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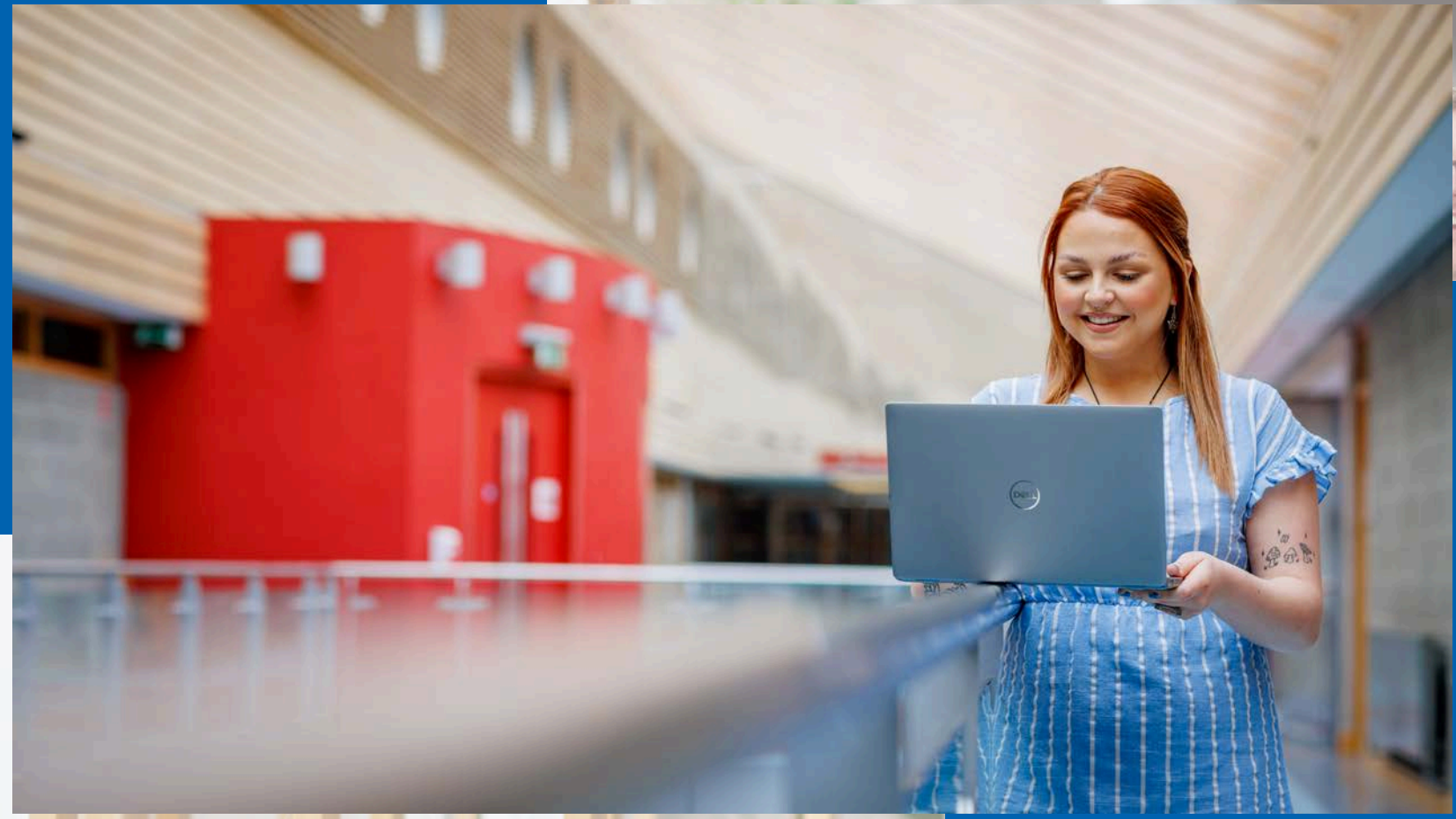
Welcome to SETU's Equality, Diversity and Inclusion (EDI) Calendar

We are delighted to introduce this year's Equality, Diversity, and Inclusion (EDI) calendar. This calendar is a resource to help our university community celebrate and recognise a wide range of cultural, religious, and awareness events that reflect the rich diversity within our institution. By highlighting these important dates, we aim to foster a deeper understanding and appreciation of the various identities, experiences, and contributions that make up our vibrant university community.

Please note that this calendar is not an exhaustive list of all significant dates, and we acknowledge that there are many additional celebrations and observances that may hold importance to different members of our community. We encourage everyone to engage with and contribute to the ongoing discourse around inclusion, ensuring that our campus remains a space where all feel welcomed, valued, and supported.

