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# **Decarbonization of District Heating Systems in the 2021-2027**

**22<sup>th</sup> January 2025**





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# Today's Agenda

13:00 – 13:05	<b>Welcome and introduction</b> Massimo Marra, Principal Advisor, Capacity Building Coordinator, EIB Advisory/JASPERS
13:05 – 13:10	<b>Opening remarks</b> Stefano Lambertucci, Policy Officer, Energy and Climate Policy, DG REGIO
13:10 – 13:25	<b>EIB support to District Heating</b> Ralf Goldmann, Head of Division Energy Advisory, EIB Advisory/JASPERS, Project Directorate, EIB
13:25 – 13:40	<b>Perspective of the European Commission</b> Madis Laaniste, Policy Officer, DG ENER
13:40 – 13:55	<b>EIB Advisory JASPERS support to District Heating projects</b> Marcin Idczak, EIB Advisory/JASPERS
13:55 – 14:10	<b>EIB Advisory JASPERS approach to decarbonisation of District Heating systems</b> Francesco Angelini, Kaido-Paul Kranfeldt, Sarunas Bruzge, EIB Advisory/JASPERS
14:10 – 14:30	<b>Applying State aid rules to decarbonisation of District Heating systems</b> Christos PEOLIDIS, State aid Expert, EIB Advisory/JASPERS
14:30 – 14:45	<b>Q &amp; A</b>
14:45 – 15:00	<b>Coffee Break</b>
15:00 – 15:15	<b>Case Study: Prievidza</b> Stanislav Voskar, Municipality of Prievidza, Slovakia
15:15 – 15:30	<b>Case Study: Brzeg District Heating</b> Marcin Idczak, EIB Advisory/JASPERS
15:30 – 15:50	<b>Final Q&amp;A and discussion with the audience</b>
15:50 – 16:00	<b>Closing remarks</b> Luis Hebrero, Head of Division, JASPERS Coordination and Capacity Building, EIB Advisory/JASPERS

# EIB Advisory - JASPERS

**Joint Assistance to Support Projects in European Regions**, an initiative established in 2006

Partnership between the **European Investment Bank** (EIB) and the **European Commission** (EC)

**Active in EU 27, Pre-accession and Eastern neighbourhood Countries**

**Provides free-of-charge independent advice and capacity building support** for preparation, appraisal and implementation of EU funded programmes and projects.



# 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 Cross-sectoral and Capacity Building support

- ✓ 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)
- ✓ **Advisory (and capacity building) on horizontal issues relevant to project preparation** - climate change, environmental issues, economic appraisal, state aid implications for projects
- ✓ Supporting **development of EC technical guidelines**, preparation of JASPERS **technical notes/working papers**, dissemination of good practices
- ✓ **Knowledge Sharing website:** <https://jaspers.eib.org/knowledge/index>



# EU-wide Multi-country activities 2023-25

- ✓ Webinar on **Sustainable underground infrastructures**
- ✓ Workshops on **State aid requirements to project preparation**
- ✓ 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**
- ✓ 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**





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