



Just Green

Workshop 1 report

Circular economy in the value chain of social economy organisations. *Where are we at the Just Green partnership?*

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Online Workshop

organised by Vila Nova de Famalicão on 14-18 of June 2021

Circular economy in the value chain of social economy organisations

Where are we at the Just Green partnership?





I. Workshop 1 - the first sharing and learning event in Just Green project

Just Green is a project co-funded by the [European Commission COSME programme](#). It aims to promote the transition of social economy organisations into a greener and fairer economy and society, following the United Nations Sustainable Development Goals slogan of *leaving no one behind*. To promote this transition by implementing networking, mutual learning and project design activities among European partners, leading to increasing European interregional cooperation. The project fundamental idea is based on the recognition of the social economy and WISE (work integration social enterprises) potential to foster a transition that is not only environment and economic sustainable, but also just and socially fair.

The Project is coordinated by the Municipality of Vila Nova de Famalicão, from Portugal. Over the course of one year (02.2020 to 01.2021), Just Green gathers a partnership with four other partners. Three are municipalities - Comune di Mozzo, from Italy, Gmina Świetochłowice, from Poland, and Budapest-Terézváros, from Hungary - and one other partner is a European network. ENSIE - European Network of Social Integration Enterprises - is an umbrella organisation whose goals are the representation, maintenance and development of networks and federations for WISE.

Each partner has invited a group of stakeholders that will be active participants in project activities throughout the year. These stakeholders are social economy organisations that are based in the local/regional territory of the consortium partners, comprising: more traditional organisations dedicated to charity, care and social support; organisations with a strong social innovation and entrepreneurial orientation; organisations, projects or networks related to employability of vulnerable groups.

The project assumes four main objectives.

- i) To enhance and strengthen bridges between the social economy and the circular economy;
- ii) To promote way for the decarbonisation of the social economy activities;
- iii) To develop strategies to foster short food supply chains and agro ecology within the social economy;
- iv) Transversal to these three main axes is the objective of not leaving anyone behind. Leaving no one behind means namely taking into consideration principals such as the following: promoting work opportunities as a factor of integration and dignity; targets unmet needs and the quality of services dedicated to regular populations left behind (people with disabilities, the elderly, people in poverty); the promotion of social entrepreneurship and innovation, based on its' promotion through the green transition that can create new market opportunities.





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Project core outputs include: methodological guidelines for partnership mutual learning and networking; reports on good practices; newsletters; concept notes for future projects; guidelines for local and regional policy on a just green transition.

The overall concept underpinning the project is based on a bottom-up approach to green transition, whereby solutions are rooted in the territory and follow a participatory path in which social economy organisations must play a central role. Thus, participation, sharing, exchange, collaboration and cooperation among participants are key values that guide the assumptions of the Just Green work methodology.

The project involves a great diversity of social, cultural and economic, national and regional backgrounds. It involves participants from municipalities and social economy organisations with more and less experience in European projects, and more and less experience in the field of green transition topics. It is therefore necessary to ensure that this participation is facilitated in a way that values everyone, also ensuring that no participant is left behind. To facilitate the itinerary of networking, mutual learning and project design of the group of 30 people, is the assignment of 4 subcontracted organisations, each supporting one of the municipalities in the partnership. These subcontracted organisations start to work together as a facilitators team for project activities with the preparation of the first workshop.

Taking in consideration these project assumptions and cross cut principals, the first deliverable of the project was elaborated - *Just Green Methodological Guidelines for partnership mutual learning and networking*. The objective of this output is to establish guidelines on project work methodology as a way of facilitating the linkage between all project objectives, activities, responsibilities and outputs elaboration. It establishes a detailed work program designed to support this project, aiming also to future replication and adaptation to subsequent projects based on networking and mutual learning approaches.

The Just Green methodology is based on four core elements: the debate on good practices, workshops, online working groups and communication and dissemination activities.

Within Just Green methodology, the workshops are the privileged moments for all participants to meet. The moments where the 30 participants are together at the same time, in the same event, and where they also meet other stakeholders. Stakeholders from outside the project, such as experts on the topics under discussion, academics, entrepreneurs or other agents that can bring added value to the Just Green objectives. These are also privileged moments to deepen knowledge and debate on each of the three specific themes of the project. The workshops are therefore moments of primary dedication to two central dimensions of the project: networking and capacity building of each person and each organization for a greener and fairer transition.

Workshop 1 was thus the first sharing and learning event that involved all participants. It will be followed by two more workshops, by online working groups (dividing the overall group into smaller ones) for strategy and project design leading to concept notes, and by communication and dissemination activities. Activities such as newsletters for sharing at local and regional levels, political guidelines for advocacy and lobbying and the facilitation of a participants sharing room (an online drive for sharing documents and information) targeting European interregional cooperation.





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In fact, the creation of the participants sharing room is an output of the work developed to the preparation of the workshop 1. As the images above show, the sharing room gathers information (templates created by the Just Green methodological guidelines) with partners, stakeholders and countries presentations, with the first collection of participants practices, as well as all material elaborated and shared during the workshop.

