SDGs, as well as drivers of new solutions to local problems**. You can find more information on: www.sdgstudent.org

Such an SDG hub is being formed at TSU under the coordination of Ana Shikhiashvili. Every interested student, whether only vaguely familiar with the topic or already experienced, is welcome to join the hub.

If you would like to join the hub, you can come in touch with Ana.

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*If you are interested in the Sustainable Development Goals and are a coordinator or member in a youth-led organization, you can register your organization as a **Member Organization** in SDSN Youth Black Sea.*

Membership Program

The Membership Program is a network of student associations, youth-led and youth-focused organizations and other institutions dedicated to youth empowerment and the implementation of the Sustainable Development Goals. Member Organizations should have **expertise or be active** in one or more areas related to **sustainable development** and commit a substantial amount of their own work towards finding and/or implementing solutions for sustainable development.

By becoming a member of the SDSN Youth, your organization will: join a unique network of problem solvers, have access to resources such as research and events, be a part of a community with access to hundreds of global experts and academics in sustainable development, and contribute to practical solutions. Find out more on the [website](#).

If you would like to join as a Member Organization or find out more about the opportunity, you can come in touch with SDSN Youth Black Sea Coordinator.

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