World Learning Summit 2027

University of Agder, Future Learning Lab

WLS '27

Educating for Democracy

Education as advocacy and attention work in the AI age.

WHERE	WHEN	CALL FOR ABSTRACTS
Kristiansand, Norway	May 26–28, 2027	Open until February 15, 2027

WHY THIS THEME

What does education owe a generation raised inside information chaos?

Trust in democracy is falling fastest among the young. Teaching someone to question a headline is a political act.

Abstracts of up to 300 words. Panel proposals welcome.

12 OF 21 SUGGESTED THEMES

- Media Literacy and Democratic Resilience
- Epistemic Justice
- Disinformation, Platforms, and Public Trust
- Narrative Inclusion
- Youth Political Engagement and the Future
- Gen Z, Polarization, and the Search for Belonging
- AI, Algorithms, and the Attention Economy
- Civic Education for a Post-Truth Public Sphere
- AI and the Future of Arts
- Teaching Democracy in Divided Classrooms
- Gender and Cultural Identity
- Education as Advocacy: Pedagogies of Peace

KEY DATES

15 FEBRUARY 2027	15 FEBRUARY 2027	26–28 MAY 2027	1 SEPTEMBER 2027
Panel proposals due	**Abstracts due**	**The summit**	**Full papers (optional)**

Details and submission futurelearninglab.com/world-learning-summit-2027