

# Team up for climate action!

Improving municipal energy management and adapting to climate change.

Tuesday 3 November 2020, 9am-1pm

Compete4SECAP EU conference

## Programme

Time	Subject
9:00	<p><b>Welcome and opening words</b>  <b>Marika Rosa</b>, Project manager / Compete4SECAP coordinator - Ekodoma (Latvia);  <b>Radoš Horaček</b>, Team Leader of General Policy Team - Energy Efficiency Unit, DG ENER;            Moderation: <b>Eleanor Chapman</b>, Senior officer, and <b>Carsten Rothballer</b>, Coordinator - ICLEI Europe (Germany).</p>
9:20	<p><b>EU support to cities and communities to drive the energy transition</b>  <b>Giulia Pizzini</b>, Project Advisor - H2020 Energy Unit, EASME</p>
9:30	<p><b>Warm up!</b></p>
9:45	<p><b>Key-note address: Cities and the climate emergency</b>  <b>Tina Fawcett</b>, Senior Researcher - Environmental Change Institute, Energy Programme, University of Oxford            Followed by panel discussion with respondents:  <b>Daniel Rodik</b>, Senior Expert in Energy efficiency and environment management – DOOR (Croatia)  <b>Marika Rosa</b> - Ekodoma (Latvia).</p>
10:30	<p>Coffee Break</p>
10:50	<p>3 x parallel breakout sessions:</p>
Parallel session 1	<p><b>Energy monitoring in an energy management system: what, when and how?</b>            Led by <b>Michaël Toma</b>, Managing Director - MT Partenaires (France).</p> <p>The basis of any energy management system is data monitoring! Without reliable, precise and up-to-date data, especially on energy consumption, the right decisions simply cannot be made. But exactly what information must be monitored? How often should it be recorded? Which monitoring tool should be used? The Compete4SCAP team has supported the implementation of energy management systems in various communities. Join this session to learn from two local authorities implementing energy management systems of dramatically different scales – and share your own experience!</p> <p><b>Edgars Augustins</b> - Municipality of Saldus  <b>Nadège Labat</b> and <b>Baptiste Tressieres</b> - Municipality of Montauban</p>

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Parallel session 2	<p><b>Inspiring behavioural change: the dos and don'ts of running an effective campaign.</b> Led by <b>Kristóf Vadovics</b>, Executive Director – GreenDependent (Hungary).</p> <p>Human behaviour has a key role to play in creating a sustainable future – a factor municipal staff cannot afford to ignore when it comes to implementing their Sustainable Energy and Climate Action Plans. The way energy is used by staff in publicly-owned buildings is of particular interest, given the role that municipalities can play in transformation through leading by example. But how can changes to habits be motivated? What kind of incentives work? The Compete4SECAP team chose to experiment with a year-long energy saving competition, to promote collaboration and shared ownership of a goal. The competition took place in 2019 and was accompanied by an awareness-raising campaign. In this session, you will hear from campaign participants about what worked and what didn't, and are warmly invited to share your own experience!</p> <p><b>Sándor Szabó</b> - Municipality of Budaörs</p>
Parallel session 3	<p><b>Integrating adaptation planning into energy management.</b> Led by <b>Jose Pablo Delgado</b>, Head of Energy and Climate Change – EuroVertice (Spain).</p> <p>Local action on climate change has evolved over the last decade from a focus on mitigation, to the growing imperative to adapt to climate impacts that are already with us and likely to worsen in future. Not only are synergies between the two streams desirable (and possible) but integrated planning is essential to avoid conflicts, i.e. an action taken for one undermining the other. Even so, integration between mitigation and adaptation remains a major challenge for local government leaders and technical staff. Participants in this session will receive insights on how to integrate adaptation planning into local energy management, with a view to more integrated and effective climate action. Facilitator <b>Jose Pablo Delgado</b> will be joined by <b>Rafael Ataz</b> - Instituto de Fomento de la Región de Murcia; <b>Ramón López Pérez</b>, Spanish Climate Change Office. Ministry for the Ecological Transition and the Demographic Challenge; <b>Manuel Valls</b> - Municipality of Murcia; and <b>Isabel Serna</b> - Municipality of Ceutí.</p>
11:40	Coffee Break
12:00	<p><b>Session snapshots</b> Recap on key messages from each parallel session.</p>
12:20	<p><b>Highlights from the C4S energy saving competition</b> With <b>Thekla Heinel</b>, Head of International Projects and Project Development - B.&amp;S.U. (Germany)</p> <p><b>Award ceremony</b> Announcing the competition winners!</p>
12:50	<p><b>Closing words</b> With <b>Līga Žogla</b>, Ekodoma</p>