Just Green participants sharing room for European interregional cooperation

Google Drive interface showing a folder named "1Just Green - Participants". The folder contains the following files:

Name	Owner	Last modified	File size
Template 1_ID Passport	A3S Networks	Jun 12, 2021	–
Template 2_Good Practice	A3S Networks	Jun 12, 2021	–
Template 3_Territory presentation	me	Jun 12, 2021	–
Workshop 1	me	Jun 11, 2021	–
1 Just Green short presentation.pdf	me	Jun 13, 2021	284 KB
2 Just Green Glossary.pdf	me	Jun 13, 2021	294 KB
JUST GREEN Methodological Guidelines.pdf	me	Jun 7, 2021	856 KB

Google Drive interface showing a folder named "Template 2_Good Practice". The folder contains the following files:

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GP - ENSIE	A3S Networks	Jun 12, 2021	–
GP - Italia	A3S Networks	Jun 10, 2021	–
GP - Polonia	A3S Networks	Jun 10, 2021	–
GP - Portugal	A3S Networks	Jun 10, 2021	–
JG - GoodPracticeDATABASE.xlsx	A3S Networks	Jun 24, 2021	69 KB





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Shared with me > JustGreen > 1Just Green - Participants > Workshop 1

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Day 1	me	Jun 13, 2021	—
Day 2	me	Jun 15, 2021	—
Day 3	me	Jun 16, 2021	—
Day 4	me	Jun 16, 2021	—
Day 5 1st online working groups session	me	Jun 18, 2021	—
Workshop 1 Program.pdf	me	Jun 13, 2021	398 KB





II. Workshop 1 – the objectives, the methodology and the program

The first Workshop took place online due to the constraints of the pandemic situation. The online format forced to redefining the workshop program as well as the related budget. Travelling budget was reoriented to two main activities that were not foreseen: interpretation services in four languages, facilitating the access of all participants into workshop activities, and video production, targeting the objective of elaborating virtual visits to the host partner good practices in Vila Nova de Famalicão territory.

As defined in the project application, the first workshop was dedicated to one of the three themes focused by the Just Green - the bridging between social economy and circular economy. It assumed the title of **Circular economy in the value chain of social economy organisations**.

Beyond the specific subject of the workshop, and following project' methodological guidelines, this first workshop was also guided by the invitation for participants to ponder on a set of questions:

Where are we at the just green partnership regarding the green and just transition? Who are the participants? What are the features of our territorial backgrounds? What practices do we already develop? What do we already know about the green transitions challenges?

This first workshop assumed three specific objectives:

- On boarding for all participants to Just Green project objectives and challenges
- Kick-off meeting of online working groups
- Capacity building off all participants on circular economy

Also following project' methodological guidelines this workshop, was guided by a structured methodology that is presented above.

Objectives	Activities	Tools and resources
Provide contexts for establishing contacts and mutual knowledge that enhances conditions for the launch of collaborative and cooperative relationships	Networking	Facilitation methods and techniques Project online wall (google drive, or other...) Online repository/drive with workshop documentation, videos, templates, etc. which can be accessed by all participants
Create mutual learning contexts through the exchange of knowledge about the background of each participant from	Mutual learning	Onsite visits to the country host good practices if the pandemic situation allows



