



LIFELONG LEARNING SUMMIT PROGRAMME

18.11.2025 ▶ 8.30 - 15.30 ▶ Moderator: Jacob Rosenkrands

- 8:30** → **A modest breakfast and check-in**
A warm, local and tasteful start to the summit day in Copenhagen
- 9:15** → **Welcome to the Summit on Lifelong Learning**
Opening remarks: Why we must explore lifelong learning as a form of critical infrastructure in society
- **Keynote: Reimagining Our Institutional Practices**
Professor Geoff Mulgan, University College London
On institutional innovation as a collaborative practice – an effort to achieve better outcomes together.
- **What Is the Job to Be Done by Lifelong Learning in Society?**
A framing conversation to guide the day's work – setting the stage for the day's collaborative work
- 10:15** → **BREAK – Preparing to Be “Workanisers” of Lifelong Learning**
Time to recharge and get ready for active engagement.
- 10:30** → **The Market and Institutional Landscape of Lifelong Learning – As It Is**
Exploring Together in Breakouts: Exploring how lifelong learning is currently practiced and structured today
- **Knowns and Unknowns of lifelong learning**
A Tower Meeting in plenary: What do we truly know about lifelong learning today – and where do the uncertainties lie?
- **Micro-credentials as Innovators of the Future**
Director Sophie Huber, Centre of Continuing and Distance Education, University of Geneva
Can we create micro-credentials together in ways that are meaningful and impactful?
- 12:00** → **LUNCH BREAK**
Served in the historic Gobelin Hall, adorned with 17th-century Flemish tapestries
- 12:30** → **From a Mission to Emerging Ideas for Lifelong Learning**
Table work and discussion: What should we do together about the future of lifelong learning?
- 13:45** → **BREAK**
- 14:00** → **Welcoming the Minister for Higher Education and Science**
Introduction by the summit host
- 14:15** → **Christina Egelund, Minister for Higher Education and Science**
Minister's address on lifelong learning
- **Connecting the Dots for the Future of Lifelong Learning**
Plenary reflections on pathways, actors, and opportunities.
- **Wrapping Up and Looking Ahead**
Summarising insights from the summit and shaping the next steps.
- 15:30** → **End of Summit**
- 15:45-** → **A well-deserved glass of warm mulled wine**
Served in the 14th-century Monks' Cellar.