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REsilient communities in WB and EU**

About Lund University

Kick-off meeting

Division of risk management and
societal safety, Lund University

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Presentation outline

- Lund University
- Division of risk management and societal safety
- Overview of our educational activities
- Role in the project





About Lund University

- Founded in 1666 (southern Sweden was Danish until 1658)
- 40 000 students
- 7 400 employees
- 8 faculties – spanning essentially all disciplines
- Max IV lab, European Spallation Source (ESS) and additional specialized institutes
- 80 undergraduate degree programs
- 160 master degree programs
- More than 2 000 courses





About Faculty of Engineering

- Largest faculty of LU
 - 1 500 employees
 - 9 000 students
 - 35 Undergraduate and Master programs
- Founded in 1961 and part of LU since 1969





Division of Risk Management and Societal Safety

- Background
 - Rather new division at Lund University – founded in 2014
 - Our division is an offspring from construction science (70s/80s) and later fire safety engineering (80s/90s)
 - Has since then become more and more multidisciplinary
- Our vision

Together we create safer, more resilient and sustainable societies through research and education at the top international level
- Our mission

We understand, explain and improve systems, organizations, societies and human conditions in a complex and changing world characterised by uncertainties





Division of Risk Management and Societal Safety

- 21 employed + 10 affiliated
 - 4 full professors
 - 6 associate and assistant professors
 - 2 associate senior lecturers
 - 16 active PhD students (9 with other employment)
 - 1 adjunct lecturer
 - 3 administrators
- Background of employees: Fire safety engineer, risk management engineers, environmental engineer, environmental psychology, architect/urban planner, political science, development studies, electrical engineer, sociology, military officer





Educational programs at LU related to 1Future

- MSc in Applied Climate Strategies
- MSc in Disaster Risk Management and Climate Change Adaptation
- MSc in Engineering, Risk, Safety and Crisis Management
- MSc in Environmental Studies and Sustainability Science
- MSc in Environmental Engineering
- MSc in Energy-efficient and Environmental Building Design
- MSc in Human Ecology - Culture, Power and Sustainability
- MSc in Sustainable Energy Engineering
- MSc in Environmental Management and Policy
- MSc in Environmental Science
- MSc in Physical Geography and Ecosystem Science
- MSc in Sustainable Urban Design





“Hubs” at the university related to 1Future

- Sustainability forum
 - Lund University Center for Sustainability Studies (LUCSUS)
 - Centre for Environmental and Climate Science (CEC)
 - Sparbanken Skåne Centre for Sustainable Enterprising
 - Sustainable Future Hub
 - Etc.
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- More about this on the study visit....



Relevant activities at our division related to 1Future



- Courses
 - Societal resilience
 - Capacity development (for sustainability)
 - Climate smart risk reduction
 - Gender Climate Change and Disaster risk Summer school
- Research projects
 - The campus of the future – sustainable development based on students' needs and behaviours
 - Sustainable Urban Flood Management (SURF)
 - PATHWAYS: Complex pathways of climate mobility for children and youth in Ethiopia
 - Human Rights and Gender Equality in Climate Displacement
 - BEACON: Built Environment Learning for Climate Adaptation
 - Robust decisions to deal with climate risk in Sweden





Thank you for your attention

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