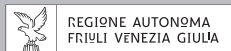


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Climate change, environmental pollution, impoverishment of resources, social disease, conflicts: the challenges that our civilization has to overcome need a global approach in order to be successful. Sometimes, however, we do not consider that – according to the Socratic saying “he who wants to move the world has to move himself first” - in the field of sustainability often also single behaviours can produce positive reactions and very important effects. Change can thus also start from the bottom and from small things, as long as it is supported by a strategic view of sustainability in the medium-long term: this is *to Think Globally and Act Locally*. Each single local authority can offer a great contribution in this sense. For many years the European Union has been promoting this approach towards sustainable development, by sponsoring pilot projects and through the exchange of best practices among European Regions.

INNOREF, an interregional co-operation project for the sustainable development of the territory financed by the EU in the framework of INTERREG III C, supports local initiatives of sustainable growth that are implemented in cooperation with the four partner Regions and aimed at the efficient use of resources, enhancement of the quality of life, promotion of local products and services, preservation of the environment and development of renewable energy.

The conference, which is the final meeting of the project and presents the results obtained in the four Regions, should be an occasion to reflect on European policies for regional development, to anticipate the new opportunities of inter-regional co-operation and a chance to compare some best practices experienced by other European local authorities. A session for the presentation of new project proposals is also foreseen.

PROGRAMME

8.45 – 9.15 **REGISTRATION & WELCOME COFFEE**

9.15 – 9.45 **WELCOME & GREETINGS**

Deputy Major of Udine, **VINCENZO MARTINES**
Regional Ministry FVG for Agriculture, Natural Resources
and Mountain, **ENZO MARSILIO**

9.45 – 10.00 **INNOREF: INTERREGIONAL
COOPERATION AND INVOLVEMENT OF LOCAL
AUTHORITIES FOR THE SUSTAINABLE GROWTH**
INNOREF Coordinator, **LOREDANA ALFARÈ**

10.00 – 11.00 **SC MEMBERS PANEL: THE INNOREF
EXPERIENCE IN THE DEVELOPMENT STRATEGIES
OF THE FOUR PARTNER REGIONS**

Region of Friuli Venezia Giulia, **MARINA BORTOTTO**
Region of Western Greece, **MICHALIS TZORTZIS**
Microregion of Hranicko, **PAVLA KRBALKOVA**
Region of Umbria, **NICOLA BERANZOLI**

11.00 – 11.30 **COFFEE BREAK - EXHIBITION AREA**

11.30 – 13.00 **EUROPEAN POLICIES AND
INTERREGIONAL COOPERATION FOR
THE REGIONAL SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT**

European Commission – DG Regio, **MANUELA PASSOS**
JTS – MA Interreg III C East Vienna, **CARLOS BOLAÑOS**
Italian Ministry for Economy, **EMMA VAZZANA**
UNESCO Paris, **PETER DODGE**

13.00 – 14.00 **LUNCH**

14.00 – 15.00 **BEST PRACTICE: 4 CASE STUDIES
OF SMALL-SCALE SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT**

Municipality of Varese Ligure (IT),
Major **MICHELA MARCONE**
The mountain area of Thessaly Region (GR),
REA TSIACHA
The Kyjovske Slovacko Region (CZ), **ANNA CARKOVA**
Werfenwengen (AT), **KARMEN MENTIL**

15.00 – 16.00 **INNOREF SUB-PROJECTS' RESULTS**

Friuli Venezia Giulia Region, **LAVINIA CLAROTTO**
Hranicko Mikroregion, **JAN BALEK**
Umbria Region, **GIOVANNI MASTINO**
Western Greece Region, **NIKOLAS PAPTAEODOROU**

16.00 – 16.15 **THE EVALUATION OF INNOREF:
THE RESULTS**

Greta Associati **BRUNA ZOLIN**

16.15 – 16.45 **CONCLUSIONS**

UNESCO Venice and INNOREF Trainer,
ENGELBERT RUOSS
Regional Ministry for International Affairs and European
Policies, **FRANCO IACOP**

17.00 – 18.30 **PROJECT PROPOSALS' PRESENTATION**