


JASPERS Multi-Country Circular Economy Capacity Building Assignment

Welcome and introduction on JASPERS and available capacity building support

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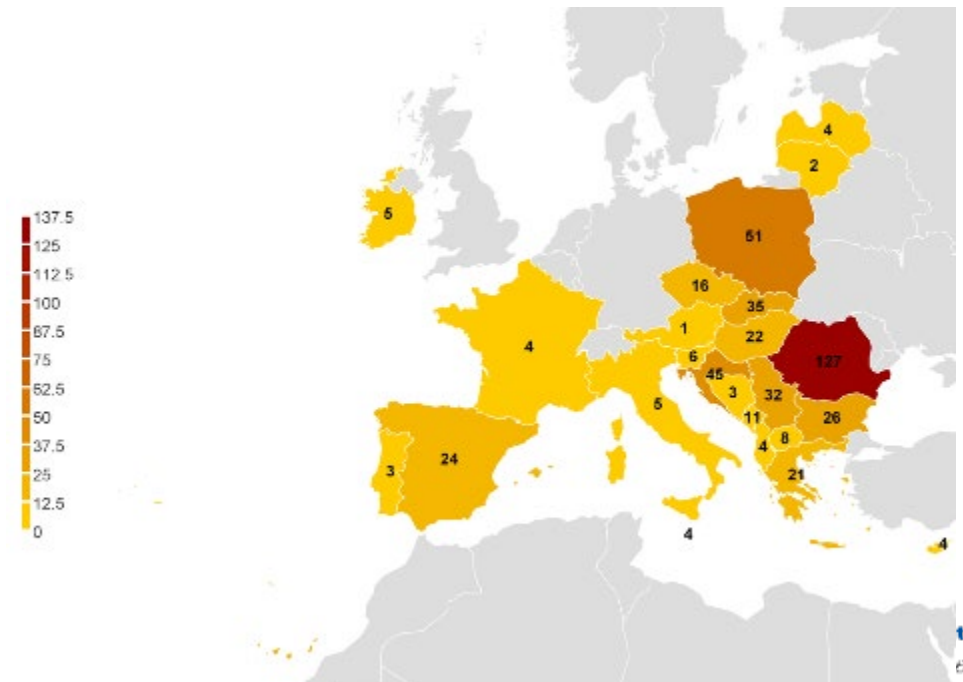
FINAL AGENDA

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- 13:30 – 13:45 **Welcome and introduction on JASPERS and available capacity building support**
Massimo Marra, Principal Advisor, Capacity Building Coordinator, JASPERS
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- 13:45 – 14:10 **Opening remarks: circular economy as a policy objective in EU Policy 2021-2027**
Myriam Boveda, Team Leader Sustainable Growth, DG REGIO
Maria Rincon-Lievana, Team Leader, DG ENVIRONMENT
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- 14:10 – 14:30 **Circular economy projects financed by EU Funds in 2021-2027: Strategy making and project pipeline development**
Dorothee Teichmann, Maria Blanco Herbosa, JASPERS
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- 14:30 – 14:45 **Break**
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- 14:45 – 15:45 **Panel discussion: experience with developing and financing circular economy projects under ERDF**
Signe Weber Carlsen, Danish Business Authority
Luc Spronck, Wallonie Entreprendre
Chloé Besnard, Région des Pays de la Loire
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- 15:45-16:15 **Identify technical capacity building needs for circular economy in 2021-27. Interactive session (open session with Slido)**
Ioanna Kourti, Glenn Orveillon, JASPERS
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- 16:15 -16:30 **Closing Remarks**
Karine Measson, Head of Circular Economy and Sustainable Development Division, Project Directorate, EIB
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Introduction on JASPERS assistance

‘Joint Assistance to Support Projects in European Regions’

- A partnership between Commission’s [DG Regional and Urban Policy](#), and [EIB](#) active since 2006.
- Provides **independent advice and capacity building** support to [beneficiary countries](#) to help prepare and assess high quality projects to be co-financed by [EU Structural and Cohesion Funds](#) (including [Just Transition Fund](#)), by the [Instrument for Pre-accession Assistance \(IPA\)](#) and by the [Connecting Europe Facility \(CEF\)](#).
- JASPERS assistance is **funded by EC and EIB**
- **Available to EU 27 + IPA region**
- Supports major/strategic investments, innovative/replicable projects, grouping of investments
- **In 2021-27 increased focus on Knowledge Sharing, Capacity Building** and support to strengthening of public administrations and project promoters.



JASPERS services across the project cycle



Assistance in the preparation
of **sector strategies**,
programmes, **plans**



Support for the
development of projects



Advice on
Cross-cutting horizontal issues



Support in the **selection** /
assessment / **appraisal** for
projects



Selective support to
project implementation



Capacity building
networking, training,
knowledge transfer

Areas of expertise



Energy



Circular economy and solid waste



Innovative industries & transformation



Health and education



Ports / Airports



Rail



Sustainable roads



Urban mobility



RDI and ICT & Broadband



Urban development



Water and waste water



Horizontal: Climate, environment, economics/CBA, state aid, innovation, risk management

