

WARWICK

Economics Summit

2nd - 4th FEBRUARY 2024

AMBASSADORS & REPRESENTATIVES SCHEME



“ In today’s world, the Warwick Economics Summit is more important than ever before. This is where young future leaders from around the world – in public policy, academics, or business – can hear current leaders takes on global challenges, while making connections that will foster the future international cooperation we so desperately need.”

Professor Maurice Obstfeld - WES 2019

Former Chief Economist at the IMF



WHO WE ARE

The Warwick Economics Summit is one of the largest student-run academic conferences in Europe. **Now in its 23rd year, our goal is to set up a community for university students to engage in multidisciplinary discussions that go far beyond the field of economics.**

Every year, the summit brings together world-renowned academics, policy-makers, activists, and business leaders to speak on topics surrounding the social sciences **and addressing today's wider global issues.**



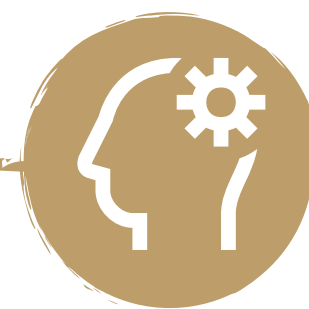
ECONOMICS



POLITICS



INTERNATIONAL
RELATIONS



PSYCHOLOGY



DEVELOPMENT

A FEW OF OUR PAST SPEAKERS



His Majesty Letsie III

King of Lesotho
WES 2023



Janet Henry

HSBC Global Chief Economist
WES 2023



Oleksandra Matviychuk

Chairman of Centre for Civil Liberties
WES 2023



Yuval Noah Harari

Historian, Professor, Author
WES 2022



François Villeroy de Galhau

Governor of the Bank of France
WES 2022



Ursula von der Leyen

President of the European Commission
WES 2021



Muhammad Yunus

Founder of Grameen Bank, Pioneer of
Microfinance
WES 2021



Her Majesty Queen Rania

Queen of Jordan
WES 2021



Shirin Ebadi

2003 Nobel Peace Prize Laureate
WES 2020



Maurice Obstfeld

WES 2019



MEET OUR SPEAKERS

A unique chance to learn from and interact with our prestigious speakers through our Meet the Speaker sessions (in-person only)

EXPAND YOUR NETWORK

Socialise with students from across the globe at our famous Summit Ball (in-person only) and become part of the WES community

MENTORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

From our alumni, partners and sponsors: unparalleled guidance to help develop your career and interests

WESMEDIA OPPORTUNITIES

Opportunities to write for WESBlog with 10,000+ reach, appear on WESPod to discuss world events and even speak at the Summit through our Student Speakers series

WHY ATTEND WES

PAST DELEGATIONS

AND OUR GLOBAL PRESENCE



IN THE VIRTUAL 2022 SUMMIT, WE HOSTED 6000+ ATTENDEES FROM 90+ COUNTRIES

A HYBRID WES 2024

WES will be continuing its hybrid approach this year!

building on the success of last year's hybrid summit, we will combine the unforgettable atmosphere of the in person experience and the accessibility of the virtual format.

THIS YEAR, WE HAVE DIVIDED OUR SCHEME INTO TWO:

Ambassadors: Ambassadors can recruit delegates to attend in-person AND an unlimited number of attendees to participate virtually.

Representatives: Representatives can recruit an unlimited number of delegates to attend virtually ONLY.

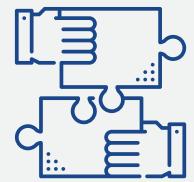
Ambassador applications are encouraged over Representative applications for students from the EU and UK.

WHY BECOME AN AMBASSADOR?

