

ManagEnergy Capacity Building Workshop

Timisoara, Romania
27 – 28 March 2014

Agenda

Day 1 – Thursday 27 March

Conference: Strategies for a sustainable territory

9:00 – Registration of participants

9:10 – Welcome Session – Titu Bojin (Timis County Council President)

Panel 1 - Policies for energy sustainability and environmental planning

9:30 – The national sustainable energy policy – Petru Ehegartner (Senator – Romanian Parliament)

9:45 – Timis municipalities and the challenge of sustainability, Master Plan interventions areas – Marian Constantin Vasile (Timis County Council Vice-President, AMET President)

10:00 - MANAGENERGY Presentation – Patrick Lefebvre (ManagEnergy)

10:15 - Coffee Break

Panel 2 - Financial support for sustainable energy policies

10:45 – EU Financing instruments for sustainable energy at local level – Vassilia Argyraki (EASME)

11:15 – Opportunities for energy efficiency financing in Romania- Venera Vlad (EBRD)

11:45 – CONURBANT Project - „An inclusive peer-to-peer approach to involve EU CONURBations and wide urban areas in participating to the CovenANT of Mayors” – Iudit BERE SEMEREDI (Project Manager, Timișoara Municipality)

12:00 – Energy Master Plan proposed actions and financing options – Adrian Balaci (AMET)

12:15 – Debate session: moderator Marius Popa

13:00 – Lunch Break

Panel 3 - The Covenant of Mayors: the challenges of implementing

14:00 – Covenant of Mayors: Case study – Brasov Municipality from commitment to first SEAP implementation report - Camelia Rata (Energy Agency Brasov),

14:15 – Triggering investments for energy efficiency in buildings at local level and trans border regions. – Ionel Popa (Energy Agency Vaslui)

14:30 – Data exchange between utilities suppliers and local authorities, the role of the Agencies in collecting data - Ion Dogeanu (Energy Agency Bucharest)

14:45 – Energy efficiency in public lighting – cross border project financed by IPA Romania – Serbia – Ion Iovan (Deta Municipality)

15:00 – 16:30 Working groups

- Working group 1 led by Camelia Rata: Energy consumption monitoring in public buildings and database development
- Working group 2 led by Ionel Popa: Triggering investments for energy efficiency in buildings
- Working group 3 led by Ion Dogeanu: Steps in SEAP implementation

16:45 Closing remarks

Day 2 – Friday 28 March

Panel 1 - Financing of actions by third parties

9:00 – Energy performance of buildings in Romania: legal framework and strategies - Horia Petran

9:30 – The energy performance contracts and national code for Procurement, legal barriers and bottlenecks regarding PPP's - Andreea Iancu (lawyer, Hategan Law Office)

10:00 – Energy efficient products. Replacement of Street lighting in Dudestii Vechi Municipality, Timis County - Best practice – Mircea Basaraba (ELBA company)

10:15 - Energy efficiency projects using ESCO in Buzias resort (tourism sector) and Politehnica University (educational sector) Timis County - Sabina VasIU (ProEnergy ESCO)

10:30 – Networking contribution for funding energy efficiency solutions – Vlad Stanciu - ROSENC, Romanian Sustainable Energy Cluster

10:45 – Working groups

- Working group 1 led by Horia Petran: How to facilitate ESCO involvement in EPB projects
- Working group 2 led by Iudit Bere Semeredi: COVENANT OF MAYORS - Peer-to-peer approach in SEAP development and good practices exchange

12:15 - Closing Session – Marian Constantin Vasile (Timis County Council) / Balaci Adrian (AMET)

12:30 – Press Conference