About us

The EIT RawMaterials Regional Center Freiberg is located in the Co-location Center East (CLCE), the largest CLC in the EIT RawMaterials. There are over 40 partners from academia, business and research, as well as government bodies, located in Austria, Germany, Poland, Eastern and Southeastern Europe.

Our office oversees 2 major programs in the field of continuing professional education, giving the employees of our partners - such as technicians, engineers and sales engineers - the opportunity to learn fundamentals from experienced teachers and industry professionals. Our programs are designed to take into account our partners' specific needs as well as at the latest developments in the raw materials industry.

In addition to the up-to-date textbook knowledge, we also teach economic and entrepreneurial aspects relevant to the industry. What makes our programs unique is that we will teach beyond textbook knowledge, including the latest findings, results and approaches – bridging the gap between university teaching and scientific discussion. The high level approach of continuing education is not only designed for our partners, but also for technical fellows, specialized sales engineers, managers, group leaders in production and R&D.

Interested in our courses? Great, it would be our pleasure to have you attending one of them soon! Please contact us for further details, we will be happy to get to know you.

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EIT RawMaterials – bridging business, research and education

For employees and entrepreneurs

Professional training to maximize the opportunities in the raw materials sector
High relevance

Providing a sustainable supply of raw materials is vital to the European Union, which is why the EIT RawMaterials tackles this economic and societal challenge.

Best opportunities

The EIT RawMaterials offers a unique environment to help experts in the field to bring ideas to the market.

EIT RawMaterials – Turning challenges into opportunities

EIT RawMaterials develops raw materials into a strategic strength for the European Union by boosting competitiveness, growth and the attractiveness of the raw materials sector.

Our Objectives

By 2018 the consortium aims to have supported and developed 40 business propositions turned into commercial successes, created 16 start-ups and welcomed 1.000 EIT certified Master and PhD graduates into the industry. Also on the agenda: 70 granted patents by 2022.

Choose the CLC East Professional School to train your employees for:

- tailor-made training contents developed for the sophisticated needs of the business
- applied technological training courses in a multitude of topics related to raw materials business (e.g. mining, recycling, process technology, machinery/equipment)
- an increase in the professional levels of the local skilled workers
- assistance for career changers to set foot in the raw materials sector
- trainings focusing on entrepreneurial skills
- courses that will be interconnected to local Master- and PhD-programs.

Choose the EIT RawMaterials High Level Professional School to

- find out "the content of the university courses in 2025" today
- listen to world leading specialists sharing their experience, knowledge and insights
- find out the latest results, findings and theoretical approaches, which have a high potential for innovation by implementation
- contribute in bridging the gap between scientific discussion and university teaching
- receive an innovation booster, which embraces new innovations and will assist to bring new ideas to the market faster
- attend courses designed for smaller groups, in order to have a maximum outcome

The following academia, research institutes and industry partners are endorsing the professional school:

- TU Bergakademie Freiberg
- TU Nürnberg
- Montanuniversität Leoben
- AGH University of Science and Technology
- Wroclaw Research Centre EIT+
- EIT RawMaterials Academy
- TU Bergakademie Freiberg
- Trinity College Dublin
- Lappeenranta University of Technology
- University of Limerick
- BASF SE
- OCAS N.V.
- KGHM Zanam S.A.
- DMT GmbH & Co. KG
- Helmholtz-Zentrum Dresden Rossendorf
- The Spanish National Research Council CSIC
- Institute of Non-Ferrous Metals, IM
- Bureau de Recherches Géologiques et Minières (BRGM)
- Geological Institute of Romania
- ASTER S. Cons. P.A.
- ENEA (National agency for new technologies, energy and sustainable economic development)