

23 & 24 May 2024 at Cercle Cité  
**MULTIDISCIPLINARY CONFERENCE**

## 23 May 2024

Opening session  
starting at 4 pm

- Booth corner
- Research poster session
- Keynote speech by Prof. Olivier De Schutter, UN Special Rapporteur on extreme poverty and human rights
- Round table on youth and intergenerational poverty

## 24 May 2024

Thematic panels  
from 9 am to 3 pm

- Education
- Professional life
- Health and well-being
- Citizen participation

Conference languages:

**EN, FR and LU  
(depending on the panels)  
with simultaneous  
translation.**

# Challenges of the youth in Luxembourg



Youth is a **major issue for policymaking in Luxembourg**. While young people face numerous challenges in a world struck by crises, there is no shortage of opportunities to **prepare them for the future**.

**The youth** is at the heart of the conference, which brings together the worlds of politics, research, and civil society.

## Conference goals

What challenges are young people specifically facing? How can we prepare the youth for the future? Are today's policies adapted to their needs? What rights and guarantees do young people have, and how can the situation of the most vulnerable be improved? Finally, what are the answers provided by practical experiences and what is the state of research on this subject in Luxembourg and internationally?

**The aim of the conference is to provide food for thought and offer some answers to these questions, thanks to an exchange between researchers, policymakers, and practitioners.**

While the event on 23<sup>rd</sup> May is dedicated to the subject of intergenerational poverty and social inequalities, the conference on 24<sup>th</sup> May will focus on a variety of themes relating to youth policies and young people through panels followed by roundtables.

## Programme

Thursday 23 May	16h00	Booths and research posters
	17h15	Official conference opening
	17h30	Keynote speech by Prof. Olivier De Schutter
	18h15	Break
	18h30	Round table: Intergenerational poverty in Luxembourg
	20h30	Gala Walking Dinner
Friday 24 May	9h00	Reception
	9h15	Opening speech
	9h30	Panel 1: Education in Luxembourg (plenary session)
	10h45	Break
	11h00	Parallel sessions <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Panel 2: Inclusion in the professional life</li><li>• Panel 3: Health and well-being of young people</li></ul>
	12h15	Lunch break
	13h30	Panel 4: Citizen participation (plenary session)
	14h45	Closing remarks



Registration