

UNISCAPE LANDSCAPE FESTIVAL ON THE BORDERS OF THE PLANET

23–25 June 2025 | EPICenter, Kolodvorska pot, Nova Gorica

MONDAY, 23 JUNE 2025

OPENING DAY

08:30 – 09:00

Registration

09:00 – 09:15

Opening and welcome speech by local authorities

- Mija Lorbek, Director GO! 2025
- Rodolfo Ziberna, Mayor of Gorizia
- Samo Turel, Mayor of Nova Gorica

09:15 – 09:45

Welcome and presentation of the initiative

- Saša Dobričič, UNISCAPE President, University of Nova Gorica
- Matevž Čelik Vidmar, State Secretary, Ministry of Culture

09:45 – 10:15

Opening address by Council of Europe guest authorities

- Nino Latsabidze, Directorate of Social Rights, Health and Environment, Council of Europe
- Antonio Jesús Antequera Delgado, Vice-Chair of the 13th Conference on the Implementation of the Council of Europe Landscape Convention, Ministry of Culture and Sport of Spain

10:15 – 10:30

Coffee Break

10:30 – 12:00

KEYNOTE PRESENTATIONS

A Journey Through The Realms of The Landscape Dimension

- Andreja Gomboc, Astrophysicist, University of Nova Gorica
- Bruno Doedens, Land Artist, CIRCLE4CHANGE
- Gregor Božič, Film Director and Cultivator of Gardens
- Stojan Pelko, GO! 2025 Head of Programme

12:00 – 13:15

UNISCAPE in Action

Keeping The Landscape Dimension Alive Across Universities and Disciplines

Moderators: Margherita Vanore, UNISCAPE vice-President, Università Iuav di Venezia,
Conor Newman, UNISCAPE vice-President, National University of Galway Ireland

12:00 – 12:15

Presentation And Launch of The Nova Gorica–Gorizia University Declaration on Borderless Landscapes

- Saša Dobričić, UNISCAPE President, University of Nova Gorica
- Tessa Matteini, UNISCAPE Director, University of Florence

12:15 – 12:45

University Networks and Alliances: Opportunities and Challenges

- Boštjan Golob, Rector, University of Nova Gorica
- Benno Albrecht, Rector, University IUAV of Venice
- Lluís Serra Majem, Rector, University of Las Palmas de Gran Canaria

12:45 – 13:15

Presentation of the UNISCAPE Prize and Summer School dedicated to Alexander von Humboldt

- Franco Farinelli, University of Bologna
- Juan Manuel Palerm, UNISCAPE Special Advisor to the President

13:15 – 15:00

Lunch Break

15:00 – 15:30

Exhibition Tour: Landscape Festival On The Borders of The Planet

Exhibition Talk: Alice Mestriner and Ahad Moslemi : *Dust a System of Relationships:
Boundless/Borderless /Liminal*

15:30 – 17:00

UNISCAPE Next Generation Landscape Forum

Moderated by UNISCAPE Executive Board / Representatives

- Open forum on the future of landscape by student teams
- Election of student representatives to the UNISCAPE Executive Board
- Observed by Youth group for Go! 2025 advocacy *For an Art Based-Citizenship*

17:00 – 18:30

UNISCAPE GENERAL ASSEMBLY

19:30

Dinner & Evening Social Event

TUESDAY, 24 JUNE 2025

LANDSCAPE ATELIERS

09:00 – 09:30

Registration

09:30 – 13:00

Landscape Ateliers

Thematic roundtables with presentations and dialogue among invited guests and participants: 1. Territorial Borders: Lines in the Sand, 2. Borderscapes: Where Worlds Meet, 3. Climate Crisis: A Borderless Planet, 4. Migrations: The Moving Nature of Living Beings, 5. Fluid by Nature.

09:30 – 13:00 (in front of EPICenter)

Workshop with Bruno Doedens

(Circle4Change) and Trees Stories with InHolland Team

13:00 – 14:30

Lunch

14:30 – 15:00

Opening and visit of Bruno Doedens' exhibition

Circle4Change – Tour 2025: A Tree Cycles Through Europe

15:00 – 17:00

Landscape Ateliers – continued

- Outcome presentations

17:00 onward - Coffee & Dessert

Free Time & Chat

Evening Note:

Informal dinner gathering (self-organized)

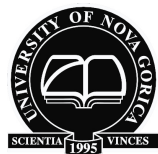
WEDNESDAY, 25 JUNE 2025

OPTIONAL ACTIVITIES DAY

ECoC 2025 Sites | Slovenian Statehood Day

- Visit to the orchard in Kojsko, Atlas of the forgotten orchards
- Self organized tour through Nova Gorica / Gorizia ECoC 2025 sites (tour maps provided)

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