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# Program

We kindly remind you that event registration has been binding. However, if a compelling absence appears, please inform ASAP to [nelli.markula@oph.fi](mailto:nelli.markula@oph.fi).



## Tuesday

- 09:30 – 10:00      **Registration and Coffee**
- 10:00 – 10:30      **Welcome and Introduction**  
Maija Airas, Head of the International Higher Education Cooperation Unit, EDUFI
- 10:30 – 11:45      **Session 1: Current support for projects in the Global South**  
AnneSophie Hokkanen, Senior Programme Adviser, Erasmus+  
Iina Soiri, Senior Specialist, Southern Africa, MFA  
Marjo Mäenpää, Councillor of Education, FinCEED
- 11:45 - 12:45      **Lunch**
- 12:45 - 13:45      **Session 2: Unpacking project success stories (panel spotlight)**  
Irmeli Maunonen-Eskelinen, Principal Lecturer, Jyväskylä University of Applied Sciences  
Liisa Timonen, Head of International Affairs, Karelia University of Applied Sciences  
Dipjoy Chakma, Project Planner, University of Helsinki
- 13:45 – 14:45      **Session 3: Equal partnerships and ethical guidelines**  
Sini Piippo, Programme Manager, EDUFI
- 14:45 – 15:15      **Coffee and Picture**
- 15:15 – 16:00      **Session 4: Impactful communication**  
Anna-Maria Strengell, Senior Programme Adviser (Communication), EDUFI
- 16:00 – 16:30      **Closing Remarks**

## Wednesday

- 09:00 – 12:30      **Coordinators' meetings run by EDUFI staff (incl. coffee)**  
HEI ICI: Sini Piippo, Kaija Pajala, Anne Peltonen  
TFK: Mari Pohjola, Heli Tiilikainen, Saara Kilponen  
CBHE/CBVET: AnneSophie Hokkanen, Nelli Markula, Iiris Kajas, Hannele Nevalampi