

# H2020 MSCA-ITN-2018 ReTraCE Project

# Realising the Transition to the Circular Economy

# Report on Milestone 13 (M4.2)

Stakeholders identification and implementation of focus groups and expert interviews about regional development policy for CE





#### List of stakeholders

The list below is an initial attempt to identify the relevant actors/stakeholders in top-down CE initiatives located in the EU and Asia. Therefore, it will be updated constantly with the newly identified stakeholders for the purpose of completing the deliverables related to WP4 (mostly D4.2) in the course of the PhD. The list will serve as a basis for establishing a primary network of stakeholders on regional level. The stakeholders are grouped by the type of the organization/institution and it contains the following groups:

- 1. Academic Institutions (Already Project Partners);
- 2. Local and governmental Authorities (Already Project Partners);
- 3. Private organizations (Already Project Partners);
- 4. Academia (Members of Expert Group for investigating risk and relationship management practices in circular supply chains);
- 5. EU Parliament (Members of Expert Group for investigating risk and relationship management practices in circular supply chains);
- 6. EU Institutions (newly identified);
- 7. NGOs/Initiatives/Platforms/Hubs (newly identified);
- 8. Regional administration (newly identified);
- 9. Public Administration (newly identified);
- 10. Academic Institutions (newly identified).
- 11. Institute of Innovation and Circular Economy, Asia University, Taiwan Ming-Lang Tseng http://www.retrace-itn.eu/wp-content/uploads/2019/10/RCR-VSI-on-Industry-3.5\_call-for-papers.pdf





## 1. Academic Institutions

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University of Ulsan	South Korea	Park Hung-Suck	parkhs@ulsan.ac.kr
Shanghai Jiao Tong University	People's Republic of China	Yong Geng	ygeng@sjtu.edu.cn





# 2. Local and governmental Authorities

Partner	Country	Main Contacts	Email Address
<b>COGEI Srl</b> is a company founded in 1992 to operate in the field of environmental protection. Its mission is the design, planning, construction and	Italy	Gateano Lionetti	lionetti@cogei.net
management of purification plants for civil and industrial uses, sewerage and water purification waste.		Luca Pucci	pucci@nocerambiente.it
African Circular Economy Network (ACEN) The vision of ACEN is to build a restorative African economy that generates well-being and prosperity inclusive of all its people through new forms of	South Africa	Alexandre Lemille	alex@wizeimpact.com
economic production and consumption which maintain and regenerate its environmental resources		Peter Desmond	peter.desmond@acen.africa
<b>ENEA</b> is the National Agency for New Technologies, Energy and Sustainable Economic Development, a public body aimed at research,	Italy	Giovanna Adinolfi	giovanna.adinolfi@enea.it
technological innovation and the provision of advanced services to enterprises, public administrations and citizens in the sector of energy,	italy	Viviana Cigolotti	viviana.cigolotti@enea.it





the environment and sustainable economic development		Giorgio Graditi	giorgio.graditi@enea.it
CSR Europe is the leading industry platform in Europe promoting sustainable and responsible business practices and dialogue with European policy institutions	Belgium	Stefan Crets	sc@csreurope.org
	Deigium	Elisa Casazza	ec@csreurope.org
Sheffield City Council	UK	Alastair Black	alastair.black@sheffield.gov.uk
Concello de Allariz	Spain	Bernardo Varela LÓpez	medioambiente@allariz.com





# 3. Private organizations

Partner	Country	Main Contacts	Email address
SERVE – Association of Information Technology Companies of Northern Greece The association of Information Technology Companies of Northern Greece (SERVE) was founded in April 1994 and is a private non-profit organization based in Thessaloniki. Throughout its operation, it is the only collective body to represent the interests and interests of IT companies operating in the region of Macedonia, Thrace and Thessaly.	Greece	George Katsanos	g.katsanos@sepve.org
		Michael Litsardakis	m.litsardakis@sepve.org
Bosch The Bosch Group is a leading global supplier of technology and services. The Bosch Thermotechnology division is responsible for all activities involving heating technology and hot-water solutions.	Germany	Friederike Neugebauer	friederike.neugebauer@de.bosch. com
Circle Economy A social enterprise, organised as a cooperative, Circle Economy accelerates the transition to circularity through on the ground, action focused, development	Netherlands	Aglaia Fisches	aglaia@circle-economy.com
of practical and scalable solutions and international		Jurn de Winter	jurn@circle-economy.com