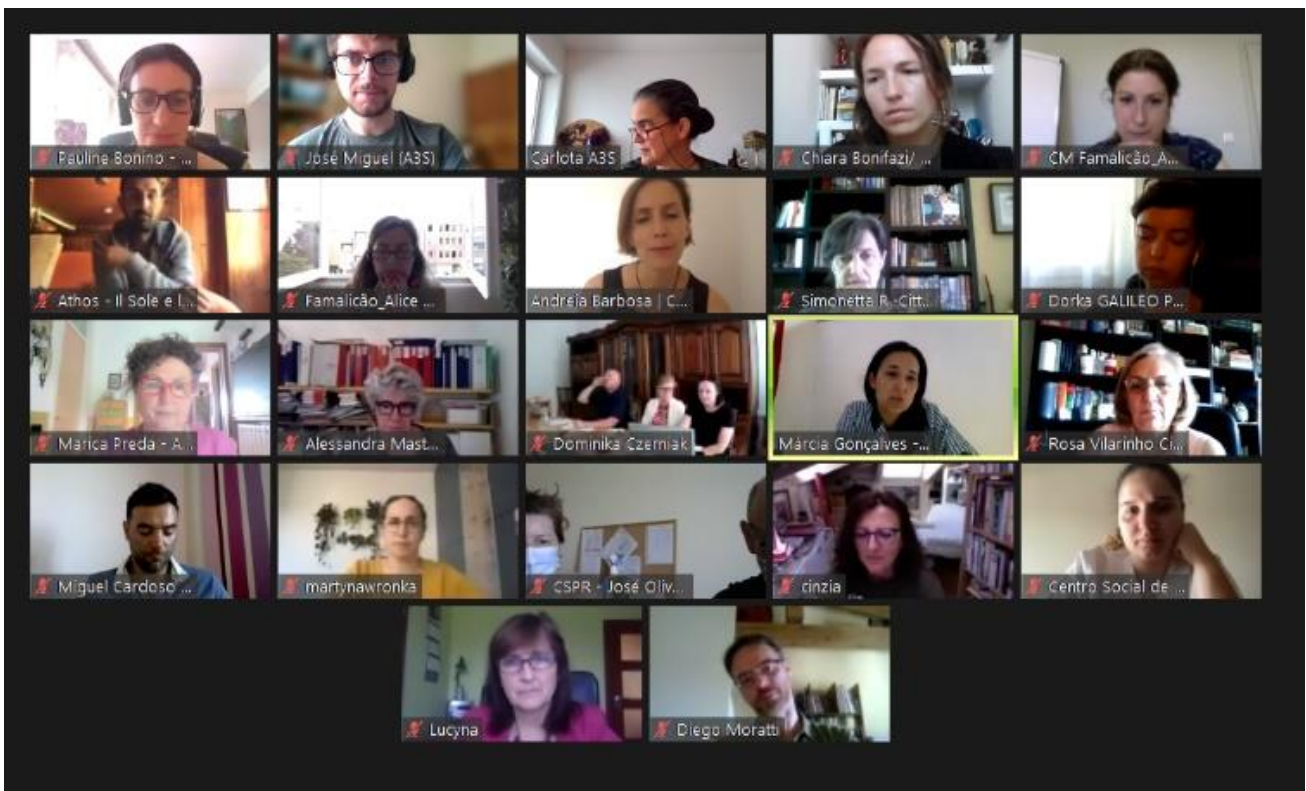


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different European regions and good practices exchange		and/or virtual visits to participants' good practices by video
		Practices sharing sessions, roundtables, world café, among other pedagogical approaches
Organize debate and knowledge sharing sessions on the project's themes	Seminars	Invitation for experts' collaboration Open to other project stakeholders namely invited by all participants
Develop and share the working groups results in the plenary of participants	Working groups	Methodology and program of the working groups (see next section of this guide)
Monitor project performance and intermediary results	Evaluation	Questionnaire on google forms

Hosted by project coordinator Vila Nova de Famalicão Municipality, the workshop took place from the 14th to the 18th of June with the program that is presented below. It is important to underline that the complete program delivered to participants included several methodological guidelines, the full list of participants and their contacts and all instructions for the participation in the online platforms.





WORKSHOP 1 PROGRAM

Circular economy in the value chain of social economy organisations

Where are we at the JustGreen partnership?

The schedule is on Central European Time. Convert to your local time [here](#).

Monday 14.06.2021 Zoom link		
<i>What is JustGreen project? Who participates and how can I get involved?</i>		
9:50	Participants arrival to JustGreen platform Interpretation logistics	4 languages: English to Portuguese, Italian, Hungarian and Polish
Welcome to JustGreen project		
10:00	Official opening and welcome	President/City councillor
10:10	Virtual visit to Vila Nova de Famalicão The territory and its policies	City councillor Augusto Lima
10:30	Project presentation and JustGreen challenges	Project Coordinator Ana Freitas
Networking session		
10:40	Project methodology – an invitation to participate	A3S Association
10:50	Group exercise	All participants
11:05	Presentation of national delegations (template 3)	All participants
11:55	Final challenge of the day	All participants
Tuesday 15.06.2021 Zoom link		
<i>Which practices do we already have in our partnership regarding a fairer and greener transition?</i>		
9:50	Participants arrival to JustGreen platform	
10:00	Virtual visit to Vila Nova de Famalicão Practices	Famalicão stakeholders
10:20	Practices' exchange - mutual learning and networking parallel sessions (Circular economy; decarbonisation, short food supply chains) (templates 1 and 2)	Facilitators (A3S Association ; Foundation of the regional employment promotion agency - FRAPZ; Solidarius ; Galileo Progetti) and all participants
11:20	Plenary debate on the exchange sessions	All participants
11:50	Final challenge of the day	All participants





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Wednesday 16.06.2021

*Circular economy in the value chain of social economy organisations
- where are we in the EU and where do we want to go?*

The seminar will be open to the general public.
Participants can invite their co-workers and other local and national stakeholders

[You need to register here for the webinar](#)

9:50	Participants arrival to JustGreen platform	Interpretation (4 languages: English to Portuguese, Italian, Hungarian and Polish)
10:00	Welcome to JustGreen and ENSIE Webinar	Ana Freitas and Patrizia Bussi
10:10	Principles and strategies of Circular Economy	Andreia Barbosa (Circular Economy Portugal)
10:30	ENSIE's 20th Anniversary campaign and key messages	ENSIE
10:40	How WISEs can encourage responsible consumption	Charlie Wigglesworth (Social Enterprises UK) Julien Roedolf (HERWIN)
11:10	How to develop WISEs and Social Economy at the local level	Estève Ferrer (FEICAT)
11:30	Creating an inclusive circular economy in your territory through re-use and repair.	Jana Zurkova (RREUSE)
11:45	Summary of the key messages	ENSIE

Thursday 17.06.2021 [Zoom link](#)

How can we go further on circular economy strategies?

9:50	Participants arrival to JustGreen platform	
10:00	Networking and mutual learning session	Facilitators and all participants
11: 20	Online Working Groups kick off meeting preparation	A3S Association
11:50	Final challenge of the day	All participants

Friday 18.06.2021 [Zoom link](#)

What are good practices?

What is our vision for a greener and fairer future?

9:50	Participants arrival to JustGreen platform	
10:00	Working Groups – Session 1	
	- Circular economy	A3S and CEP – Carlota Quintão and Andreia Barbosa
	- Decarbonisation	FRAPZ - Martyna Wronka-Pośpiech
	- Short food supply chains	Solidarius – Chiara Bonifazi and Soana Tortora
11:00	Final sharing of results in plenary: good practices ideal type and visions for a just and green future	Facilitators
11:40	Workshop closure – next steps	Ana Freitas
11:50	Workshop evaluation	All participants

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From this program it must be emphasized that the day 3, on June the 16th, was dedicated to the seminar on circular economy and that this event was organised jointly with ENSIE. ENSIE launch its 20th anniversary campaign #BuyResponsible. The webinar results and its dissemination by ENSIE can be found [here](#)¹.

III. Participants

Taking in consideration the five days of the workshop program, 94 people participated. As said before, the webinar day was a specific event that has gathered not the Just Green seminar, but also the ENSIE event. In this sense, the day 3 had the highest number of participants (78), different from the average of participants (36,75) that comprise the Just Green permanent participants.

The next table presents the number of participants register in each day.

Day 1	Day 2	Day 3	Day 4	Day 5
48	40	78	31	28

Regarding exclusively Just Green partners, stakeholders and facilitators, 48 participants were counted, as the next table presents.

