

## **Co-operative Law Summer School: Co-operative law, co-operative identity, and sustainable development**

### **An international masterclass in law and public policy**

**August 24-29, 2025: Summer School (Masterclass)**  
**Open to registered participants**

#### Brief agenda

0. Opening dinner – August 24<sup>th</sup>
1. General introduction/legal frameworks
2. What are co-operatives – law and economics perspectives
3. Co-operative law – preliminaries
4. An ABC of a law on co-operatives/diverse country frameworks
5. Challenges for lawmakers /regulatory challenges
6. Actors in the field of co-operative law: COPAC, UN agencies and multilateral bodies, the ICA, private associations promoting co-operative law such as IUS Cooperativum, Sustainable Economies Law Center, etc.
7. Closing/awarding certificates, August 29

#### Note

- Presentations will include examples from different parts of the world
- Guest speakers, including participants, will enrich the course content
- The group will pay a visit to one or more co-operatives in Pula
- Participants will enjoy a guided tour through the city of Pula

## August 23, 2025: International Workshop on Co-operative Law and Public Policy (co-funded by the ICA-EU Financial Framework Partnership Agreement – ICA EU FFPA)

Side event open to all

### Brief Agenda

- Understand and contribute to shaping the Legal Framework Analysis – Activity undertaken by the ICA and its regional offices under the ICA EU FFPA
- Discuss how the UN International Year of Co-operatives can contribute to bettering the legal-policy environment for the development of co-operatives



### Knowledge Partners



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