campaigns, communications, and engagement, focused on spreading the circular message.			
Esco Italia is the leading Italian Energy Service	Italy	Claudio Ferrari	ferrari@escoitalia.eu
Company on national scene		Ilaria Tortorella	ilariatortorella@gmail.com
<b>Proteg SPA</b> is a company specialized in the collection and further processing of animal by-products (ABP), slaughterhouse waste and food of animal origin unfit		Salvatore Papa	papa.salvatore@hotmail.it
for human consumption, and the recovery of animal and vegetable oils and fats.	Italy	Pietro Montesarchio	proteg@proteg.it
Recovery Insulation Ltd Innotherm is a social enterprise/for profit share capital company	UK	David Garlovsky	info@inno-therm.com
<b>SMA Solar Technology</b> is a leading global specialist for photovoltaic system technology.	Germany	Matthias Schaepers	matthias.schaepers@sma.de
Solvay SA is a multi-specialty chemical company, committed to developing chemistry that addresses key societal challenges.  Belgin	Belgium	Guilherme Grimbergs Siepierski	guilherme.siepierski@solvay.com
		Dominique De Becker	dominique.debecker@solvay.com





		Bruno Van Parys	bruno.vanparys@solvay.com
European Recycling Platform (ERP) was founded in 2002 as the first pan-European organization to implement the European Union's regulations on the recycling of electrical and electronic waste (WEEE Directive). ERP now manages a consolidated network and has developed vast international expertise, expanding its recycling services to include batteries as well as packaging.	France	Umberto Raiteri	umberto.raiteri@erp- recycling.org
<b>A&amp;C</b> Ecotech is a company specialized in the recovery and disposal of technological waste, authorized to collect, store and transport hazardous and non-hazardous special waste.	Italy	Nicola Corretto	n.corretto@aececotech.it





# Members of Expert Group for investigating risk and relationship management practices in circular supply chains

#### 4. Academia

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Regional stakeholders newly added

Useful link: <a href="https://circulareconomy.europa.eu/platform/en">https://circulareconomy.europa.eu/platform/en</a>

#### 6. EU Institutions

European Investment Bank (EIB) - The	Luxembourg	Jonas Byström	CircularEconomy@eib.org
transition towards a circular economy can help	0		7.0.
reduce environmental impact, but also bring major		www.eib.org/circular-	
economic benefits, contributing to innovation,		economy	
growth and job creation.		,	
The EU bank embraces the potential of a circular			
economy and we support the public and private			
sector in their circular transition			
European Economic and Social Committee	EU wide		https://www.eesc.europa.eu/en/abo
(EESC)			ut/administrative-
			organisation/organisation-chart-
			administrative#
Council of European Municipalities and	EU		info@ccre-cemr.org – general mail
Regions (CEMR)- one of the goals is to		Axelle Griffon	
"contribute to the thought process of the European		Policy Adviser - Environment	
Commission's services to move towards a circular		and Mobility	axelle.griffon@ccre-cemr.org
economy: improve the use of natural resources, the			
implementation of waste legislation and its possible			
revisions"			
https://www.ccre.org/activites/view/21			
European Union Network for the Implementation	27 EU member		http://www.impel.eu/





and Enforcement of Environmental Law	states + Turkey	
(IMPEL) is an informal network of European	and Norway	
regulators concerned with the implementation and		
enforcement of environmental legislation.		

# 7. NGOs/Initiatives/Platforms/Hubs

Institute for research in circular economy and	Romania	Dr.	Elena-Simina	simina.lakatos@ircem.ro
environment "Ernest Lupan" (IRCEM) is an		Lakato	OS	
independent non-governmental organization,				
formed as a research think tank, accelerates the				
transition to circularity, starting from the bottom				
with concentrated actions consisting in the				
development of practical and scalable solutions,				
national campaigns, communicating and involving				
us to spread the circular message and sustainable				
development.				
Circular Economy Transition - Circular	Switzerland			https://www.cetransition.ch/
Economy Transition is a pioneer initiative that				
aims at accelerating the transition of Switzerland to				
a Circular Economy. It currently takes place in				
5 Swiss cities - Basel, Bern, Geneva, Lausanne, and				
Zurich.				
In close collaboration with all Impact Hubs				
throughout Switzerland, sanu durabilitas and with				





