

OUTPUT FACT SHEET

Trainings

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Summary description of the implemented training measure(s), explaining the specific goal(s), target groups and transnational added value

PROSPECT2030 set up a replication process in order to actively involve more institutions and transfer the project outputs and the expertise in the Central Europe area. Besides the commitment for the transferring of project's approaches and methods, the training sessions had several objectives, such as: multiply the effects of the project on a longer term perspective; increase the overall capacity of the consortium and beyond; establish a mutual exchange with replicant partners. The selection of the organizations was performed through an open call addressed to regions, municipalities, public authorities, or sectoral agencies located in Central Europe. It was published on PROSPECT2030 website promoting the benefits of becoming a replicant partner. It was also launched through all available social media, Project Partners channels and twinning EU initiatives in order to overcome the challenge to attract applicants. The call was successful and 11 Replicant Partners coming from 8 EU Countries were selected. Once identified, replicants and project partners started working together in this transnational joint exchange of expertise journey. Besides the commitment for the transferring of project's approaches and methods, the training sessions had the aim of being tailored to the specific needs of the replicant partners collected through a questionnaire. Due to COVID pandemia it has been impossible to organise one to one physical meetings, so it was decided to go for a format of 7 online meetings addressing 7 different topics to be organised by each region, but involving all the partnership, and aimed at all the replicant partners. The workshops focused on: Energy planning and energy transition; Energy efficiency in buildings; Financing energy efficiency; Sustainable transport; Renewable energy systems; Energy grids and infrastructures; Stakeholders engagement and the role of consumers. A survey carried out among the participants made it possible to collect evaluations, which were positive, and suggestions.

NUTS region(s) where training(s) have been conducted (relevant NUTS level)

Burgenland - Eco Energyland (AT),
Friuli Venezia Giulia (IT),
Mazovia (PL),
Piemonte (IT),
Saxony-Anhalt (DE),
Split-Dalmatia (HR),
Southern Great Plain (HU)

Expected impact and benefits of the trainings for the concerned territories and target groups

The replicant partners were able to participate in a joint training program that involved all the project partners as mentors and the replicants as mentees. Thanks to the training, the replicant partners will be able to reproduce on their territories the approach and method used by PROSPECT2030 to implement territorial energy planning and efficiency. A further added value to the training was the participation of external speakers and stakeholders. The moments of discussion helped to create a mutual exchange of experiences useful for the mentees to make their own relevant contribution but also for the project partners to increase their expertise.

Sustainability of the training(s) and developed training material(s) and their transferability to other territories and stakeholders

The training with replicant partners was designed to be a way to implement an effective knowledge transfer in order to multiply the effects and benefits of the project's outputs on a long term perspective and, to widen the impact area, involved also external speakers and stakeholders. Mentees should be engaged with the topics of their actual interest, for this purpose an initial survey was essential. Thanks to the free available online learning package, the mentees will be able not only to apply the lessons learnt in their territories, but it will be possible for them to further spread the new acquired expertise to other regional and local authorities and energy agencies, so as to be reproduced in new territories. The greater the dissemination of the teachings of the PROSPECT2030 project, the more it will be possible to influence the structure of the existing public fund legislation framework and to align regional energy planning to the Fit for 55 targets.

References to relevant deliverables and web-links

If applicable, pictures or images to be provided as annex

The main relevant related project deliverables are the following:

- D.T3.3.1 - Call for interest for the replication beneficiaries
- D.T3.3.2 - Format for capacity building workshops
- D.T3.3.3 - List of replicant pp
- D.T3.3.4 - Report on training of Piemonte replicant PP and key lessons learnt
- D.T3.3.5 - Report on training of Friuli replicant PP and key lessons learnt
- D.T3.3.6 - Report on training of EcoEnergyland replicant PP and key lessons learnt
- D.T3.3.7 - Report on training of Saxony-Anhalt replicant PP and key lessons learnt
- D.T3.3.8 - Report on training of Split and Dalmatia replicant PP and key lessons learnt
- D.T3.3.9 - Report on training of Mazovia replicant PP and key lessons learnt
- D. T3.3.10 - Report on training of Southern Great Plain replicant PP and key lessons learnt
 - D.T3.4.2 - Training package

All the materials related to replication workshops can be found on the project website under the “Replication Workshop” section in the Home Page:

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