

# ProSPER.Net Leadership Programme 2021

Climate Change: Global issues, local actions and transdisciplinary solutions

14<sup>th</sup> – 24<sup>th</sup> September 2021

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## Programme Timetable

(as of 28<sup>th</sup> May 2021)

<i>Duration</i>	<i>Sessions and Contents</i>
<b>Pre-Programme</b>	
	<b>Assignment</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Self-assessment, including identifying strengths and weaknesses</li> <li>● Outline personal development, growth and learning objectives</li> <li>● Get to know each other through communication channel (e.g., Facebook/WhatsApp group)</li> </ul>
<b>Day 1: “Sustainability and Climate Change” (Tuesday, 14 September) 13:30-17:00</b>	
60 mins	<b>Programme Opening</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Opening Remarks</li> <li>● Programme Orientation: Schedule + Learning Objectives &amp; Outcomes</li> <li>● Initial Ice-breaker for participants and staff members</li> </ul>
10 mins	<b>Break</b>
45 mins	<b>Keynote Lecture #1</b> “Sustainable development and climate action”
10 mins	<b>Break</b>
70 mins	<b>Group Project Session #1: Discovery (Understanding the Problem)</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Briefing on group project, problem &amp; expected outcome</li> <li>● Overview of the Ideathon process</li> <li>● Grouping</li> <li>● Group discussion &amp; research, focused on understanding the challenge / mission</li> </ul>
15 mins	<b>Reflections from Day + Q&amp;A + Close</b>
<b>Day 2: “Climate Change Policy and Practices” (Wednesday, 15 September) 13:30-17:00</b>	

15 mins	<b>Introduction</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Key Learning Objectives for Today</li> <li>● Warm Up</li> <li>● Group Exercise (Topic TBD, could be “Rose and Thorn” or similar exercise)</li> </ul>
45 mins	<b>Keynote Lecture #2</b> “Trends and issues in Climate Change theory and practices”
10 mins	<b>Break</b>
50 mins	<b>Workshop #1:</b> Climate Action Project Design
10 mins	<b>Break</b>
65 mins	<b>Group Project Session #2: - Ideation</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Based on the problems and understanding acquired from the previous sessions, as well as design thinking learnings, teams begin to understand the beneficiary’s needs and ideate potential solutions.</li> </ul>
15 mins	<b>Reflections from Day + Q&amp;A + Close</b>

**Day 3: “Learning from Practices” (Thursday, 16 September) 13:30-17:10**

10 mins	<b>Introduction</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Key Learning Objectives for Today</li> <li>● Warm Up</li> <li>● Group Exercise (Topic TBD, could be “Rose and Thorn” or similar)</li> </ul>
60 mins	<b>Keynote Lecture #3</b> <b>Practice for Climate change action (Panel discussion)</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Policymakers</li> <li>● Youth</li> <li>● Business</li> <li>● NGO etc.</li> </ul>
15 mins	<b>Break</b>
50 mins	<b>Workshop #2</b> Defining Your Leadership
65 mins	<b>Group Project Session #3: Ideation &amp; Validation</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Based on previous sessions, teams further build upon their ideas and seek to validate (e.g. through interviews)</li> </ul>
10 mins	<b>Reflections from Day + Q&amp;A + Close</b>

**Day 4: “Approaches to Effective Action” (Friday, 17 September) 13:30-17:00**

15 mins	<b>Introduction</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Key Learning Objectives for Today</li> <li>● Warm Up</li> <li>● Group Exercise (Topic TBD, could be “Rose and Thorn” or similar)</li> </ul>
55 mins	<b>Workshop #3</b> Maximising Impact e.g. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Impact Measurement Strategy</li> <li>- Theory of Change</li> <li>- How do you know when your initiative has been successful?</li> </ul>
15 mins	<b>Break</b>
110 mins	<b>Group Project Session #4: Building a Proof of Concept</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Based on sessions 1-3, creating a prototype or POC</li> </ul>
15 mins	<b>Reflections from Day + Q&amp;A + Close</b>
<b>Off-Class work</b>	
1 week	<b>Interval group-based learning</b>
<b>Day 5: “Presentations, Reflection and Evaluation” (Friday, 24 September) 13:30-17:00</b>	
130 mins	<b>Group presentations</b> - 20 mins X 6 groups + 10-minute break in the middle
5 mins	<b>Break</b>
45 mins	<b>Feedback. Discussion &amp; Evaluation</b>
30 mins	<b>Final Reflections &amp; Closing Remarks</b>
	<b>Certificate presentation</b>