the support of the MAVA foundation, this initiative will contribute to drive the new paradigm for the future of business, policy making and society through 4 main pillars.			
Association of Cities and Regions for sustainable Resource management (ACR+) is an international network of cities and regions sharing the aim of promoting a sustainable resource management and accelerating the transition towards a circular economy on their territories and beyond. Circular economy calling for cooperation between all actors, ACR+ is open to other key players in the field of material resource management such as NGOS, academic institutions, consultancy or private organisations.	EU wide		http://www.acrplus.org/en/about-acr/about-us
Circular Europe Network <u>ACR+</u> wants to support local and regional authorities in being ambitious on circular economy and will therefore support and help them to adopt aspiring circular economy strategies. That is why ACR+ decided to launch a specific initiative on circular economy planning by cities and regions: the Circular Europe Network (CEN).			http://www.circular-europe- network.eu/about/presentation/
Circular Futures-Plattform Kreislaufwirtschaft Österreich - The objective of the platform is to establish a solution-oriented multi-stakeholder	Austria	Julika Dittrich	office@circularfutures.at





platform as a think tank, incubator, and catalyst for projects and initiatives necessary for a successful transition to a circular economy in Austria.  https://www.circularfutures.at/ueber-uns/english-language-summary/  Cyprus Circular Economy Platform aims to collect circular economy good practices and events from all across Cyprus and all stakeholders that can contribute to the transition to a circular economy. If you are an industry, enterprise, local authority, public body, association, NGO etc and you have a good practice to demonstrate or an event to share, regarding circular economy, this is the place!		Christia Alexandrou Anthi Charalambous	calexandrou@oeb.org.cy acharalambous@oeb.org.cy
<ul> <li>CircE Project (European regions toward Circular Economy) involves 8 partners both at regional and local scale and representatives of different European social and economic scenarios: <ul> <li>Lombardy Region</li> <li>Government of Catalonia</li> <li>Marshal's Office of Lower Silesia</li> <li>Province of Gelderland</li> <li>London Waste and Recycling Board (LWARB)</li> <li>Creation Development EcoEntreprises (CD2E)</li> <li>Sofia Municipality</li> <li>Association of Municipalities and Towns of Slovenia (SOS).</li> </ul> </li></ul>	Bulgaria, France, Italy, Netherlands, Poland, Slovenia, Spain, United Kingdom		c.dubois@cd2e.com





The European Policy Centre is an independent,	Brussels		info@epc.eu
not-for-profit think tank dedicated to fostering	Diusseis		https://www.epc.eu/contact_us.php
European integration through analysis and debate,			intps.//www.epc.eu/contact us.pnp
supporting and challenging European decison-			
makers at all levels to make informed decisions			
based on sound evidence and analysis, and providing			
a platform for engaging partners, stakeholders and			
citizens in EU policymaking and in the debate about			
the future of Europe.			_
The Sustainable Prosperity for Europe		Annika Hedberg,	a.hedberg@epc.eu
Programme monitors and analyses developments		Senior Policy Analyst	
within Europe's economy, and discusses how to			
achieve growth that is economically, socially and		Stefan Sipka, Policy	s.sipka@epc.eu
environmentally sustainable. It looks into the		Analyst	
building blocks of European competitiveness,			
prosperity and welfare, addresses specific short-term			
crises, but also adopts a forward-looking thinking			
approach about tackling long-term challenges to			
creating a more sustainable European economy. The			
Programme focuses on areas where working			
together across borders and sectors can bring			
significant benefits for the EU member states,			
businesses and citizens. The Programme focuses in			
particular on economic governance, cleaner and			
smarter Europe, and enabler for progress.			
Shifting Paradigms - The circular economy		Jelmer Hoogzaad	jelmer@shiftingparadigms.nl
concept offers a promising set of strategies to		J	<u> </u>