Thank you for your commitment to making our university a more inclusive and equitable place for all.

World Alzheimer's Month



September 2024

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Key Dates

- 10: World Suicide Prevention Day
- 23: International Day of of Sign Languages
- 23: Bisexual Visibility Day
- 27: Holocaust Memorial Day

International Week of Deaf People 23 – 29 Sep
Active Aging Week 30 Sep – 6 Oct



October 2024

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Key Dates

- 1: International Day of Older Persons
- 2-4: Rosh Hashanah-Jewish New Year (Judaism)
- 8: National Traveller Mental Health Day
- 10: World Mental Health Day
- 11: National Coming out Day

- 11-12: Yom Kippur-Day of Atonement (Judaism)
- 12: World Blind Day/World Sight Day
- 17: International Day for the Eradication of Poverty
- 18: World Menopause Day
- 26: Intersex Awareness Day
- 28: October Bank Holiday (Public Holiday)



November 2024

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Key Dates

- 1: Diwali-Festival of Lights (Hinduism)
- 16: International Day for Tolerance
- 19: International Men's Day
- 20: Transgender Day of Remembrance
- 25: International Day for the Elimination of Violence Against Women
- 29: International Day of Solidarity with the Palestinian People

16 Days of Activism against Gender-Based Violence 25 Nov – 10 Dec
 International Week of Science and Peace 6 - 12 Nov



December 2024

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Key Dates

1: World Aids Day

3: International Day of Persons with Disabilities

10: International Human Rights Day

18: International Migrants Day

25: Christmas Day (Christianity) (Public Holiday)

25-2 Jan: Hanukkah-Jewish Festival of Lights (Judaism)



January 2025

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Key Dates

1: New Year's Day (Public Holiday)

4: World Braille Day

6: Nollaig na nBan

6: Epiphany (Christianity)

7: Christmas Day (Orthodox Christianity)

19: World Religion Day

24: International Day of Education

27: International Holocaust

Remembrance Day

29: Chinese New Year



February 2025

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Key Dates

- 1: World Hijab Day
- 3: St. Brigid's Day (Public Holiday)
- 11: International Day of Women and Girls in Science
- 20: World Day of Social Justice
- 28: International Stand up to Bullying Day
- 28: Ramadan begins (Islam)

World Interfaith Harmony Week 1 - 7 Feb



Key Dates

1: Traveller Ethnicity Day

3: Great Lent begins (Orthodox Christianity)

5: Ash Wednesday (Christianity)

8: International Women's Day

13: Young Carers' Action Day

14: Holi-Festival of Colour (Hinduism)

17: St Patrick's Day (Public Holiday)

21: International Day for the Elimination of Racial Discrimination/Wear Red Day

29: Ramandan ends (Islam)

30: Eid al Fitr (Islam)

31: Transgender Day of Visibility

March 2025

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Week of Solidarity with the Peoples Struggling Against Racism and Racial Discrimination 21 - 27 March

April 2025

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Key Dates

2: World Autism Awareness Day

5: International Day of Conscience

8: International Roma Day

12-20: Passover (Judaism)

18: Good Friday (Christianity)

18: Holy Friday (Orthodox Christianity)

20: World Day of Social Justice

20: Easter Sunday (Christianity)

20: Pascha-Easter (Orthodox Christianity)

21: Easter Monday (Public Holiday)

26 Lesbian Visibility Day



May 2025

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Key Dates

5: May Day (Public Holiday)

16: International Day of Living in Peace Together

16: Global Accessibility Awareness Day

17: International Day against Homophobia, Transphobia, Intersexism and Biphobia

21: World Day for Cultural Diversity for Dialogue and Development

25: Africa Day



June 2025

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Key Dates

1: Global Day of Parents

2: June Bank Holiday (Public Holiday)

6-9: Eid al-Adha (Islam)

18: Autistic Pride Day

18: International Day of Countering Hate Speech

20: World Refugee Day



July 2025

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Key Dates

4 July: Independence Day (USA)

14: International Non-Binary People's Day

18: Nelson Mandela International Day

30: World Day Against Trafficking in Persons



August 2025

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Key Dates

4: August Bank Holiday (Public Holiday)

9: International Day of the World's Indigenous People

12: International Youth Day

19: World Humanitarian Day

21: International Day for Remembrance and Tribute to the Victims of Terrorism

23: International Day for Remembrance of the Slave Trade and its Abolition