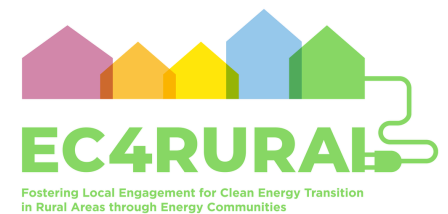


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09:00 – 09:30h

Registration & welcome coffee

09:30 – 09:45h

Opening remarks

09:45 – 10:45h

Session 1: Setting the scene: why RECs matter

› Welcome and introduction to EC4RURAL

Antti Roose, University of Tartu

Xavier Simón, EC4RURAL coordinator -

University of Vigo

› The Community Energy Movement in

Europe: From Vision to Reality

Óscar Güell, REScoop

10:45 – 11:45h

Session 2: Local leadership and territorial
innovation

› ÖkoEnergienland: Austria's Model Region for
Climate & Energy

Andrea Moser, KEM ÖkoEnergienland Manager

› The CERCA Experience: Building a PV Energy
Community in Calatayud

Luis Miguel Carrasco Moreno, Universidad
Politécnica de Madrid

› Efiduero: The First Iberian Cross-Border
Energy Community

José Luis Pascual, Efiduero Manager

› From Power to Empowerment: The Role of
Energy Communities in Resilient and Engaged
Territories

Slavica Robić, Assistant Managing Director at North
West Croatia Regional Energy Agency (REGEA)

11:45 – 12:15h

Coffee break and networking

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12:15 – 13:15h

Session 3: Policy for people: designing
inclusive ECs

› How EU policies are empowering energy
citizens

Eugenia Bonifazi, Ricardo Energy & Environment

› Institutional perspective

Achille Hannoset, DG ENER's unit for Consumers,
Local Initiatives and Just Transition

› Pannel conversation

13:15 – 14:30h

Networking lunch

14:30 - 16:00h

Session 4: Research and innovation

16:00 – 17:30h

Session 5: Research and innovation

17:30 – 17:45h

Closing remarks

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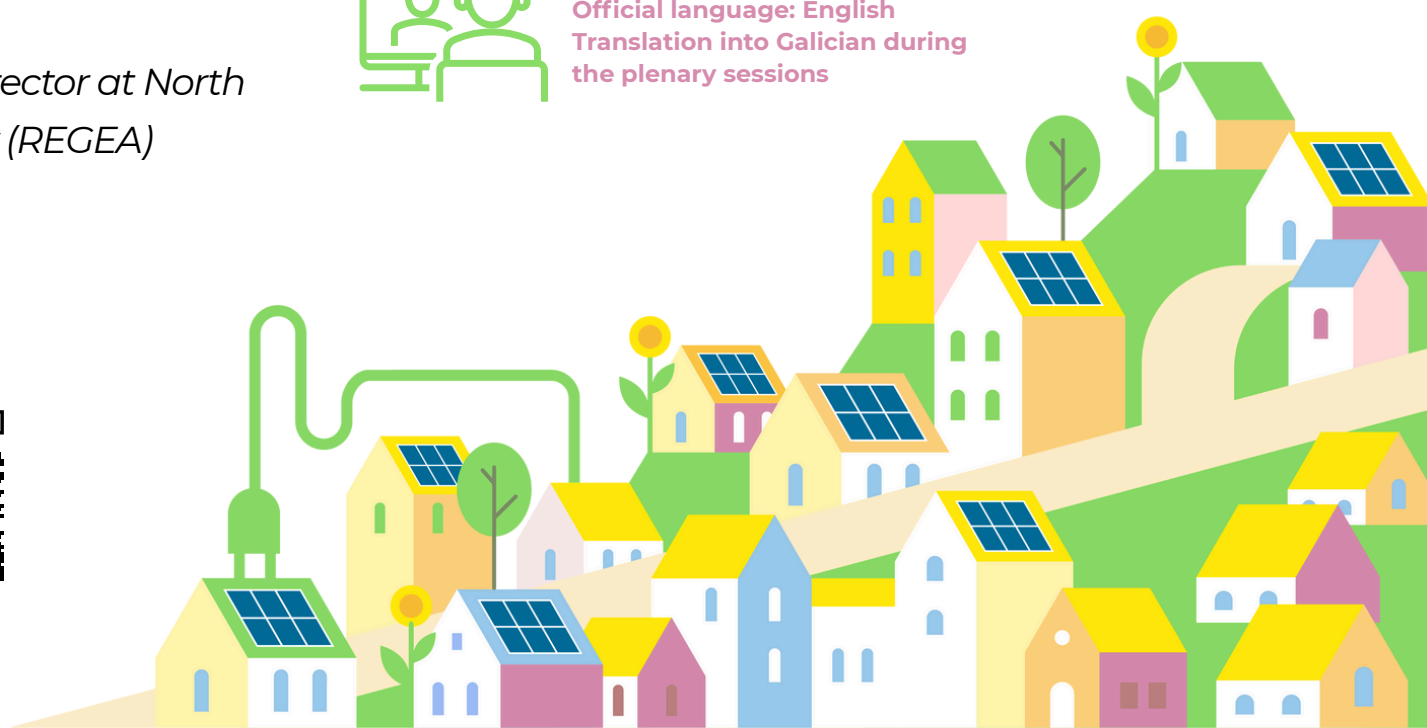
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Research and innovation sessions