The Greek Association of RES (Renewable	Greece	Mr. Manolis	info@hellasres.gr
and valorization industry in Greece.			
Polyeco S.A Fully licensed waste management	Greece	https://polyeco.gr/	info@polyeco.gr
recovery.			
the production of recoverable materials or c) energy			
materials waste treatment, or b) waste treatment to			
waste recovery, by-products and secondary raw			
they maintain industrial facilities either a) recycling-			
with the rules of the private sector, provided that			
products and secondary raw materials in accordance			
in the area of waste recycling and recovery of by-			
operating in Greece and engage in industrial activity			
(former SEVIAN) established by companies			
Ενεργειακής Αξιοποίησης Αποβλήτων) - SEPAN			
Βιομηχανιών και Επιχειρήσεων Ανακύκλωσης και		mprip/ on/ contact	
Industries and Enterprises (Σύνδεσμος	Greece	x.php/en/contact	into wyocpaing:
Federation of Recycling and Energy Recovery	Greece	http://sepan.gr/inde	info@sepan.gr
a system and across sectors			
focusses on the interaction between the elements in			
"take-make-waste" supply chain, Shifting Paradigms			
than optimising the individual elements of a linear			
promising circular economy opportunities. Rather			
stakeholder can set priorities and identify the most			
an organisation or jurisdiction. From there			
visualises the resource flows and asset utilisation in			
low-carbon future. Shifting Paradigms maps out and			
redefine development through the lens of metabolic efficiency and set course on a resource efficient and			





Energy Sources) Electricity Producers		Perrakis	
(GAREP) is a private, non-profit organisation		Ms. Lena	
founded in March 1997. According to its Statutes,			
members of GAREP are legal persons (companies)			
based in Greece, whose aim and objectives are linked		http://www.hellasre	
to the construction and operation of commercial		s.gr/English/poios	
RES installations.		%20einai%20o%20s	
		indesmos/eisagvgi-	
		<u>01.htm</u>	
Circular Flanders is the hub and the inspiration for	Belgium	https://vlaanderen-	info@vlaanderen-circulair.be
the Flemish circular economy. It is a partnership of		circulair.be/en/cont	
governments, companies, civil society, and the		<u>act</u>	
knowledge community that will take action together.			
These organisations are the core of our partnership.			
LIPOR - Intermunicipal Waste Management of	Portugal	https://www.lipor.p	info@lipor.pt
Greater Porto is responsible for the management,		t/en/lipor/who-we-	
recovery and treatment of the Municipal Waste		are/history/	
produced in the eight associated municipalities:			
Espinho, Gondomar, Maia, Matosinhos, Porto,			
Póvoa de Varzim, Valongo and Vila do Conde.			
Association of Municipalities and Towns of	Slovenia	Sasha Kek	https://www.interregeurope.eu/circ
Slovenia			<u>e/contacts/</u>
Creation Development EcoEntreprises (CD2E)	France	Clemence Dubois	https://www.interregeurope.eu/circ
			<u>e/contacts/</u>
ENCORE is a political platform and forum for	EU countries with	Sabine Islebe -	
Environment Ministers and other relevant political	specific regions	Head of Unit	
		European Union	europa@stmuv.bayern.de





leaders of the regions of Europe relating to	https://www.encore		
environmental and sustainable development issues.	web.bayern.de/docu		
https://www.encoreweb.bayern.de/structure/enco	ments/valencia char		
re members/index.htm	ter/doc/signatories.		
	pdf		
The Network of Regional Governments for	-		https://www.regions4.org/about-
Sustainable Development (nrg4SD) is a global			us/regions4
network that solely represents regional governments			<u> </u>
(states, regions and provinces) in the fields of climate			
change, biodiversity and sustainable development,			
particularly following the mandates of the UN			
conventions and agendas. It is the global voice of			
regional governments (states, regions and provinces)			
before UN negotiations, European Union initiatives			
and global discussions in the fields of climate			
change, biodiversity and sustainable development.			
Regions4 was established in 2002 at the World			
Summit in Johannesburg as the Network of Regional			
Governments for Sustainable Development –			
nrg4SD. In 2019, it became Regions4, and now			
represents 42 regional governments from 20			
countries in 4 continents.			
Ecopreneur.eu, (European Sustainable	EU wide based in	Arthur ten Wolde,	tenwolde@ecopreneur.eu
Business Federation) sets a course towards	Brussels	(Executive Director	
sustainable economic policies on the European level		of Ecopreneur and	
to support the economic and societal transformation		EU Policy Expert	
across Europe and beyond. Ecopreneur.eu is a non-		MVO Nederland)	
profit non-governmental organisation under Belgian		,	





