

Programme version: 12 June 2026	
Department of Mechanical Engineering, University of Aveiro, Main Auditorium (building 22)	
Date	Event
15 June	eee4SD Project: internal meetings and co-working
16 June	<p>UAveiro-focused day</p> <p>Workshops series in engineering education Room 22.3.6 (Department of Mechanical Engineering)</p> <p>11h00 – 12h30: "I am more than the sum of the parts!" - Assessment as a driver for student learning and development, by Aida Guerra (Aalborg University, Denmark)</p> <p>14h00 – 15h30: "Universal Design for Learning", by Matheus de Andrade and Kathleen Tripp (University College London, United Kingdom)</p> <p>15h45 – 17h15: "A beginner's guide to engineering education research", by Shannon Chance and Kaitlyn Thomas (TU Dublin, Ireland)</p>
17 June	<p>Lusophone-focused day</p> <p><i>*all events during this day will be held in Portuguese*</i></p> <p>Forum Engineering Education, 10 years / Fórum Educação em Engenharia, 10 anos (2016-2026)</p> <p>09:00 – 09:30 Opening Session</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Cláudia Sarrico, State Secretary for Higher Education Sandra Soares, Vice-Rector Education, University of Aveiro <p>09:30 – 11:00 Pannel discussion: Engineering Education in Portugal – 10 years in perspective</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Diana Mesquita, Director, Research Centre for Human Development, Universidade Católica Portuguesa Mariana Guerra, Coordinator of the Mechanical Engineering Student Group, Academic Association (UA) Paulo Ferreira, Full Professor, DETI (UA) Teresa Restivo, Agency for Assessment and Accreditation of Higher Education (A3ES) Sebastião Feyo de Azevedo, President of the Academy of Engineering <p>11:00 – 11:30 Coffee Break</p> <p>11:30 – 13:00 Pannel discussion: The Future of Engineering Education</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> André Silva, President, Portuguese Society for Engineering Education (SPEE) Bruno Lopes e Silva, Muvu Technologies Carlos Neves, President of the College of Mechanical Engineering, Portuguese Order of Engineers Sandra Monteiro, PhD Student, Engineering and Industrial Management, University Porto Sandra Soares, Vice-Rector Education, University of Aveiro <p>13:00 – 14:30 Lunch Break</p> <p>14:30 – 15:30 Session on Engineering Education in the Lusophone Space</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Berta Batista, President of the Pedagogic Council, ISEP, Portugal Dianne Viana, University of Brasília, Brazil, & REEN (Research in Engineering Education Network) Rui Lima, Director, Centre IDEA, University of Minho Minho, Portugal Valquíria Villas-Boas, Researcher, A-LEARN, University of Brasília, Brazil <p>15:30 – 16:00 Coffee break</p> <p>16:00 – 17:00 Session on Engineering Education Research in the Lusophone Space</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Aida Guerra, Aalborg University, Denmark Bill Williams, CEGIST, Instituto Superior Técnico, Portugal Marcus Lyra, Ohio State University, United States of America <p>17:00 – 17:20 Closing session</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Adriana Tonini, President of the Brazilian Association of Engineering Education (ABENGE) André Silva, President of the Portuguese Society of Engineering Education (SPEE)

<p>18 June</p>	<p>SEFI Regional Event – Day 1</p> <p>09:00 – 09:30 Opening session, Inês Direito (PI, Project eee4SD) and Sebastião Foyo de Azevedo, President, Academy of Engineering, Portugal</p> <p>09:30 – 10:30 Aida Guerra (Aalborg University), Co-Chair SEFI SIG Sustainability, <i>Integrating sustainability in engineering curricula</i></p> <p>10:30 – 11:00 Coffee break</p> <p>11:00 – 11:30 Bárbara Gabriel, Robertt Valente, and Carla Ferreira (University of Aveiro), <i>Sustainability and green transition in higher education – projects GET-AHED & ProFFormance+</i></p> <p>11:30 – 12:30 Jan Van Maele, Veerle Bloemen (KU Leuven), & Katrien Mertens (University Colleges Leuven-Limburg), <i>Empathy and sustainability in engineering education: learning in, from and for a more-than-human world</i></p> <p>12:30 – 14:00 Lunch Break</p> <p>14:00 – 14:30 Arístides Carrillo-Fernández (Purdue University, USA; Council on International Education Exchange, CIEE Spain)</p> <p>14:30 – 15:30 eee4SD Final Project Event (part 1)</p> <p>15:30 – 16:00 Coffee Break</p> <p>16:00 – 17:30 eee4SD Final Project Event (part 2)</p>
<p>19 June</p>	<p>SEFI Regional Event – Day 2</p> <p>09:30 – 09:45 Opening session, Carla Ferreira (Researcher, Project eee4SD)</p> <p>09:45 – 10:30 Keynote: Diana Bairaktarova, VirginiaTech, USA (Fullbright Scholar Award 2025-2026)</p> <p>10:30 – 11:00 Coffee Break</p> <p>11:00 – 11:45 Keynote: Emanuela Tilley, University College London, UK, SEFI President</p> <p>11:45 - 12:15 Closing Session, Inês Direito (PI, Project eee4SD)</p>