RESPONSIBLE FOR IN PERSON AND VIRTUAL DELEGATIONS



Exclusive opportunities to write for WESBlog with 10,000+ reach



Network with international students and speakers at our famous Summit Ball, the highlight of the weekend

Polished certificate for an excellent addition to your resume/CV, alongside awards for outstanding Ambassadors



Take on a vital role in the execution of one of the largest and most prestigious student run conferences in Europe



Mentorship opportunities from our alumni, partners and sponsors: unparalleled guidance to help develop your career and interests

Join our 300+ ambassador alumni network on LinkedIn



Speak at the Summit through our Student Speakers series



Priority access for in-person unique conversations with our Meet the Speaker sessions



Visit our beautiful campus, experience the incredible Summit atmosphere and foster lifelong connections with other attendees

***POSITION OPEN ONLY TO IN-PERSON DELEGATES**

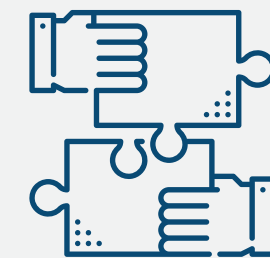
WHY BECOME A REPRESENTATIVE?

RESPONSIBLE FOR FUTURE GENERATIONS

Exclusive opportunities to write for WESBlog with 10,000+ reach and speak at the Summit through our Student Speakers series



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***POSITION OPEN ONLY TO VIRTUAL DELEGATES**



AMBASSADOR RESPONSIBILITIES

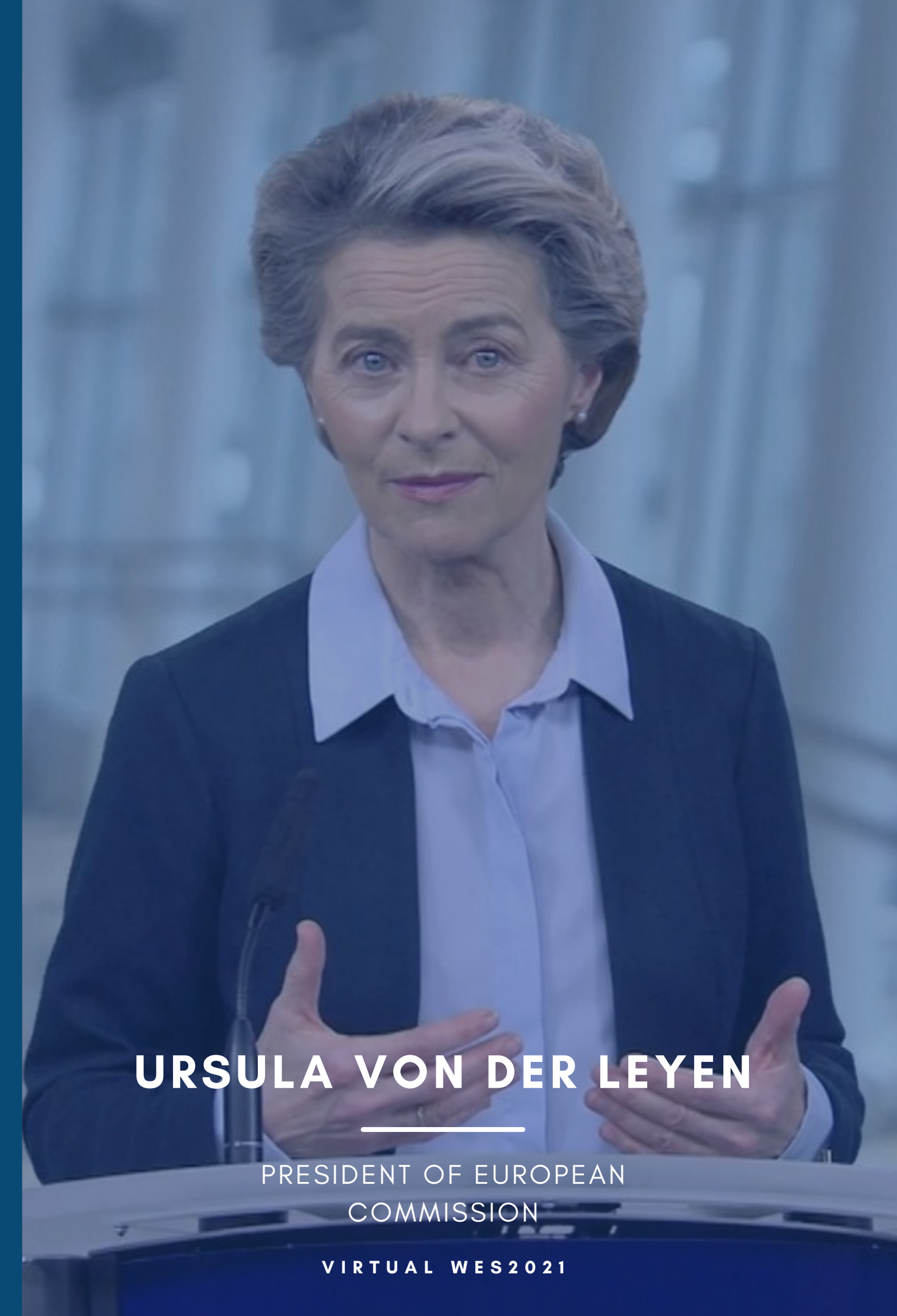
Advertise and promote the Summit at your university to recruit delegates.

