## How can we improve our cooperation and strengthen our identity within SLU Landscape?

## **Group discussions:**

1. In mixed groups (four):

Brainstorm together and come up with ideas. Agree on the 2-3 most important things.

Summarized in first column below.

- 2. Choose one area you would like to concretize. Discuss in groups (three):
  - What could the first step be?
  - What do we want to send as a recommendation to the steering group?
  - How could you yourselves contribute?

Write down shortly two or three things that you find crucial

Summarized in second column below.

## IDEAS MORE CONCRETE

Courses are good to strengthen our impact	<ul> <li>Find synergies between POM, Genbank, historic plants, ecology for a good and attractive course. (examples)</li> <li>Coordination of courses and linked to sustainability thinking</li> <li>(Åsa, Helena, Carole and Lisa)</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>Mapping different fields and interest in various ways (publications, event etc)</li> <li>Mapping competences and have a good database (affinity map)</li> <li>Good mapping – know the competences. More structured. (Maybe for whole SLU) Coordinate the mapping among all.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Capture the data needed to map</li> <li>Library helping</li> <li>Listing the current projects under each SDG goals</li> <li>(Harald, Andrew, Sonia, Bruno)</li> </ul>
Where do SLU Landscape want to be in 5 years? Prioritizing	<ul> <li>Someone from Umeå in SLU L.</li> <li>Prioritize to focus what we should and not do</li> <li>Better communicate the means we have</li> <li>Same vocabulary – difficult.</li> </ul>

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	(Gunilla, Ingrid, Burcu, Mads, Christine)
Appreciating the opportunity of meetings (fika)	
More directed meetings (discussion around	
calls)	

## FROM THE CHAT:

From Lisa to Everyone: (2:14 PM)

Ideas for cooperation and strengthen identity (group 1)

SLU Landscape courses to be reiterated every year or second, or summer courses, on all levels, with many cooperating partners, other unis, professionals, researchers, to become means of communication between each other

Map our different fields, interests, histories, emerging topics, people who are linked to it – mapping in different forms, websites, news, events

From Ingrid Sarlöv-Herlin to Everyone: (2:15 PM)

#2. research initiatives; invite each other to subject group meetings a good database of common interests; mapping competences, using technique show-case joint interest

From Sonia Curnier to Everyone: (2:15 PM)

From my home university:https://www.epfl.ch/schools/enac/about/enac-affinity-map/ Interdisciplinary faculty of built and natural environment

From Lisa to Everyone: (2:52 PM)

COURSES (Asa, Helena, Carole, Lisa)

Land a couple of PhD courses, f.ex. tapping into landscape theory, national gene bank, historical ecology, all to rime with sustainability goals and the Ett SLU strategy

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