- ✓ JASPERS Networking Platform programme of **EU-level (multi-country) capacity building, training & knowledge sharing** – agreed with DG REGIO
- ✓ **In-country technical capacity building** assignments – based on requests by MSs for targeted capacity building and institutional strengthening assignments (including train-the-trainers)
- ✓ Supporting **development of EC technical guidelines**, preparation of JASPERS **technical notes/working papers**, dissemination of good practices
- ✓ **Advisory on horizontal issues relevant to project preparation** - climate change, environmental issues, economic appraisal, state aid implications for projects
- ✓ Revamped **Knowledge Sharing website**: <https://jaspers.eib.org/knowledge/index>



Multi-country assignments for 2023-24



- ✓ Webinar on **Sustainable underground infrastructures**
- ✓ Webinars on good practices and experiences in **JTF projects**
- ✓ Capacity building on **Circular Economy strategies and project pipelines**
- ✓ Good practices and lessons learned for **project assessment and selection in 2021-27**
- ✓ Workshops on **State aid requirements to project preparation.**
- ✓ Good practices and lessons learned for **climate proofing of investments**
- ✓ Trainings and webinars on **Sustainable Urban Mobility Planning (SUMP)**
- ✓ Practical approaches for the development and implementation of **Energy Communities**
- ✓ **Decarbonisation of District heating** systems
- ✓ **Climate adaptation in Cities**
- ✓ Investing in **bicycle infrastructure** for sustainable urban mobility planning
- ✓ Good practices, methods and tools for **Economic Appraisal of investments in 2021-27**
- ✓ Webinar on applicability of **climate change measures for hospitals and health infrastructures**

Thank you

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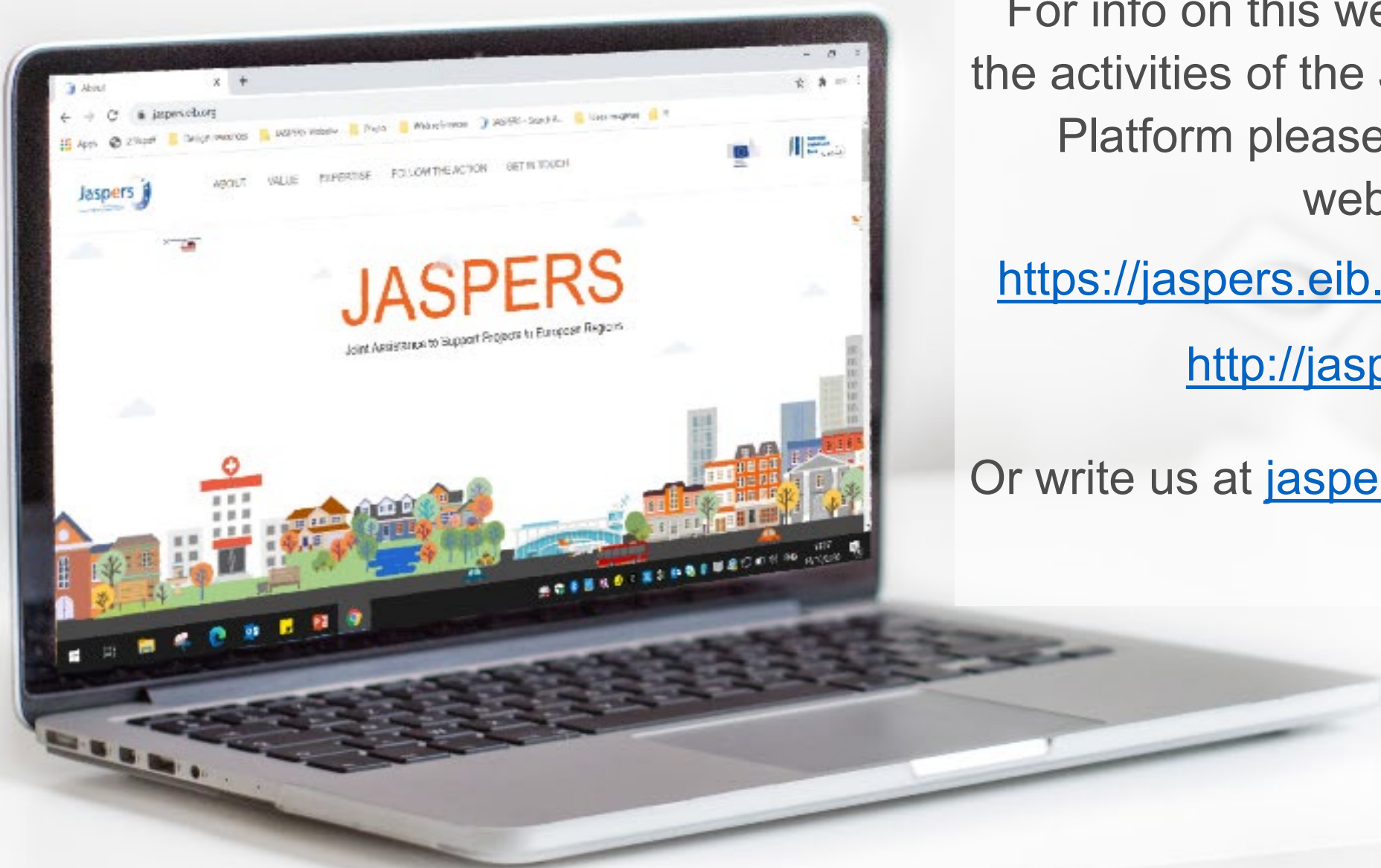
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