



# Bioeconomy and Bio-based Industry for the Rural Renaissance of Regions (3BiR3)

Trieste 23 - 24 May 2019 - Salone di rappresentanza - Palazzo della Regione Autonoma Friuli Venezia Giulia - Piazza dell'Unità d'Italia, 1



## Session 4: workshop – 24<sup>th</sup> May

### The alliance between primary production and bio-based industries. A macro regional approach

<b>Context</b>	Pro-ESOF event “Bioeconomy and Bio-based industry for the rural renaissance of regions”
<b>Organisation</b>	BioVoices and BioBridges projects (APRE) Power4Bio project (SPRING)
<b>Main challenges</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Local and interregional development (Italy, Slovenia, Croatia)</li> <li>Feedstock, agriculture and bio-based industry connection</li> </ul>
<b>Collaboration</b>	University of Trieste, Agrifood FVG, Cluster SPRING
<b>Expected outcomes</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Raccomandations to promote the interregional development, based on the connection between the primary production in the rural aereas and the bio-based industry.</li> <li>To stimulate and facilitate the collabotation among regional stakeholders for the development of shared action plans.</li> </ul>
<b>Target participants</b>	<p>Quadruple-helix stakeholders:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Public Administration/Policy Makers</li> <li>Civil Society</li> <li>Industry/Investors</li> </ul>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Research/Education</li> </ul>
<b>Objectives</b>	<p>The workshop aims to identify opportunities offered by the Bioeconomy, with a particular emphasis on its bio-based component, for the interregional development of Italy, Austria, Slovenia and Croatia.</p> <p>The focus will be on enhancing those value chains of rural areas able to generate potential investments for and in collaboration with the bio-based industries.</p> <p>The workshop will be organized in two sessions. During the first part, case studies representing the regions involved will be presented, providing ideas and practical examples to stimulate discussion during the next session. In the second session, the Quadruple Helix stakeholders will work in a participatory way on the challenges, opportunities and barriers to promote the interregional development.</p> <p>The discussion, the exchange of ideas and best practices will contribute to the elaboration of practical recommendations that will feed the dialogue between the main actors of this field at European level.</p>

	<b>Introductory presentations and objectives of the day</b>
<b>14:00 – 14:30</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Chiara Pocaterra</b> – <i>BIOVOICES and BIOBRIDGES projects/APRE</i></li> <li>• <b>Sara CANTONE</b> - <i>Power4Bio project / Cluster SPRING</i></li> <li>• <b>Ivan MATIĆ</b> – <i>BIOEAST Initiative; Republic of Croatia - Ministry of Agriculture</i></li> <li>• <b>FIFTH REPORT ON BIOECONOMY (Focus on Wood)</b> - <i>Lavinia Stoppani - Intesa Sanpaolo</i></li> </ul>
<b>14:30-15:15</b> <b>Case studies and panel discussion</b>	<p><b>The alliance between primary production and bio-based industries: a regional approach</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Rinaldo Comino</b> – <i>Forestry service RAFVG</i></li> <li>• <b>Alberto Bezama</b> – <i>Centre for Environmental Research – UFZ</i></li> <li>• <b>Črtomir Tavzes</b> – <i>Slovene Forest-based Technology Platform</i></li> <li>• <b>Leo Breedveld</b> – <i>2B srl (SWEETWOODS)</i></li> <li>• <b>Sabina Licen</b> - <i>University of Trieste</i></li> <li>• <b>Fabrizio Goffredi</b> – <i>Biolab (VALEST project FESR-FVG)</i></li> <li>• <b>Loris Mestoni</b> – <i>Agro21 s.a. – (Future of Bioenergy in FVG)</i></li> <li>• <b>InCima project</b> – <i>Contributions by the partners</i></li> <li>• <b>Power4bio project</b> – <i>Contributions by the partners</i></li> </ul> <p><i>Case studies and panel discussion from stakeholders coming from different countries and providing inputs for the following interactive session</i></p>
<b>15:15-15:45</b>	<i>Pausa caffè - Coffee break</i>
<b>15:45-16:30</b>	<b>Mobilization and Mutual Learning workshop</b>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Which are the challenges for the interregional development between Italy, Slovenia, Croatia and Austria?</li> <li>• Which are the opportunities and resources to be used to improve the cooperation between the primary production and the bio-based industry?</li> <li>• How can the Bioeconomy contribute to the regional development through the enhancement of territorial resources?</li> <li>• Which are the actors to be mobilized/involved for the creation of new value chains and how to involve them? (interregional focus)</li> <li>• Which are the barriers and strategies to facilitate collaboration between interregional stakeholders?</li> <li>• How to think the development strategies and policies between large scale European regions in an integrated way?</li> </ul>
16:30-17:00	Conclusions of the day
	<p>Reflections on the main contents emerged in the parallel sessions:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Possible follow up (recommendations, collaborations, action plans, memorandum of understanding, etc.)</li> </ul>

The pre-registration ([www.biovoices.eu/trieste](http://www.biovoices.eu/trieste)) is a fundamental condition for participation.

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For registration and more information on the Bioeconomy and Bio-Based Industry for the Rural Renaissance of Regions (3BiR3): <http://eventi.regione.fvg.it/Eventi/dettaglioEvento.asp?evento=14122>