

Conference agenda - Day 1

6th September 2023 - Plenary Day
Budapest, Hungary - MagNet House

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8:30 - 9:00	Registration		
9:00 - 9:15	Opening speeches	Dr Lilla Bartuszek (Sustainable Cities - HU)	Opening remarks
		Hector C. Pagan (UTARTU - EST)	Introduction of CEESEN network
9:15 - 10:15	1st section Energy security and dependency	Eero Ailio (European Commission)	European policies for a green energy transition
		András Deák (Institute of World Economics, Centre for Economic and Regional Studies)	The intermittency problem and the role of municipalities in its management - macro view
		Fanni Sáfíán & Márton Fabók (Solidarity Economic Center, SEC)	Community energy as a new opportunity for Municipalities
		Taras Kachmarchuk (Vestas - UA)	1st Inspirational Story New wind farm development in Ukraine
10:15 - 10:45	1st Panel discussion	Speakers of the section	
10:45 - 11:15	1st Coffee break		
11:15 - 12:30	2nd section Policy and Financing opportunities regarding SECAPs	Michele Sansoni (CINEA)	LIFE Clean Energy Transition: support to the implementation of energy and climate action plans
		Thomas Brose (Climate Alliance)	Cities and municipalities as frontrunners of green energy transition
		Miguel Morcillo (Covenant of Mayors Europe)	Policy recommendation for better SECAPs
		Dora Biondani (Energy Poverty Advisory Hub)	EPAH technical assistance program
		Andreas Piontek (European Investment Bank; EIB)	Improving the energy efficiency of buildings with ELENA
		Mario Rajn (Mayor of Križevci; CRO)	2nd Inspirational Story Križevci – from crowdfunding to energy independence
12:30 - 13:00	2nd Panel discussion	Speakers of the Section	
13:00 - 14:30	Lunch break		
14:30 - 15:30	3rd section Energy Poverty in SECAP	João Pedro Gouveia (Center for environmental and sustainability research; CENSE)	Exploring energy poverty at multiple scales: policies, research and on-the-ground action in Europe
		Jakub Sokolowski (Institute for Structural Research; IBS)	Energy Poverty Measuring, Monitoring, and Identification: Socially Efficient Solutions to Meet Climate Policy Ambitions
		Nóra Feldmár (Habitat for Humanity Hungary)	Social aspect of energy poverty: experiences and case studies gained from the ground
		Dr Béla Munkácsy (ELTE University, Hungary)	3rd Inspirational Story - High-level planning on the highest mountain - Fighting for healthier air and fewer energy-poor households in one of the highest Hungarian villages
15:30 - 16:00	3rd Panel discussion	Speakers of the Section	

16:00 -16:30	2nd Coffee break		
16:30 -17:30	4th section Climate adaptation	Elis Vollmer (UTARTU)	Introduction of 'ECAP+' and its climate adaptation aspects
		Dr Petra Szatzker (Ministry of Interior Hungary)	Water retention in practices: introduction of LIFE LOGOS 4 WATERS project
		Martin Ander (Nadace Partnerství)	National adaptation award (CZ)
		Ewelina Biernacka (Rep. of Chorzele municipality; Poland)	4th Inspirational Story - Implementing adaptation actions towards more sustainable and ecological solutions in Chorzele Municipality
17:30 -17:55	4th Panel discussion	Speakers of the Section	
17:55 -18:00	Closing remarks		
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Conference agenda - Day 2
7th September 2023 - Interactive Day
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8:30 - 9:00 Registration			
9:00 - 10:30	WORKSHOP 1: Energy poverty	Fighting against energy poverty with the help of SECAPs	If you want to learn more about the real solutions regarding energy poverty and the best practices from different EU countries this workshop is definitely for you: Since energy poverty is going to be a major methodological pillar in SECAPs in the near future, this workshop helps you to prepare for this change. Furthermore, in the middle of the energy crisis "just and fair energy transition" is one of the most important issues within the EU this WS will show you how would SECAP including energy poverty deal with this issue. <u>MORE INFO</u>
	WORKSHOP 2: Policy and Finance	Enhancing policy perspectives and financing mechanisms for municipalities towards green and energy transition	The workshop will explore different policies and financing models used by frontrunner municipalities to successful implement climate and energy related strategies and action plans (e.g. SECAP). <u>MORE INFO</u>
10:30 - 11:00 Coffee break			
11:00 - 12:30	WORKSHOP 3: Energy security	Energy communities as one solution for energy security	The workshop will focus on link between energy communities and energy security. We will discuss the solutions and challenges of implementing local energy communities in CEE region and how these can increase the local and regional energy security and resilience. <u>MORE INFO</u>
	WORKSHOP 4: Climate adaptation	The practice of nature-friendly solutions for water retention and other climate adaptation options	The aim of the WS is to give practical information and knowledge about nature-based water retention possibilities at municipality level. The WS will also focus on heat mapping in cities and other climate adaptation solutions. <u>MORE INFO</u>
12:30 - 13:30 Lunch break			
14:00 - 17:00	Thematic site visits (Further information on the website)	SITE VISIT 1: Terézváros, District VI of Budapest	Let's explore the potential of urban climate adaptation in Terézváros. Green walls, streets and roofs instead of parking lots and concrete? If you don't believe it's possible, join the walk and see for yourself. <u>MORE INFO</u>
		SITE VISIT 2: Józsefváros, District VIII of Budapest	Visiting RenoPont one-stop-shop (OSS) and deep dive in the heart of the city. "Uccu Budapest Roma City Walks" invites you for a tour to one of Budapest's most diverse districts where energy poverty is tangible. <u>MORE INFO</u>
		SITE VISIT 3: Csömör (Budapest agglomeration)	Our waterways have given us life, it is time to breathe life into them again. Join the stream rehabilitation tour of Csömör, a village in the agglomeration of Budapest, if you're interested in creative nature-based solutions and wonder how to make a big impact with low-cost measures. <u>MORE INFO</u>
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