Country	Partners and facilitators	Stakeholders	Total	Gender	
				Women	Men
Portugal	8	13	21	17	4
Poland	5	6	11	8	3
Italy	4	7	11	8	3
Hungary	3		3	2	1
ENSIE	2		2	2	
Total	22	26	48	37	11

¹ <https://www.ensie.org/newsroom/news/for-more-synergies-between-social-and-circular-economy>





IV. The workshop experience in participants' own words

As it was explained before in this report, a participatory approach guided this workshop leading to confront participants with several individual and group challenges. This section presents some of the main results day by day.

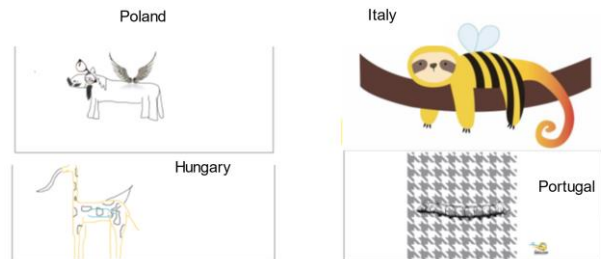
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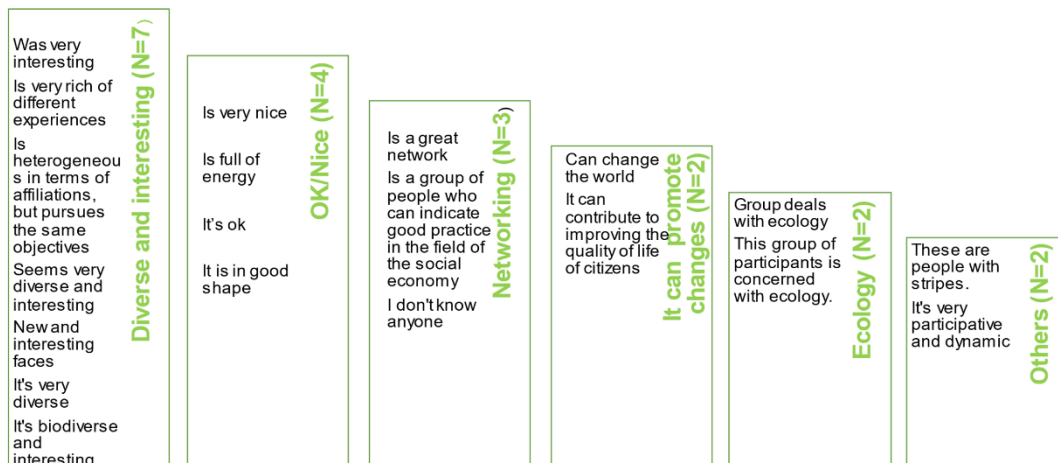
Day 1 - A word that best represents JustGreen project



Day 1 - The animal that best represents your national delegation



Day 1 - This JustGreen group of participants...





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Day 1 - It interests me...

<p>To visit every municipality in this project!</p> <p>The way in different parts of Europe we all face the nowadays issues (climate change, inequality, unfair access to food and resources.)</p> <p>Getting to know the partners</p> <p>Cooperation</p> <p>To meet the other partners and to acquire new competences on the topics dealt with by Just Green</p> <p>Involvement of young people in activities OK/Nice (N=4)</p> <p>Is very nice</p> <p>Is full of energy</p> <p style="writing-mode: vertical-rl; transform: rotate(180deg);">Cooperation and Networking (N=6)</p>	<p>To know examples of best practices on green economy in partner countries</p> <p>Ecology and decarbonisation</p> <p>Ecology and decarbonisation. Because we must reduce waste.</p> <p>Circular economy</p> <p>Environmental protection, social enterprise, social economy, participatory economics</p> <p style="writing-mode: vertical-rl; transform: rotate(180deg);">Environment (N=6)</p>	<p>To learn more about local policies and best practices examples.</p> <p>Learning about European experiences</p> <p>To see if interesting proposals can arise from the comparison</p> <p>Learn and improve every day.</p> <p>Learn more about circular economy</p> <p style="writing-mode: vertical-rl; transform: rotate(180deg);">Learning (N=5)</p>	<p>New possibilities for social economy</p> <p>Social entrepreneurship in general, less wastelife</p> <p>Social projects for the circular economy and short circuits</p> <p>Environmental protection, social enterprise, social economy, participatory economics</p> <p style="writing-mode: vertical-rl; transform: rotate(180deg);">Social Economy (N=4)</p>
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Day 1 - At the end of the JustGreen project I wish...

