

Guest Lecture on Circular Economy

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The LEARN Logistics by Kühne Foundation (KF) in collaboration with the University of Nairobi, have organized a guest lecture on **circular economy**. The lectures will be delivered by a team of experts from Learn Logistics by Kühne Foundation including **Dr. Simon Peter Nadee, Mr. Wolf-Christian Noske, Mr. Thomas Zink and Prof. Thayla - a Professor of Production Engineering from São Paulo University**. Circular economy is increasingly becoming an important part of the international sustainable development and policy discourse. It aims to integrate circularity across economic activities, value chains and industrial processes as a pathway towards more resource-efficient and sustainable production and consumption.

The seminar is scheduled to take place on **September 28 – October 2, 2026 to 2nd October, 2026** at **8.4.4 Building, Department of Agricultural Economics in Upper Kabete**. The guest lecture will cover topics on: Introduction to Circular Economy; Circular Product Design; Reverse Logistics/ Resource Recovery System; Principles of Circular Economy; Circular Design Tools and Decision Criteria; Circular Business Model; Circular Economy and Operations Management; Circular Supply Chain Design and; Blue Connection Simulation.

Target Participants

All postgraduate students in the Faculty of Business and Management Sciences and the Faculty of Agriculture at the University of Nairobi.

Participation costs

The Centre will only meet the costs of the guest lecturer, writing materials, tea and snacks. Therefore, selected participants will be expected to meet their own costs of participating in this program including travel and other meals.

Application process

To apply, submit an email expressing interest and motivation, no more than 300 words with an email heading “**Guest Lecture on Circular Economy – student full name**” sent to sco@uonbi.ac.ke and copy agecon@uonbi.ac.ke and dept-mgtsci@uonbi.ac.ke on or before 22nd September.