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## Communicating Climate Change to broad public through Educations - Project KlimaAlps

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Education is key in order to create a generation that thinks and acts sustainable and that considers nature as one of the most important good. Within the three years Interreg Project 'KlimaAlps' ([www.klimaalps.eu](http://www.klimaalps.eu)) – making climate change visible - one major task is the establishment of a training for educators, to become a certified 'Climate-Pedagogue' for the alpine region. The 'Climate-Pedagogue'-training contains background information of climate change in the Alps and a variety of innovative educational tools and methods. It covers aspects of the high mountain areas, rivers and lakes, human beings, agriculture as well as moors. The project is managed by the 'Energiewende Oberland'; five additional partners from Austria and Bavaria are responsible for e. g. a high quality of the taught scientific information (Environmental Research Station Schneefernerhaus), the didactical input (University of Innsbruck, Department of Geography), the outreach activities and the implementation (Naturpark Karwendel, Klimabündnis Oberösterreich, Landratsamt Garmisch-Partenkirchen). During the last one and half years, the concept for the 'Climate-Pedagogue'- training was worked out in cooperation with other environmental facilities and in March 2021 the first lectures of a pilot run with over 30 selected participants were held. In total there will be two runs in 2021 in order to evaluate the recent version of the training as good as possible. The next and long-term steps will be the firm establishment of a chargeable 'Climate-Pedagogue' – Training for every interested person for at least the coming ten years, as well as the strengthening and growing of the network. The presentation will give a short overview about the entire project as well as details about the 'Climate-Pedagogue' – Training and some first impressions of the already hold lectures in 2021.