<p>Improved my network and knowledge</p> <p>To have learned a lot</p> <p>Be more familiar with what is done at the local level for social enterprises & green transition.</p> <p>Have ideas and tools to better plan for the green challenges we face.</p> <p>To acquire knowledge about modern ecological solutions</p> <p>At the end of the project I want to acquire knowledge about modern ecological solutions.</p> <p>To learn about good practices of the social economy in others in other regions of Europe</p> <p>Have more knowledge about how social economy institutions can have circular economy projects</p> <p>Know and learn new circular economy and short circuit projects</p> <p>Have ideas to formalise applications to the next EU framework.</p> <p>Improved my network and knowledge</p> <p style="writing-mode: vertical-rl; transform: rotate(180deg);">Learning/new ideas (N=11)</p>	<p>To keep in touch, to share, to collaborate, to find together a way to better recognize the sense of the limit</p> <p>To be able to make new connections</p> <p>Continue other meetings like this one</p> <p>Continue cooperation</p> <p>Establish cooperation on a new project</p> <p>Establish cooperation</p> <p>Improved my network and knowledge</p> <p style="writing-mode: vertical-rl; transform: rotate(180deg);">Cooperation and Networking (N=7)</p>	<p>Improved my network and knowledge</p> <p>Have a document to propose to municipalities and institutions to facilitate and implement transition projects in practice</p> <p>Get involved into social economy sector work</p> <p>Have contributed to a better life for many</p> <p>Improved my network and knowledge</p> <p style="writing-mode: vertical-rl; transform: rotate(180deg);">Improvement (N=5)</p>	<p>Visit participants' places</p> <p>Visit our new friends and invite them to Świętochłowice</p> <p style="writing-mode: vertical-rl; transform: rotate(180deg);">Visit/invite each other (N=2)</p>
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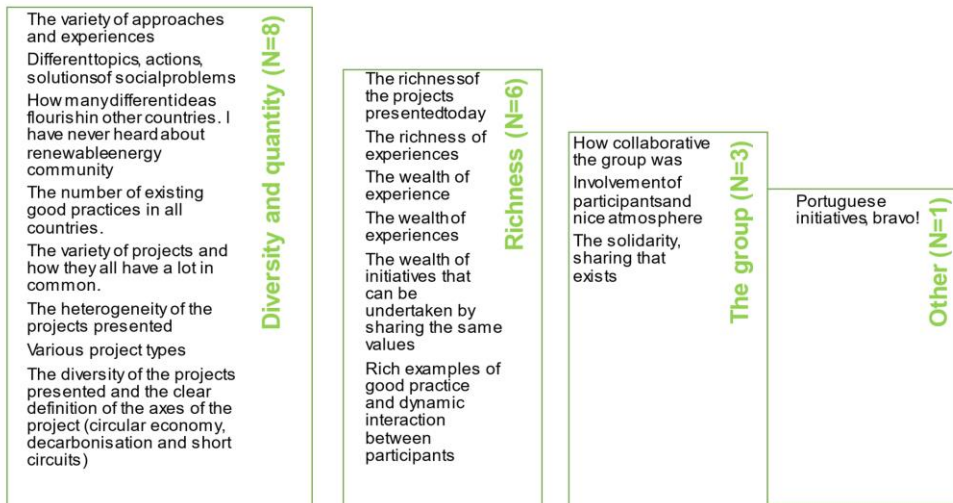
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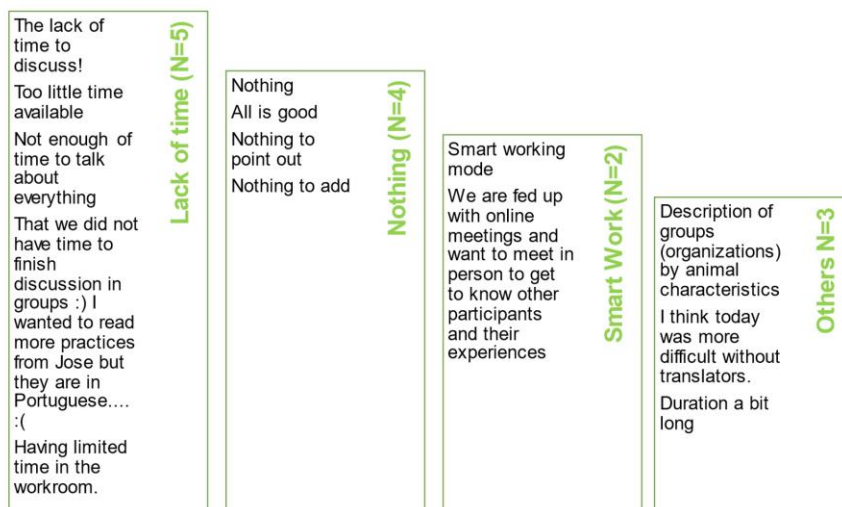
Tuesday 15.06.2021

Which practices do we already have in our partnership regarding a fairer and greener transition?

Day 2 - It surprises me...



Day 2 - I didn't like...





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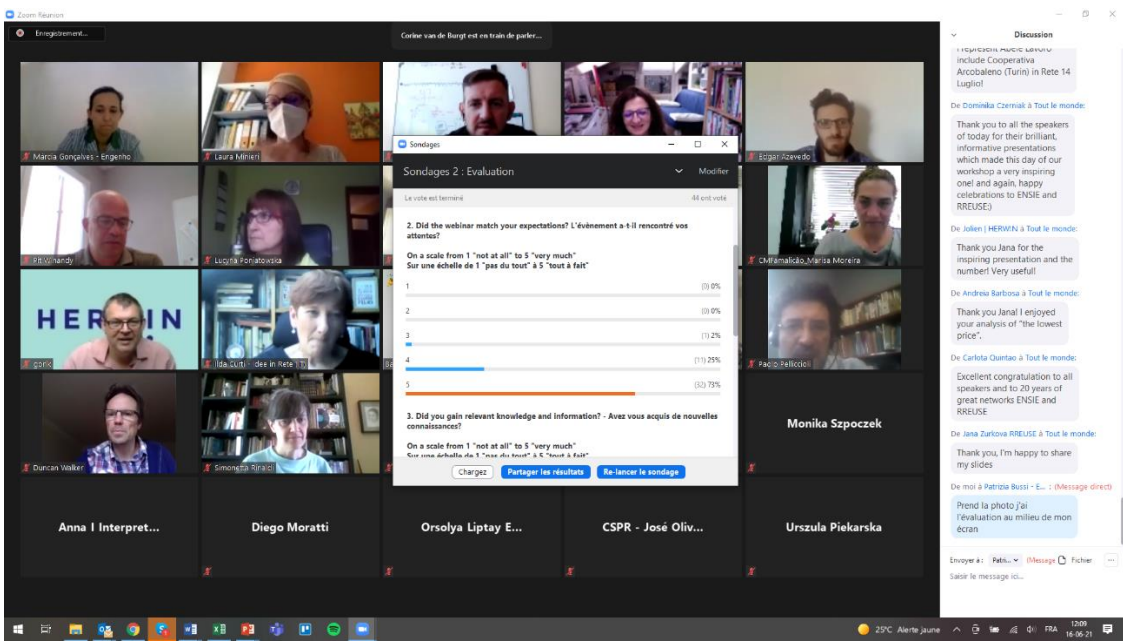
Day 2 - I want...

