

Field Study Visits Undergraduate & Postgraduate

Findhorn Ecovillage is an intentional community and world-renowned education centre in the north of Scotland.

In 2006, a study by the Stockholm Environment Institute showed that the Findhorn community has the lowest recorded ecological footprint in the industrialised world.



Findhorn College offers students a direct experience of a holistic approach to sustainability through practical activities, guided tours and a range of seminars.

“At Findhorn, the whole community becomes a wonderful classroom.”

Sara Steinberg, Findhorn Community Semester student

“The students learnt, experienced and had fun at the same time. I recognise that this success is largely due to the effort you placed in helping design a suitable academic schedule and in helping arrange such good staff to contribute.”

Dr. Rehema White, Sustainable Development Programme Coordinator,
University of St. Andrews (2007)



Programmes

We offer tailor-made field study packages ranging from half a day to a week or longer.

Learn about:

- ✿ **sustainable living in a community**
- ✿ **community-scale renewable energy systems**
- ✿ **values change in a culture of sustainability**

We can help you build your own programme from a choice of over 30 sessions, including energy, housing, social change, food, governance, ecological design and economics.

Example sessions:

- Tour of the Living Machine (ecological sewage treatment)
- Whole systems thinking and design
- Local economics and complementary currencies
- Community decision-making and governance
- Low carbon technologies and community design
- Sustainable (e)co-housing
- Community Supported Agriculture (CSA)
- Social cohesion building exercises



CONTACT US! Give your students a unique opportunity to enhance their capacity as effective sustainable development practitioners.

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