

# GO CARBON NEUTRAL!

## Course description for train-the-trainer course on carbon neutrality

Carbon neutrality is not the easiest concept to understand, let alone to achieve as an organization but it's a crucial component of transitioning to a more sustainable world. This training course enables participants to become agents of change as they learn to facilitate a "Go Carbon Neutral" game, inspiring and educating players on how to make an organization carbon neutral. The cardboard game allows the players to simulate how to build a carbon neutrality program and explains basic terms and concepts, following [the 10 steps to carbon neutrality](#). The course combines classic training elements with more interactive engagement, for instance by playing the game twice - first as participant and later as facilitator. The course is designed as a train-the-trainer concept, to equip participants with the required skills and knowledge to train others in facilitating the game within their own organizations.

### Course content

The course takes 4,5 hours (excluding breaks) and will be conducted face to face with Green Network and LM Wind Power facilitators. The course contains the following elements:

- Play the "Go Carbon Neutral" game as participant
- Introduction to carbon neutrality and the 10 steps to becoming a carbon neutral organization
- Define your ambition and find your partner
- Create your baseline and set your strategy
- Engage your colleagues
- Choose the components of your program
  - Reduce your emissions
  - Switch to renewable energy
  - Balance your remaining emissions
- Continue to improve, and celebrate and share
- Play the "Go Carbon Neutral" game as facilitators
- Conclusion for trainers/facilitators and how to adapt to different contexts

### Course objectives

The objective of the course is to educate individuals to be able to explain and train others in carbon neutrality by playing the "Go Carbon Neutral" game. By becoming trained game facilitators, participants are equipped to engage and educate members of their own organizations or even train others to become facilitators. Participants will be trained on:

- How business action can contribute to global climate goals and commitments, and how carbon neutrality is a cornerstone of setting ambitious emission reduction targets
- The required activities for taking an organization carbon neutral and how to structure a program
- The knowledge and skills required to facilitate the "Go Carbon Neutral" game in their organization
- How to train others to be facilitators of the "Go Carbon Neutral" game

### Document your ability as facilitator

Participants of the course are eligible to obtain a course certificate to demonstrate their abilities as trainers. Course certificates will be issued by CSR Europe after completion of the training course.