<p>To see more end products from the good practices Continuing to deepen Calmly deepening some known experiences Continuing to learn from the good practices of others in order to "copy" them, but also to work together on projects across borders Find more time to read through practices Find out what the project participants think about a greener and fairer future To learn more about these themes and get to know new projects. To have more opportunities to discuss and learn about sustainable projects To get to know some projects better, namely the decarbonisation projects</p> <p style="writing-mode: vertical-rl; transform: rotate(180deg);">To get to know better/learn more Good Practices (N=9)</p>	<p>I want to share the Hospital of monsters (I loved it) initiative with my environmentalist friends and with Fridays For Future friends :) Continue exchanges of knowledge The possibility of gaining experience through exchanges, such as a type of Erasmus Transfer solutions from other countries to our To continue to discover other partners' projects and see if they can be replicated in my institution.</p> <p style="writing-mode: vertical-rl; transform: rotate(180deg);">To share the knowledge/replicate the good practices (N=5)</p>	<p>To visit these projects and places We want to meet in person to get to know other participants and their experiences</p> <p style="writing-mode: vertical-rl; transform: rotate(180deg);">To meet each other/visit these places (N=2)</p>	<p>To continue to participate in this fabulous work.</p> <p style="writing-mode: vertical-rl; transform: rotate(180deg);">Others (N=1)</p>
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Sondages 2 : Evaluation

Le vote est terminé 44 ont voté

3. Did you gain relevant knowledge and information? - Avez vous acquis de nouvelles connaissances?
Sur une échelle de 1 "pas du tout" à 5 "tout à fait"

Option	Percentage
1	0%
2	0%
3	7%
4	39%
5	55%

4. Will you be able to apply such knowledge in your work? - Allez-vous pouvoir appliquer ces connaissances dans votre travail?
Sur une échelle de 1 "not at all" to 5 "very much"
Sur une échelle de 1 "pas du tout" à 5 "tout à fait"

Option	Percentage
1	0%
2	0%
3	16%
4	34%
5	50%

Discussion

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De moi à Patrizia Bussi - E... : (Message direct)
Prend la photo J'ai l'évaluation au milieu de mon écran





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How can we go further on circular economy strategies?

Day 4 - Since the beginning of the week I've learned...

<p>So many interesting facts about green economy Broader view on what can be done in the field of circular economy Various projects and ideas of circularity and promotion of sustainability in circular economy I learned that it is more possible to make real some projects in the circular economy than I thought Other ways to be socially creative There are several initiatives that promote the well being of the environment Many different solutions for a more sustainable economy</p> <p>New strategies for Circular, Green and/or Social Economy (N=7)</p>	<p>About interesting good practices from several countries A lot about interesting local initiative Interesting things about the participant territories That it's pleasant to share experiences and ideas with like-minded people... Interesting initiatives far away from my territory Group work new ideas New concepts and unknown strategies</p> <p>New ideas, projects or concepts (N=7)</p>	<p>How important it is to meet people who share the same values as you and fight to spread them Cooperation brings results</p> <p>The importance of Networking and Cooperation (N=2)</p>	<p>We have a lot of inexperienced people who want to do this Social problems are very common in all European countries That I have a lot to learn</p> <p>Other (N=3)</p>
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Day 4 - I also learned...

<p>Circular economy strategies That some countries are really active in some part of circular economy So many different activities connected with circular economy How the problem of ecology and social economy is solved by other countries Entrepreneurship to start new projects in the area of social circular economy. Circular economy and involvements Ecology is the biggest challenge for the future</p> <p>New strategies for Circular, Green and/or Social Economy (N=7)</p>	<p>How they can be implemented About some inspiring good practices How to improve methods and tools to communicate the subjects Wealth of approaches and strategies New project ideas Other types of answers New concepts and unknown strategies</p> <p>New ideas, projects or concepts (N=6)</p>	<p>Listening to different experiences There is a lot of interesting solutions There are many people thinking about this kind of projects Sharing is the solution Not to consider the things we build here as trivial because they are innovative for other countries</p> <p>The importance of Networking and Cooperation (N=5)</p>	<p>That the contexts and situations are very similar or rather have similar threats</p> <p>Other (N=1)</p>
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Day 4 - I would change...

<p>My way of life and the place where I work to be more eco friendly</p> <p>Don't know yet</p> <p>Groups should have the same amount of time to present - maybe you could share as screen with clock so to better address time management issues</p> <p>More work in small groups</p> <p>I need more time to think about all forms of assistance</p> <p>Openness to new strategies</p> <p>The egoism</p> <p>Anticipate a little more information</p>	<p>Other (N=8)</p>	<p>The timing: it is a bit too tight - more time</p> <p>more time to exchange all this the time of the workshop, as it is too short.</p> <p>More time for group work</p>	<p>More time (N=5)</p>	<p>Nothing</p> <p>not much really - but I hope the next workshops are live and not online!</p> <p>nothing</p> <p>0</p>	<p>Nothing (N=4)</p>	<p>So that we can meet in person the workshop format should be face-to-face</p> <p>not much really - but I hope the next workshops are live and not online!</p>	<p>it should be face to face (N=3)</p>
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Friday 18.06.2021

What are good practices?