law. The federation presently holds six member associations from different countries of the European Union. Through Ecopreneur.eu these associations strengthen the voice of sustainable business in Brussels. Under the roof of Ecopreneur over 3000 businesses are represented, mostly SMEs, that strive to deliver sustainable products and					
services.	1711 '1	1 1	•	1-+	:
CEC4EUROPE - CE Coalition for Europe -	EU wide	based	ın	https://www.cec4eu	innovation@cec4europe.eu
CEC4Europe endorses the importance of closing	Vienna			rope.eu/	
loops and boosting resource efficiency, but at the					
same time, pleads for a more scientifically and fact					
based approach: A systematic analysis of our future					
raw material needs and all relevant secondary raw					
material sources is needed so we can achieve the					
common goals of the circular economy –					
environmental protection, securing of raw materials,					
economic benefit, and growth – in an effective and					
efficient manner, based on scientific evidence					
The EEB European Environmental Bureau is		based	in		eeb@eeb.org
the largest network of environmental citizens'	Brussels				
organisations in Europe. It currently consists of					
around 150 member organisations in more than 30					
countries (all EU Member States plus some					
accession and neighbouring countries), including a					
growing number of European networks, and					
representing some 30 million individual members					
and supporters.					





Bond Beter Leefmilieu wants a Flanders in which	Belgium	Olivier Beys	olivier.beys@bblv.be
everyone lives well without weighing on the		Policy officer circular	
environment, nature or health.		economy	
https://www.bondbeterleefmilieu.be/themas/circu			
laire-economie?ref=doormat			
The Shift is the Belgian meeting point for	Belgium	Eglantine	eglantine.eeckhout@theshift.be
sustainability. Together with our members and	_	Eeckhout	
partners we want to realise the transition to a more			
sustainable society and economy. Started the			
Wallonia Green Deal that will Contribute to			
Wallonia's transition to a circular economy.			
Association of Flemish cities and municipalities	Belgium	https://platforma-	info@vvsg.be
<b>VVSG</b> is the association of all 308 Flemish		dev.eu/partner/asso	
municipalities and cities, representing their interests		ciation-of-flemish-	
offering advice, training and many other services.		cities-and-	
		municipalities/	
The Institute for Circular Economy (ICE) is a	Bulgaria	Svetoslav Stoykov	https://il.linkedin.com/company/in
consultancy and project management NGO, active			stitute-for-circular-economy
in the intersection of: circular economy, biomimicry,			
energy efficiency, renewable energy generation and			
sustainable development registered in Bulgaria.			
The Collaborating Centre for Sustainable	Germany	Alexis Figeac	alexis.figeac@scp-centre.org
Consumption and Production - CE experts		Head of the	
Networking with industry and policy makers.		Sustainable Business	
		and	
		Entrepreneurship	





Jerusalem Institute for Policy Research Think-and-Do Tank with experience in Policy-making	Israel	Amir Mushkat- Barkan	amirm@jerusaleminstitute.org.il
and implementation.		Research Assistant	steve@jerusaleminstitute.org.il
(Part of $R2\pi$ – $tRansition$ from linear 2 circular:			
Policy and Innovation is a three-year project		Steven Zecher	
within the environment theme of Horizon 2020 (H2020).)		Senior Researcher	
SWITCH-Asia Network Facility	EU funding to Asia	Dr. Uwe Weber	<u>Uwe.weber@scp-centre.org</u>
		Team Leader	
		Silvia Sartori	Silvia.sartori@scp-centre.org
		Communication	
		expert	
The SWITCH-Asia Regional Policy Support	(implemented by	Mushtaq Ahmed	memon@un.org
Component (RPSC) will advance sustainable	United Nations	Memon	
development in the Asian region by strengthening	Environment	Regional	
regional, sub-regional and national policies on	Programme)	Coordinator,	
Sustainable Consumption and Production (SCP).		Resource Efficiency	
		UN Environment -	
		Asia and the Pacific	
SWITCH-Asia Sustainable consumption and	Sri Lanka		scp.npsc.sl@gmail.com
production national policy support component		Gamini Senanayake	gaminisn@gmail.com
(NPSC) for Sri Lanka		Key expert	
https://www.switch-asia.eu/policy-support-			gayashani.uswatte@aets-
component/psc-sri-lanka/			<u>consultants.com</u>





http://www.scp.mmde.gov.lk/about.php#nscp-		Ms. Uswatte	Gayashnai	
policy		Senior	project	
		assistant		
The Ellen MacArthur Foundation works with	Global (UK based)			info@ellenmacarthurfoundation.org
business, government and academia to build a				
framework for an economy that is restorative and				
regenerative by design.				
https://www.ellenmacarthurfoundation.org/				
HUBBUB a charity that creates environmental	UK			hello@hubbub.org.uk
campaigns with a difference. They started many				
projects in the UK				
https://www.hubbub.org.uk/what-we-do				