Afternoon programme



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Session 4 (R&I) | 14:30 – 16:00h

Tools, modelling, and applied case studies

14:30 – 14:33h

Welcome and session's presentation

14:33 – 15:43h

1. **Yolanda Nicolau, Valencian Federation of Municipalities and Provinces, and Francesco Filippi, MUSOL Foundation** – LOGREENER toolkit for energy transition planning.
2. **Eva Méndez and Pablo Álvarez, ITG** - Software Tool for the design and simulation of RECs.
3. **Akis Apostoliotis, Dimitris Papantonis and Alexandros Flamos, TEESlab, University of Piraeus** - A modelling-based approach to rural energy poverty (REMOTE).
4. **Dr. Diego Quiñoy, Energylab, Technological Centre for Energy Efficiency and Sustainability** - EC synergies with the preservation of the cultural and environmental heritage of the Galician rural area.
5. **Gonzalo Pérez and Bruno Dutto, CMVMC de Tameiga** - Comunidade Enerxética de Tameiga.
6. **(To be determined), Concello de Moeche** - Comunidade de enerxías renovábeis Moeche.

15:43 – 15:58h

Q&A with the audience

15:58 – 16:00h

Wrap up

Session 5 (R&I) | 16:00 – 17:30h

Social justice, governance, and community networks

14:30 – 14:33h

Welcome and session's presentation

16:03 – 17:13h

1. **Gabriel Bernárdez, Joan Pons and Paola Villavicencio Calzadilla, INSTA** - Solidarity-Based Energy Communities: Pathways toward a just, inclusive, and equitable Energy Transition in rural areas.
2. **Dr. Christian Calvillo, University of Strathclyde** - Equity in Energy Transitions: Unpacking Distributional Impacts Across Geographies and Vulnerable Groups.
3. **Dr. Cristina Botana, USC, Dr. María Novas, ETH Zurich and Natalia Campos** (Architect, self-employed) - Environmental comfort and gender perspective as a basis for just transitions in rural areas (REMOTE).
4. **Juan Sacri, Sapiens Energia** - The role of public administrations in promoting rural energy communities.
5. **José Manuel Golpe, AGACEN** - Retos de futuro no desenrolo de comunidades enerxéticas.
6. **David García, USC** – Network “Comunidade de acción e saberes Arredor do Rural”. **Iria Vázquez, UVIGO**, will be presenting.
7. **Xavier Simon, Sara Louredo, F. Xavier Martínez, Julio Costas, and Francisco José Torres, UVIGO, M^a Cristina Sánchez and José Manuel Heredia** (independent professionals) - Enerxía Comunitaria, S.L: a spin- off of University of Vigo for fostering community energy transition.

15:43 – 15:58h

Q&A with the audience

17:28 - 17:30h

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