What is our vision for a greener and fairer future?

Practices of food short supply chain that we have

PT- Municipality: incentive program for local consumption

- Famalicão_Incentive program for the consumption of local and endogenous products
- MADE IN Famalicão (Product that is ours!) - Local products recognition stamp
- Online direct selling platform - Comercio da Vila
- Organic products market (Lauch is 26nd jun) IN MUNICIPAL MARKET
- ENGENHO - Earth Products Fair
- Famalicão Farmers' Market in LOCAL MARKET
- CSP RIBEIRÃO - ACCESSIBLE GARDEN
- Bairro Social Center - Ecological, Inclusive and Educational Farm

PT- Bairro Social Center

IT- Porta del Parco

- Porta del Parco - There is a farm market every sunday
- PDP - in the bar, we serve local products as much as possible
- PDP the vineyard is organic and produces wine which is also sold and consumed in the Porta del Parco bar
- PDP There is an educational orchard with 4 fruit specialties. The harvest of ripe fruit is carried out directly by the consumer
- PDP Social gardens for family consume
- PDP we train the community to learn how to manage a garden with sustainable methods

PL- Certification mark

Prosocial purchase certification mark

IT- Municipality: Circula Agricultural

In peri-urban areas rural areas do not have an agricultural function but they have a big value and are capable of answers to collective interests

BiOrto - solidarity initiative: support to most fragile people, to reintegrate them into society, with environmental attention: organic agriculture

Comune di Mozzo - Rural areas

IT- BIORTO





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GROUP 1

Good Practice Criteria

Environmental Impact

Social Impact

- helping vulnerable people (employment; access to goods and services)
- participation opportunities

Learning opportunities

Transparency

Impact measurement

Alternative economy - reciprocity, gift

Justice and equality

Facilitation: bringing different actors together





V. Good practices as a work in progress – the case of circular economy

Just Green approach to good practices started by asking to all participants their best practices related with all the subjects focused by the project: circular economy, decarbonisation and short food supply chains. So the guideline was first defining the criteria for eligibility of a practice as relevant in the context of Just Green, and only afterwards define the criteria for classifying the practice as 'good'.

In this context the Just Green practices to be shared, discussed and analysed within the project are practices that meet the following *eligibility criteria*:

- Practices developed by social economy organizations, which are promoters or proactively involved in missions, projects, initiatives or actions that have as objective or that fit substantively in the project's themes - circular economy, decarbonisation and short food circuits
- Practices developed by local or regional authorities which are promoters or proactively involved in missions, projects, initiatives or actions that have as an objective or that fit substantively with the themes of the project - circular economy, decarbonisation and short food circuits - and which involve social economy organisations in these activities.

Each participant had to fill in a template of good practices as a way of starting networking and mutual learning activities.

Just Green proposes to build a joint and participatory path between all partners and stakeholders, leading to the elaboration of common projects for the future. To pre-define, in a closed way, the criteria of a good practice would be a limitation to this approach that is intended to be collaborative. In this sense, and in order *not to leave anyone behind*, the idea was to start first with an inventory of practices by all participants.

From the sharing, analysis and debate of this inventory of practices, the idea is to jointly define the criteria for classifying a good practice, that is, a practice that comes close to a desired ideal from some point of view.

The analysis and weighting of these criteria are thus a way to debate the issues and to co-build a vision of the practices that are understood to enable the transition the social economy into an economy that is intended to be greener and fairer. By defining several criteria, ideal types are being built at the same time.

From this activity, 38 practices were collected and shared in several moments of this first workshop. The last day of the workshop was dedicated to the kick off of the online working groups where the debate on the criteria has started. As it can be seen in the pages 18 and 19 of this report, several criteria were identified by participants. This work will continue in the next steps of the project. The cross cut principal of the project is that not necessarily all present practices accomplish a set of criteria that distinguishes them as good. Nevertheless, that is exactly the aim for future projects





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(concept notes). Building pathways of interregional cooperation to promote the transition of social economy organisations into a greener and fairer economy and society.

From these 38 practices 7 were selected in the field of circular economy and they are presented below.

Municipal Furniture Bank

General Information
Producing region: Vila Nova de Famalicão, Portugal Producing organisation: Municipality of Famalicão Contact person: Fátima Silva fatimasilva@famalicao.pt
Category
Initiative of local/regional authorities involving social economy organisations
Brief description
The Municipal Furniture Bank project is a solidarity initiative, coordinated by the Municipal Social Action Division of the municipality in close collaboration with the commercial area located at Lago Discount. It is based on the sharing and generosity of the business community and the Famalicense community in what concerns the donation of furniture. It aims at the free distribution of furniture to needy families in the municipality, throughout the year, previously signaled and forwarded by the Municipal Social Services.
Social Criteria
Work opportunity for vulnerable people; Education and/or Training; Promotion of Local Economy; Community Participation
Green Criteria
Consumer goods; Waste Reduction

Zero Waste Market

General Information
Producing region: Vila Nova de Famalicão, Portugal Producing organisation: Municipality of Famalicão Contact person: Marisa Moreira marisamoreira@famalicao.pt and Ana Silva anasilva@famalicao.pt