# 8. Regional administration

# Region of central macedonia https://www.rdfcm.gr/el/

Lombardy Region	Italy	Maria Grazia Pedrana	https://www.interregeurope.eu/circe/
			contacts/
Regional Council of Päijät-Häme – a key actor in the	Finland	Juha Hertsi	juha.hertsi@paijat-hame.fi
strategy: Regional road map towards circular economy			
in Päijät-Häme			
http://www.paijat-hame.fi/in-english/			
http://www.paijat-hame.fi/wp-			
content/uploads/2018/11/Susanna-			
Vanham%C3%A4ki.pdf			





Regional Council of Auvergne-Rhône-Alpes Region – suporting the ECLAIRA ( <a href="https://www.eclaira.org/static/eclaira-the-network.html">https://www.eclaira.org/static/eclaira-the-network.html</a> ): the circular economy network in Auvergne-Rhône-Alpes region	France	https://www.auvergnerhonealpes.fr/2 8-nous-contacter.htm
Conseil Régional Nouvelle-Aquitaine - The Region ensures the construction and monitoring of waste planning, from their reduction to their recovery, and is also committed to the development of the circular economy, centered on recycling and reuse. The goal: to reduce the impact of waste on the environment. (https://www.nouvelle-aquitaine.fr/actions/nouveau-territoire-nouveaux-defis/coordonner-gestion-dechets-developper-economie-circulaire.html)  Also the Region of Aquitaine established and supports the the Network of Circular Economy and Innovation in New Aquitaine (RECITA) which accompanies this rise in power, with nearly 80 structures and more than 610 members. This network is open to all socio-economic actors in the territory (companies, communities, researchers, networks, civil society).	France	https://www.nouvelle-aquitaine.fr/contactez-nous
REGIONAL COMMITTEE OF CIRCULAR ECONOMY (CREC) was set up at the instigation of the Normandy Region, the State (DREAL,	France	https://neci.normandie.fr/clubs/contact/1627





DIRECCTE) and ADEME to support the development of the circular economy in the Normandy territory.  Its objective is to promote and support the dynamics of the various fields of the circular economy by bringing together a community of Norman actors			
RÉGION Normandie – part of its regional actions is to develop the circular economy in the Normany Region (https://www.normandie.fr/developper-leconomie-circulaire)	France		https://www.normandie.fr/contacter- la-region
The Eastern-Midlands Waste Region (EMWR) is one of Ireland's three waste management regions. The framework for the prevention and management of waste is set out in the Waste Management Plan, a statutory document underpinned by national and EU waste legislation. The responsibility for implementing the Plan in this region is the Eastern-Midlands Waste Regional Office (EMWRO) and the region's constituent local authorities. The EMWRO is situated in Dublin City Council, the lead authority for the region.	Ireland	http://emwr.ie/what- we-do/	emwr@dublincity.ie
The Southern Waste Region comprises the 10 local authority areas of Carlow, Clare, Cork County, Cork City, Limerick City & County, Kerry, Kilkenny, Tipperary, Waterford City & County and Wexford. The Region covers 42% of the land mass of	Ireland	http://southernwastere gion.ie/content/about- us	info@srwmo.ie





