

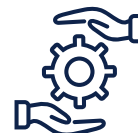
Summer of Solutions

**Students develop ecological solutions –
for issues affecting the region**

Sustainable



Interactive



Practice-oriented



For students: learning together in a practical way

For one semester, students work in interdisciplinary project groups of 4-5 students on solutions to specific issues faced by partner organisations.

During the one-semester project, students acquire applicable knowledge on:

- Fundamentals of environmental sustainability (SDGs, environmental management, etc.)
- Topic-specific problem description, concept development and implementation of solutions
- Collaboration in an interdisciplinary project group
- Methods and practical experience in project management
- Digital collaboration formats and tools
- Presentation techniques and tools



For partner organisations: find solutions together

Partner organisations (companies, public institutions and NGOs) each contribute a specific challenge as a question to the Summer of Solutions.

The topics should focus on climate protection, climate adaptation and/or the circular economy.

Examples of possible topics:

- Analysis of vehicle downtime in residential areas and incentive systems for parking away from home
- Life cycle analysis of textiles in a hotel laundry
- Communication concept for citizens regarding public transport infrastructure measures
- Reduction in the use of plastic in product packaging
- Designing sustainable green spaces for housing association properties

The partner organisation:

- will be supported for one semester in developing solutions for their ecological issues,
- works with an interdisciplinary team of students (securing skilled workers),
- has access to university research and knowledge and expert know-how.

Summer of Solutions – Working together for the region

The Summer of Solutions format is designed and developed by the University of Rostock and The Future Living. The first round will take place in 2026.

The preparatory phase is currently underway.

Overview of partner organisations
(some confirmed, some under discussion):

Universität
Rostock



Traditio et Innovatio



Mecklenburg-Vorpommern
Finanzministerium



The Future Living



The Future Living supports organisations, local authorities and companies in developing and implementing sustainable strategies and CO2e reporting.

Proven and individualised processes are used to support managers and employees during a reorganisation and to train them in relevant specialist content.

As experts in the fields of environmental sustainability, strategy and change processes, we see ourselves as long-term partners to entrepreneurs with a holistic approach.

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