

AGENDA

"Danube: Innovation in flow" - EcoInn Danube - Bulgaria, Sofia Organized by Chamber of Commerce and Industry - Vratsa

Date: 09.04.2019

Venue: Bulgaria, Sofia, 9 Iskar street, BCCI

9:00 – 9:30	Registration
9:30 -9:45	Opening by: Iliana Philipova – CCI-Vratsa Executive Director and EcoInn Danube Project manager 5 min
	Welcome speech by: Mr. Emil Karanikolov - Minister of The Ministry of Economy of Bulgaria (to be confirmed) 5 min
	Mrs. Denitsa Nikolova – Deputy minister of The Ministry of Regional Development and Public works of Bulgaria 5 min
9:45 – 10:00	Presentation of the EcoInn project. Presentor: Nina Bratkova — Slovak Centre of Scientific and Technical Information, Slovakia, EcoInn Lead partner 10 min
	Video film of the EcoInn project – 5 min

10:00 - 10:30

Showcase of project pilot actions: Green Innovation forum and Green Summer School.

Moderator: Nina Bratkova

Introduction of the pilot actions - achieved results.

Presentor: **Simona Pede** – Bwcon GmbH, Germany, Project Partner

20 min

How to build sustainability of the pilot actions/ follow up plan.

Presentor: Gyorgy Jelenka - Entrepreneurs' Centre of Somogy County Foundation, Hungary,

Project Partner

10 min

10:30 - 11:30

1st Panel: "Ecolnn Virtual Lab" – web based platform for eco-innovators.

Moderator: Klara Hejcova

Introduction of the platform and video of the Virtual lab.

Presentor: **Vit Cermak** - BIC Brno spol. s r.o., Business and Innovation Centre, Czech Republic, Project Partner

15 min

Outcomes of the Virtual Lab: Stakeholders map, Expert Database, Eco-Innovation events chart.

Presentor: **Niko Natek** – Energy Agency of Savinjska, Šaleška and Koroška Region, Slovenia, Project Partner

15 min

Ecoinnovation technologies - impact and influence.

Presentor: **Gabriel Vladut** - Romanian Association for Technology transfer and Innovation, Romania, Associated Strategic Partner

15 min

Bulgarian best practice:

Presentation of Playground Energy Ltd. (Bulgaria)— generation of energy by child's playgrounds (swings and other).

Presentor: **Hristo Alexiev** – *Serial entrepreneur*

15 min

11:30-11:45

Coffee break

11:45 – 12:45	2 nd Panel "Waste used as a source" (discussion on Circular economy)
	Moderator: <i>Vladislav Kartalov</i>
	Circular economy in Bulgaria. Presentor: Bulgarian recycling association 15 min
	Discussion on principles of the Circular economy/sharing experience – 4 or 5 partners involved 25 min
	Presentation of Bulgarian projects related to Circular economy: Geocycle Bulgaria Ltd. (Bulgaria) - industrial, agricultural and municipal waste management services worldwide. Presentor: Nikola Ovcharov – Executive director 10 min
	BalBok Engineering Co. (Bulgaria) - waste management, prevention of waste pollution, treatment of hazardous waste. Presentor: Daniela Tchonkova 10 min
12:45-13:30	Lunch break
13:30 – 14:00	Summarization of National reports on Obstacles and Opportunities in Eco-innovation in the Danube region. Joint strategy on eco-innovation in the Danube region.
	Moderator: Simona Pede
	National reports analysis. Presentor: Andrea Pitzschke - Economica Institute for Economic Research, Austria, Project Partner 15 min
	Strategy for eco-knowledge. Presentor: Niko Natek – Energy Agency of Savinjska, Šaleška and Koroška Region, Slovenia, Project Partner 15 min
14:00 – 14:40	Capitalization with Bulgarian projects in the same thematic pole – Innovative and socially responsible Danube region.
	Moderator: <i>Iliana Philipova</i>
	Sharing success stories and best practices with project MOVECO, CrowdStream, ResInfra@DR and DANUBE ENERGY + 4x10 min
14:40 - 15:00	Networking/ Coffee and refreshments