

LIFE-C PROMOTING LIFE CYCLE THINKING IN HIGHER EDUCATION

EVENTS

As the Life-C project approaches its completion, the partners have organized webinars and special sessions to present the work carried out over the past three years. These events are also intended to invite students, teachers, and professionals to explore and make use of the educational material developed within the project.

1st Webinar of Life-C organised by UNICUSANO

On the 29th of May 2025, Unicusano organized the final webinar for presenting the project's results and for introducing Life Cycle Thinking to the participants. The webinar was hosted within the distance-learning week of the Twin Transition BIP. Prof. Lombardi gave the following lectures:

Life-C: the online course on Life Cycle Sustainability Assessment

Introduction to Life Cycle Thinking and Assessment

About 20 people attended the webinar and most of them said that they found the course interesting and that they would like to attend one of the course Modules.


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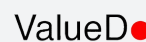
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WEBINAR – REMOTE LECTURE BIP TWIN TRANSITION
Thursday, 29th May 2025, 11.00-13.00 (CEST)

Life-C: the online course on Life Cycle Sustainability Assessment
 Introduction to Life Cycle Thinking and Assessment

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Researchers' Coffee Event at NTUA



On June 4th, 2025, the Environmental Science and Technology Unit of NTUA organized a Researchers' Coffee dedicated to the opportunities offered by Erasmus+ programs and to the outcomes of the Life-C project. Dr. Konstantinos Moustakas presented the main actions of Erasmus+ and the Unit's experience in related projects, while Dr. Maria Kyriazi showcased the results of Life-C, focusing on the developed tools, approaches, and educational packages. The event was attended by young researchers from NTUA as well as invited guests

from universities in Poland. It concluded with an open discussion on integrating Life-C results into academic courses and exploring ideas for new Erasmus+ proposals, offering a fruitful exchange of views in a collaborative atmosphere.



2nd Webinar of Life-C organised by LUT

On June 17th 2025, as part of SuSci research lunch series, Mariam Abdulkareem (LUT University) gave a presentation on implementation of **Erasmus+ LIFE-C project**, entitled LCA course for non-environmental engineering fields.

The presentation touched on preparation of three course modules in collaboration with three other European universi-

ties (Università Niccolò Cusano, National Technical University of Athens, and Silesian University of Technology), piloting and feedback from the successfully piloted courses.

There were 17 participants on site and 9 joining online. The event was recorded as not all interested were able to join.



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Life-C at the 7th PhD Summer School and Executive Training on Solid Waste Management, Circular Economy & Life Cycle Thinking



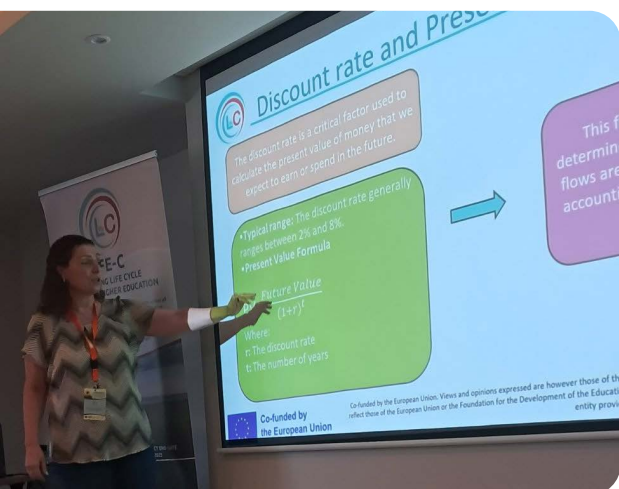
Lessons and real-life examples from Modules 1, 2, and 3 of the Life-C project were presented to participants of the 7th PhD Summer School and Executive Training on Solid Waste Management, Circular Economy & Life Cycle Thinking.

Prof. Lidia Lombardi and Szymon Sobek introduced the audience to the concepts of Life Cycle Thinking (LCT) and Life Cycle Assessment (LCA), demonstrating how LCA can support the development of innovative and sustainable processes for resource recovery from waste.

Dr. Maria Kyriazi concluded the session with an overview of Life Cycle Costing (LCC) as a powerful tool to support decision-making in sustainable waste management systems.

Numerous real-life examples were shared with the participants to inspire them to apply these tools in their own work and research. The students were also encouraged to select a topic related to their field of expertise and apply LCA, Social LCA (SLCA), or LCC for their final exercise during the school.

A great opportunity to share knowledge, tools, and methodologies that support the transition towards a circular and sustainable future!



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Life-C Session in the “12th International Conference on Sustainable Solid Waste Management”

A special session took place as part of the second module of the **Life-C courses**, focusing on real-life challenges tackled by our students. These challenges were provided directly by companies and based on actual data, ensuring relevance and real-world application.

During this session, students showcased how they applied **Life Cycle Assessment (LCA)** methodologies to address complex, practical problems -demonstrating the impact of academic learning on industry-driven cases.

The session was opened by **Dr. Szymon Sobek**, who offered insights into how students are guided and coached through the LCA process, turning theory into hands-on experience with real-world significance.

Congratulations to all participants for their dedication and innovative thinking-and a big thank you to the companies who trusted our students with real challenges!