Collaborate actively with the ERH team to manage arrival and departure and help organise transportation and accommodation for the delegation.

Organise how your university takes part in the WES experience.

REPRESENTATIVE RESPONSIBILITIES

Represent and promote WES at your university to recruit delegates for your virtual delegation.



URSULA VON DER LEYEN

PRESIDENT OF EUROPEAN
COMMISSION

VIRTUAL WES2021



HOW TO APPLY?

Applications are NOW open.

*Applications are reviewed on rolling basis, so apply quickly!

APPLY HERE!



Ambassador applications are encouraged over Representative applications from the EU and UK.

To increase your chances of success please apply as early as possible. Don't miss this chance to join the WES Team!



SPEAKERS TESTIMONIALS

“This is the most wonderful conference I've been at. The fact that it is arranged by students themselves is truly marvelous. I think it's a truly great conference and I am tremendously pleased to be here. ”

George Akerlof

Nobel Prize in Economics (2001)

WES 2012

“I left very impressed not only by the conference, but also by the enthusiasm of the students with whom I was able to talk briefly, by how nice your campus is, and the quality of the speakers at the conference. ”

Stanley Fischer

Former Vice Chairman of the Federal Reserve

WES 2017

“It was my pleasure to present virtually at the WES. It was great to share ideas with students from around the world. I was impressed by the questions that I received after my talk. They were excellent. I also very much enjoyed my more personal interaction with a group of students afterwards. This was a great event. ”

Lars Peter Hansen

Nobel Prize in Economics (2013)

