

# New 10CP Master courses in the Free Electives: Sustainability & Artificial Intelligence

Tuesday: 8:15 (N2)

Wednesday: 12:15 (C402)

## NOTE:

**This course is not yet visible in PORTA! In the case of your interest, you can apply, however, by searching for the course number**

**14202616 (Lecture) and 14202617 (Practical Course)**

**Content:** Use of traditional and modern data and analytical approaches (classical approaches and machine learning) for answering sustainability questions.

## Topics

- Introduction to AI, machine learning, and big data
- Data in sustainability (traditional up to sensors)
- Goals of data analytics: Descriptive, explanatory, predictive
- Introduction to prediction and classification in simple and complex data structures
- Overview relevant approaches (e.g., KNN, random forests, support vector machines)
- Overview time series analysis and forecasting
- Overview spatial data science
- Applications (e.g., smart infrastructures, industry 4.0, agriculture, healthcare)

## Formal features

- **Lecture** as videos (8 hours)
- **Practical course:** Introduction to R (tidyverse approach) and machine learning with R
- **Group work:** 1) Presentation on an application, 2) Presentation of a machine learning model

**Prerequisites:** Basics in regression analysis would be helpful but is not necessary

