

TEMPLATE

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Summary description of the implemented training measure(s), explaining the specific goal(s) and target groups

The local training in Venice was structured both in class lessons and attendance in specific seminars. Class lessons took place on May 9, 21, 29, 30, 2018. Each session touched different topics with the aim of supporting the partners and their stakeholders in the activities linked to their pilot actions and increase their knowledge on specific issues connected to the environmental management of the pilot area of Porto Marghera in the Venice FUA. The participants were 45 technicians from the following local institutions: The City of Venice, the Venice Port Authority, the Veneto Region, the Metropolitan City of Venice, Veritas - spa, the Regional Health and Prevention Authority - Venice District, the Municipality of Portogruaro, the Municipality of Marcon. The trainers were expert professionals who teach in University courses in site remediation and work daily in this field. The overall focus of the training was an in-depths analysis of the Italian national and local legislative framework to manage the environmental rehabilitation and remediation of the site of Porto Marghera. After the analysis of the legislative framework, two sessions were dedicated to the illustration of some remediation technologies through the presentation of case studies and best practices according the BATEA approach (Best Available Technology Economically Achievable) and to the Strategies for the development and the promotion of brownfield sites. The format of the 4 sessions consisted mostly in presentations by the expert and front lessons. Enough time was left to discussion and to questions and answers. As part of the training some technicians from the City of Venice attended the Remtech Europe Conference held 20 September 2018 in Ferrara (IT). Remtech Europe is an international conference on remediation promoted by the European Commission's Joint Research Centre (JRC) and RemTech Expo. The aim of the Conference is to share information on knowledge, innovation and case histories on contaminated site and to encourage application of new and sustainable technologies in the development of remediation processes.

NUTS region(s) where training(s) have been conducted (relevant NUTS level)

The local training took place in Venice, IT (NUTS 0), ITH3, VENETO, (NUTS II), ITH35 VENICE (NUTS III) and in Ferrara ITD56 (NUTS III)

Expected impact and benefits of the trainings for the concerned territories and target groups

The whole training programme was much appreciated by the participants. The topics were selected on the basis of the training need analysis carried out in the previous months and so they were tailored to the exigencies of the local territory and institutions. The aim of the training was to support the partners and their stakeholders in the activities linked to their pilot actions and increase their knowledge on specific issues. All the local public authorities with competence in the management of Porto Marghera site attended the training sessions. The event turned out a fruitful opportunity for exchanging views and face the problems from all the relevant points of view. For the participants was an important moment of professional growth. The focus on the legislative framework and its application in the relationship between public authorities and private entities allowed the technicians to get a deeper in-sight of the issues and acquire more awareness of the multiple aspects at stake when dealing with remediation procedures. At the same time the training became an important opportunity for dissemination and sharing project results and enable the local stakeholders to benefit from the project activities. The participation at the Remtech Europe Conference proved to be a relevant occasion for the project partners to share knowledge, innovation and case histories on contaminated sites in an international context which involves a qualified community composed by private companies, public entities, universities, research centers and professionals.

Sustainability of the training(s) and developed training material(s) and their transferability to other territories and stakeholders

The training material consisted in the slides prepared by each expert which were distributed as read-up material before each lesson. Some follow-up documentation was distributed after the lessons as a result of the discussions. In addition, all participants received the project training material which included the web gis tool manual and an overview of the partners' brownfield analysis. The materials summaries all the topics dealt with valuable reference to further deepen the knowledge on the subject. Participants can share it with their colleagues from other institutions in the FUA. This material can be used by any institution interested in developing similar training paths.

Lessons learned from the development and implementation of training measures and added value of transnational cooperation

The whole training scheme was much appreciated by the participants and it became a great opportunity to exchange the knowledge between peers from the different institutions that deal with contaminated brownfields in the Venice Fua. It was a chance to see the issues from different perspective, institutional, academic and practical. But at the same time the trainees could understand the value and the importance of implementing activities within a European project. The delivery of training measures is a tangible benefit of the transnational cooperation for the local community.

References to relevant deliverables and web-links If applicable, pictures or images to be provided as annex

Deliverable - CE394_GreenerSites_D.T.2.1.3_report on Venice local training