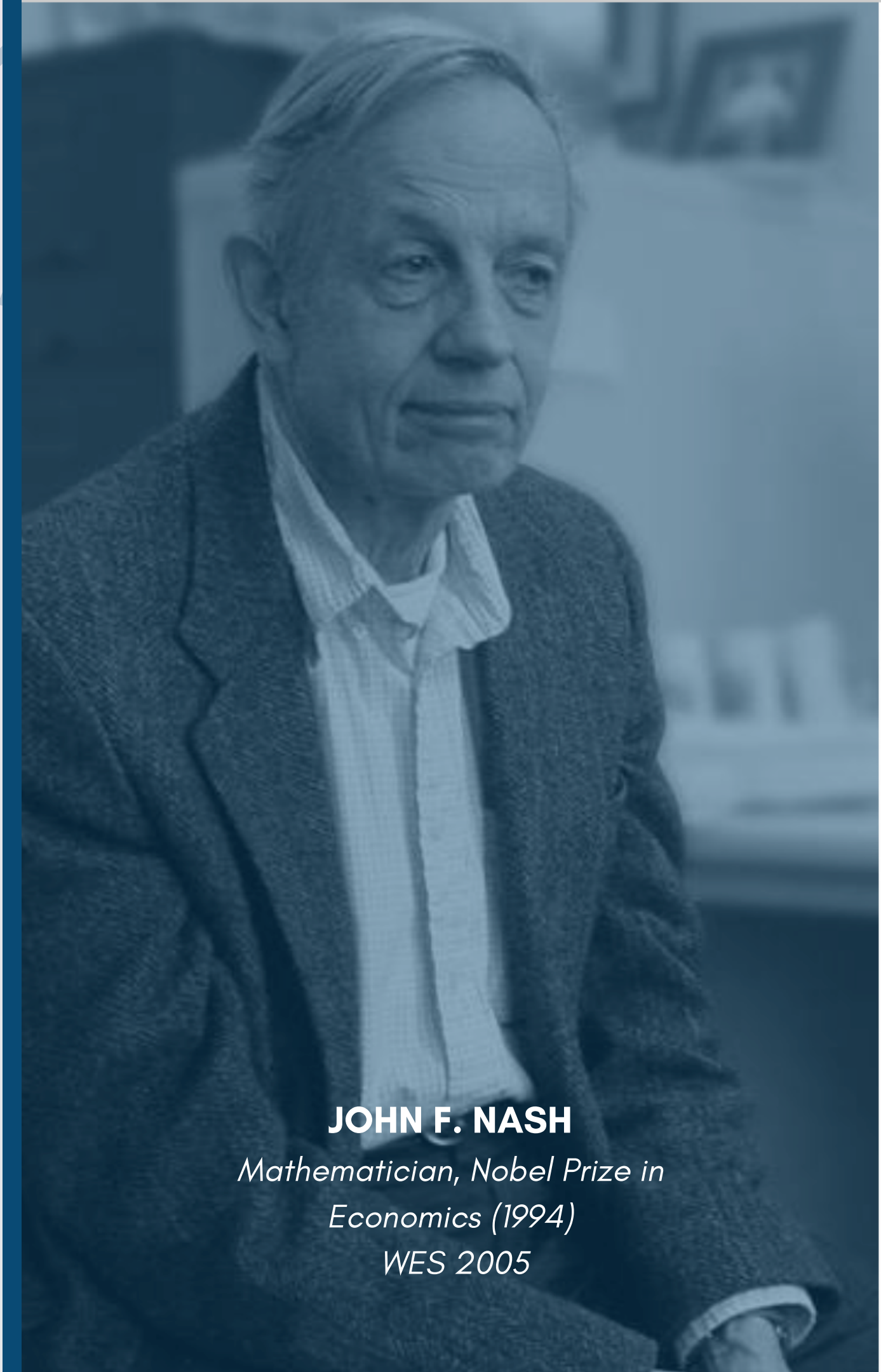
WES 2022

JOHN F. NASH

Mathematician, Nobel Prize in

Economics (1994)

WES 2005





AMBASSADORS TESTIMONIALS

“The summit has been amazing!!! I thoroughly enjoyed Day 1. You guys have put in an insane amount of effort and it’s amazing to see the summit go so well. ”

Adeep Srinivasa, University of Adelaide

“A unique opportunity to converse with individuals full of ideas, in the speakers as well as the audience. Truly inspiring! ”

Michel Tao, ETH Zurich

“In short, WES 2023 was an Inspiring, Enriching and truly Global event. With yet another set of distinguished speakers and panellists, WES continues to reach greater heights each year. Organising a Hybrid Summit for the very first time is no mean feat, but it was organised seamlessly. This is yet another feather in the cap of the entire WES team. I suppose the biggest compliment I could provide is that the WES team are starting to ignite a passion amongst Delegates from other Universities to organise such Summits of their own! ”

Vaibhav Ashwin Kumar, University of Manchester

FAQ

How many delegates should I recruit?

Generally, delegations arrive with a range of 10-15 delegates at the summit. However, we are happy to discuss numbers depending on circumstances and capacity.

Can I become a co-ambassador with another student from my university?

Yes, absolutely! We have found this practice to be highly successful for managing larger delegations. As a result, we have enabled the option to apply as a pair in the ambassador application.



REACH & COVERAGE

WES IN THE PRESS:

Forbes

FT FINANCIAL
TIMES

BBC
NEWS

CNBC

Bloomberg[®]

NETWORK:



3500 FOLLOWERS



11K LIKES
11K FOLLOWERS



2600+ FOLLOWERS



2200 SUBSCRIBERS
245K VIEWS



2700 FOLLOWERS



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