AUGM-CG Joint Workshop of Junior Researchers (JWJR)

The Asociacion De Universidades Grupo Montevideo (AUGM) and The Coimbra Group (CG) would like to present their first joint workshop for junior researchers.

The workshop’s overarching theme is: “Sustainability”

This event aims to review and discuss different approaches in Latin-America and Europe, from the point of view of Ph.D. students, and junior researchers (Postdoc students), in order to promote a sustainable future in our societies. The various topics to be discussed will include, but not be limited to:

- Sustainable governance and development,
- Environmental, social and economic sustainability,
- Infrastructural sustainability,
- Sustainable agriculture
- Ethical sustainable strategies
- Ecological and social sustainability representations

Scientific and technological as well as social and human aspects of sustainability research and policy development will be focus of this event and knowledge exchange opportunity. The event intends to explore complementary approaches from both continents, in addition to identifying common issues, agendas, priorities and proposals that could foster suitable joint research among AUGM and GC’s research groups.

We expect to count with 15 PH.D. students from each network, with a total of 30 participants. The workshop will be structured around a number of sessions which will respond to the interests and ongoing research of the participants.

The event will take place at Universidade Federal do Rio Grande do Sul, Porto Alegre, Brazil, on May, 10th 2019. A range of activities will take place around the proposed workshop, hosted by UFRGS, to which participants will be welcome to attend. A full programme will be published in April 2019.

Interested students should provide a title and extended abstract (2 pages), in English, of their contribution, including a reflection on how their research addresses one or more of the above themes, BY 15 MARCH 2019. The abstract must sent, in PDF, by e-mail to:
- Soledad Garcia Ferrari (s.garcia@ed.ac.uk) for the students from Coimbra Group;
- Nicolas Maillard (nicolas.maillard@relinter.ufrgs.br) for the students from AUGM.

During the workshops, participants will be expected to prepare a 20-minutes presentation, also in English. The abstracts will be evaluated by a committee of experts from GC and AUGM, selected from the research groups working on sustainability.

**Timetable**

5/2/2019: Beginning of the divulgation in GC and AUGM. Registration period.

15/03/2019: End of registration. Evaluation of the submission.

29/03/2019: Divulcation of the selected works.