



BIOVOICES

Policies, regulations, R&I funding programs and investments to boost Bioeconomy in Italy

Mobilisation and Mutual Learning Workshop

Roma, 9 Ottobre 2020 (11.30 – 13.00 CEST)

Location: Online in the frame of the FORUM BUY GREEN 2020 conference

Organisation	BIOVOICES project
Main challenge	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Introducing EU and National incentives (C2)• Enhance local action plans (E1)
Collaboration	BioBridges project and Forum BuyGreen
Expected outcomes	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Recommendations to improve EU and National incentives• Stimulate the setting up of local action plan to boost the bioeconomy
Objectives	<p>The Italian Government promoted the setup of a national Bioeconomy Strategy in 2017 (BIT) and, more recently, its update (“A new Bioeconomy strategy for a sustainable Italy”, BIT II, 20193). The objectives of BIT II are to interconnect more efficiently the main pillars composing the Italian Bioeconomy, namely the production of renewable biological resources and their conversion into valuable food, feed, bio- based products, wooden products, and bioenergy, along with the transformation and valorization of bio-waste streams.</p> <p>The National Bioeconomy Coordination Body (NBCB) of the Presidency of Council of Ministers (active in the frame of the National Committee Biosecurity, Biotechnology and Life Sciences of the same Presidency, involving representatives of 4 Ministries and of all Regions and Provinces, the National Agency for Cohesion and the main relevant National Technology Clusters (public private partnerships), who developed BIT II, prepared the <u>Implementation Action Plan (IAP) (2020-2025) for the Italian bioeconomy strategy BIT II</u>. The IAP is addressed to translate some emerging BIT II priorities into distinct actions and related monitoring, to ensure an operational roll-out of the Italian Bioeconomy potential across Italy in the next 5 years.</p> <p>This event aims at stimulating the alignment of policies, regulations, R&I funding programs and investments in infrastructures as well as synergies among different public and private funding sources for lowering the risk for investments in Bioeconomy initiatives (such as Circular Bioeconomy Thematic Investment Platform, established by the European Commission, the Common Agricultural Policy (post-reform), the InvestEU Programme, the future European Innovation Council and the ETS Innovation Fund, Horizon Europe).</p>



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Introduction	Introductory presentations and objectives of the day
11.30 -11.35	<p>The first phase will present the general framework, the objectives of the day and the expected outcomes.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Chiara Pocaterra, BIOVOICES project coordinator, Daniele Gizzi and Matteo Sabini, BIOVOICES Management Team
11:35-12:00	<p>Setting the scene</p> <p><i>Introductory notes:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Implementation Action Plan (2020-2025) for the Italian Bioeconomy Strategy BIT II, Fabio Fava, National Committee on Biosafety, Biotechnology and Life Sciences (CNBBSV) of Presidency of Council of Ministers• Implementation Action Plan: the point of view of industries:<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Giulia Gregori, CLUSTER SPRING○ Roberto Cimino, CLUSTER BIG○ Paolo Bonaretti, CLUSTER CLAN
12:00 – 12.55	<p>Interactive round table</p> <p>Mobilization and Mutual Learning (MML)</p> <p><i>Round table:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Public-Private Partnership to support national and local investments, Gabriele Pasquini, Head of Concessions, Utilities and PPP - Director at Presidency of the Council of Ministers• Pre-commercial procurement for innovative solutions for the public sector needs, (examples from POSIDON PCP project) Sara Bedin, Independent expert on innovation public procurement and Project partner• European Circular Bioeconomy Fund, Michael Nettersheim, Managing Director ECBF• Common Agricultural Policy, Annalisa Zezza, CREA• Green Public Procurement for bio-based products (examples from Europe-InnProBio Project), Nikolai Jacobi, ICLEI• European Innovation Council, Antonio Carbone, APRE <p>In this session, speakers and participants (using Mentimeter) will be invited to reply to the following questions:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• <i>How could the various instruments support the implementation of the BIT II action plan?</i>• <i>What are the existing obstacles for the application of these instruments?</i>



	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• <i>Are there other missing actors that must be involved in the implementation of the strategy?</i>• <i>Next steps</i>
12:55-13.00	<i>Next steps and conclusions</i> Chiara Pocaterra and Matteo Sabini, BIOVOICES

More information on the event:

<https://www.biovoices-platform.eu/registeredarea/mmls/viewMml/8661>

Registration: <https://iwebseminar.teleskill.it/forumcompraverde2/register/88251162.html>

