

## LECTURE SERIES

# CLIMATE PROTECTION



Audimax,  
Agnes-Heller-Haus, Innrain 52a



on wednesdays from 15:30



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## PROGRAM SUMMER SEMESTER 2026

**Wednesday, 11.03.2026, 15:30**

Introduction to the lecture series summer semester 2026

**Rainer Pfluger** (UIBK, AB Energy Efficient Building)

**Ingomar Glatz** (UIBK, Institute of Geography, UniNETZ)

**Wednesday, 18.03.2026, 15:30**

"Harnessing the atmosphere: wind power for a sustainable climate"

**Georg Mayr** (UIBK, Department of Atmospheric and

Cryospheric Sciences ACINN)

**Wednesday, 15.04.2026, 15:30**

"Selecting and Assessing Color Maps for Spatio-Temporal Visualizations"

**Achim Zeileis, Reto Stauffer** (UIBK, Dep. of Statistics)

**Wednesday, 29.04.2026, 15:30**

"What does de facto end of the Green Deal mean for climate protection?"

**Patrick Abel** (UIBK, Department European Law and

Public International Law)

**Wednesday, 13.05.2026, 15:30**

"campusKino@AHH: sphagnum, beauty, ecosystem services, rewetting and moor..."

**Christina Biasi** (UIBK, Department of Ecology),

**Caroline Vitzthum** (Artist, Oxford, UK)

**Wednesday, 20.05.2026, 15:30**

"Powering the Energy Transition: Innovative materials and sustainable concepts for new batteries"

**Engelbert Portenkirchner** (UIBK, Department of Physical Chemistry)

**Wednesday, 3.06.2026, 15:30**

"Second Austrian Assessment Report Climate Change"

**Karl-Heinz Erb** (BOKU, Institute of Social Ecology)

**Wednesday, 17.06.2026, 15:30**

"Innovation Lab INNERGY – System Flexibility at Consumer level within a 100% renewable Energy System"

**Alexander Thür** (UIBK, AB Energieeffizientes Bauen)

**Martin Lackner** (tirol kliniken)

The Climate Protection Lecture Series aims to raise awareness of climate change among students from all disciplines as well as interested members of the public and motivate them to actively protect the climate.

Since 2019, the lecture series has highlighted a wide range of specialist and research topics relating to climate protection. International guest speakers from science and business report first-hand on opportunities, solutions and model projects in the field of sustainability with a focus on SDG 13 Climate Action.

The lecture takes place regularly in the summer and winter semesters as part of the Interdisciplinary and Generic Competencies (recognized as coursework) and Lectures for Future.

Since the summer semester 2022, the course has also been offered as part of the AURORA course program and therefore entirely in English.

## MORE INFORMATION

Registration LFU:online

- course number: 800872
- VO Lecture series on climate protection
- ECTS-Credits: 2.5



All recorded lectures are  
available on youtube!

course leaders:

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