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Category
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Brief description
<p>ZERO WASTE MARKET is a Small-Scale Action (SSA) integrated in the RESOURCEFUL CITIES - an URBACT Action Planning Network with the participation of ten European cities. The Urbact Project seeks to co-create a strategy for the entire municipality, to support the existing circular economy actors and the emergence and development of new actors.</p> <p>The SSA - Zero Waste Market project has 12 partners (ULG) such as social institutions, associations, companies and organizations, and also the operators of the municipal market.</p> <p>The project is based on 2 major actions - a cycle of workshops and an exhibition. There will also be an extended communication project in physical and virtual form.</p>
Social Criteria
Work opportunity for vulnerable people; Promotion of Local Economy; Networking and\or Cooperation
Green Criteria
Consumer goods; Food and\or Agriculture

La Miniera

General Information
<p>Producing region: Lombardy, Italy</p> <p>Producing organisation: La Miniera de Curno</p> <p>Contact person: Simonetta Rinaldi sr.simonettarinaldi@gmail.com</p>
Category
Initiative of local/regional authorities involving social economy organisations
Brief description
<p>"La miniera" (the mine) is a centre of re-use, a project of environmental and social value.</p> <p>People can take to the centre, their goods and items that are still usable, instead of taking them to the waste collection centre.</p> <p>The goods are re-distributed to the persons that need them.</p> <p>The goals of the centre of re-use are:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • lower the quantity of waste brought to the ecological platform





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- support the dissemination of the culture of re-use of goods, extending product life cycle
- enable the acquisition (by making a donation) of items that are used but still working and in good conditions
- offer the possibility to start supported employment programs for vulnerable persons

The donations are used for the social and environmental sustainability of the project.

Social Criteria

Work opportunity for vulnerable people; Work Integration; Promotion of Local Economy; Community Participation

Green Criteria

Consumer goods; Waste Reduction

Circular agriculture experiences

General Information

Producing region: Lombardy, Italy

Producing organisation: Municipality of Mozzo

Contact person: Paolo Pelliccioli sindaco@comune.mozzo.bg.it

Category

Initiative of local/regional authorities involving social economy organisations

Brief description

Rural areas, especially in peri-urban areas, do not simply have an agricultural function, characterised by traditional crops, but are also bearers of valuable services for everyday life, health, quality of life and environmental and landscape balance.

The experiences promoted and coordinated by the CDM are part of the perspective of a third-generation agriculture (neo-rurality) which represents a new and interesting way to respond to the collective demand for the use of open spaces and landscape quality that is emerging around large cities and to which farmers, as holders of the soil resource, can only respond.

The practices implemented - in line with the recent provisions of the Common Agricultural Policy - aim to: enhance biodiversity, steer towards responsible land use, support rural areas in the production of services of collective interest. The CDM is working in an integrated way on the following actions:

- Networking of local actors (farms and consortia, landowners, municipalities, parks, etc.)
- Initiation of agreements between farms, municipalities and landowners to facilitate the launch of CIRCULAR rurality projects





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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Participation in the Biodistrict (Solidarity Social Economy District of Bergamo) and in the Food Policy Table • Organisation of cultural events on the theme of circular rurality • Recovery of abandoned agricultural areas • Territorial marketing actions with the creation of a territorial valorisation trademark • Activation of training courses for agricultural enterprises
Social Criteria
Work opportunity for vulnerable people; Education and/or Training; Promotion of Local Economy; Networking and/or Cooperation; Community Participation
Green Criteria
Food and/or Agriculture; Green Infrastructure

Repair Café

General Information
Producing region: Silesian Voivodeship, Poland Producing organisation: Stowarzyszenie Wolnej Herbaty Contact person: Olaf Józefoski olaf@wolnaherbata.pl
Category
Initiative of Social economy organisations
Brief description
A Repair Café is a place where people gather to work on repairing objects of everyday life such as electrical and mechanical devices, computers, bicycles, clothing, and other items. Repair Cafés are held at a fixed location such as church, library or campus where tools are available and where they can fix their broken goods with the help of volunteers. Repair Café is also a new form of the grassroots movement that aims to reduce waste, overcome the current consumption habits of the society and the impulse planned obsolescence by organization.
Social Criteria
Education and/or Training; Promotion of Local Economy; Networking and/or Cooperation
Green Criteria
Waste Reduction





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Silesian Exchange Group

General Information
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Category
Initiative of Social economy organisations
Brief description
Virtual Facebook group "Śląski Wymienialnik" (Silesian Exchange Group) where the members can exchange items they no longer need. The Facebook group Silesian Exchange Group now has 12 thousand members, who publish more than 350 new posts every week and post more than 1500 comments. Thanks to the popularisation of exchanges between the inhabitants of Silesia, we manage to reduce the amount of garbage that ends up in the garbage can and more and more things have a chance for a second life.
Social Criteria
Networking and/or Cooperation; Technological innovation
Green Criteria
Consumer goods; Waste Reduction

GroupeTerre

General Information
Producing region: Herstal, Belgium Producing organisation: Groupe Terre Contact person: Xavier Roberti xavier.roberti@groupeterre.org
Category
Initiative of Social economy organisations
Brief description
Created in 1949, the Terre group has set up the project of "Participating in the creation of a democratic and united world where every human being has the right to live in dignity, to fulfil him in mutual respect and that of the future generations".





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This is reflected in the creation or integration of companies with a social purpose. Long-term socio-professional integration, participatory governance through direct democracy, citizenship education and economic profitability are the pillars of the current project.

It operates in a participative direct democracy management system, where workers are trained in operational, political and strategic decision-making. They are invited to participate in the General Assembly as members because there are no shareholders. The company is considered as a "common good", it belongs "to everyone and to no one".

Social Criteria

Work Integration; Promotion of Local Economy; Networking and/or Cooperation; Community Participation

Green Criteria

Waste Reduction; Construction and housing

