



SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT GOALS 17 GOALS TO TRANSFORM OUR WORLD



Transform or perish?

Adopted, but have they arrived in Austria? How shall BOKU's research and higher education contribute to the global partnership for sustainable development?

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Sustainable Development Goals: Transform or perish?

The Sustainable Development Goals just celebrated their first birthday. As states who adopted the agenda, we committed ourselves to striving after these – quite ambitious – goals. What remained one year after the initial enthusiasm of having reached an agreement that holds us all to account, developed and developing countries? Have the SDGs even started to arrive in society, politics, science and education?

We want to explore how our science at BOKU can contribute to attaining the SDGs through research and through higher education.

Programme

Welcome address: a brief introduction to the SDGs

Georg Gratzler, University of Natural Resources and Life Sciences, Vienna (BOKU Vienna),
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Are such international agreements really effective?

Helga Pülzl, BOKU Vienna, Institute of Forest, Environmental and Natural Resource Policy

Austria and the SDGs: what's the plan?

Snapshots by students of the course "Sustainable land use in developing countries"

Discussion

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