the country. Limerick City & County Council and Tipperary County Council are the lead authorities for the Region and manage the Southern Region Waste Management Office (SRWMO).			
Regional Council of Provence-Alpes-Côte d'Azur The South Region has made the climate emergency its priority! In 2017, it launched a major Climate Plan composed of 100 concrete actions. Objective: to encourage new forms of mobility, massively develop renewable energies, support companies wishing to act for the planet, preserve our natural heritage while improving the well-being of the inhabitants. New call for projects on Circular economy territory 2019: <a href="https://www.maregionsud.fr/aides-et-appels-a-projets/detail/territoire-economie-circulaire-2019-pour-le-developpement-dune-economie-circulaire-dans-les-territoires">https://www.maregionsud.fr/aides-et-appels-a-projets/detail/territoire-economie-circulaire-2019-pour-le-developpement-dune-economie-circulaire-dans-les-territoires</a>	France		https://www.maregionsud.fr/contacte r-la-region/contact
Wallonie Service Public SPW launching the Green Deal Purchasing and the Circular Economy in Wallonie  http://economiecirculaire.wallonie.be/green-deal http://economiecirculaire.wallonie.be/legislation	Belgium - Wallonie	Lara Hotyat	lara.hotyat@spw.wallonie.be
the Government of the Brussels-Capital Region adopted the Brussels Regional Program for a Circular Economy 2016 – 2020 (BRPCE)	Belgium - Brussels		info@circularprojects.brussels





The Norte Portugal Regional Coordination and Development Commission (CCDR-N) <u>CCDRN</u> – <u>Comissão de Coordenação e Desenvolvimento Regional do Norte</u> is a public institution that works towards the integrated and sustainable development of the Norte Region of Portugal, contributing to the country's competitiveness and cohesion.	Portugal	North	geral@ccdr-n.pt norte2020@ccdr-n.pt  http://www.ccdrn.pt/en
CCDRC – Comissão de Coordenação e Desenvolvimento Regional do Centro The Center's Coordination and Regional Development Commission (CCDRC), a deconcentrated body of the Ministry of Planning, jointly with the Ministry of the Environment, endowed with financial and administrative autonomy, has the task of implementing environment, land use and environmental policies. cities and regional development at the NUTS II Center level, promote coordinated action by decentralized regional services and provide technical support to local authorities and their associations.	Portugal	Centrer	geral@ccdrc.pt centro2020@ccdrc.pt
Autoridade de Gestão do Programa Operacional Regional de Lisboa 2014-2020	Portugal	Lisbon	lisboa2020@ccdr-lvt.pt





CCDR LVT – Comissão de Coordenação e Desenvolvimento Regional de Lisboa e V ale do Tejo	Portugal	Lisbon	http://www.ccdr-lvt.pt/pt/a- regiao/7279.htm
CCDRA – Comissão de Coordenação e Desenvolvimento Regional do Alentejo Alentejo Regional Coordination and Development Commission	Portugal	Alentejo	geral@ccdr-a.gov.pt alentejo2020@ccdr-a.gov.pt
CCDR ALG – Comissão de Coordenação e Desenvolvimento Regional do Algarve ALGARVE REGIONAL COORDINATION AND DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION	Portugal	Algarve	algarve2020@ccdr-alg.pt geral@ccdr-alg.pt
Governo da Região Autónoma dos Açores Azores Government	Portugal	Azores	Regional Directorate for Planning and Structural Funds poacores2020@azores.gov.pt
Instituto de Desenvolvimento Regional, IP-RAM <a href="http://www.idr.gov-madeira.pt/m1420/Contactos.aspx?IDc=m1420-contactos">http://www.idr.gov-madeira.pt/m1420/Contactos.aspx?IDc=m1420-contactos</a>	Portugal	Madeira	idr@madeira.gov.pt
Governo da Região Autónoma da Madeira	Portugal	Madeira	https://www.madeira.gov.pt/





DROTA Regional Directorate for Spatial	Portugal	Madeira	drota.sra@gov-madeira.pt
Planning and Environment - Direção Regional			
de Ordenamento do Território e Ambiente			
https://www.madeira.gov.pt/drota			

## 9. Public Administration

Ministry for Gozo (Eco Gozo)	Malta	ecogozo@gov.mt
Ministry of Environment & Energy – National Circular Economy Strategy <a href="http://www.ypeka.gr/LinkClick.aspx?fileticket=pYSL">http://www.ypeka.gr/LinkClick.aspx?fileticket=pYSL</a> OVoi:OUI% 3D&stabid=37&slanguage=on US	Greece	http://www.ypeka.gr/Default.aspx?tab id=234&language=en-US
QXgjjOU%3D&tabid=37&language=en-US  The Centre for Renewable Energy Sources and Saving (CRES) is the Greek national entity for the promotion of renewable energy sources, rational use of energy and energy conservation.  In the modern demanding energy sector CRES is dynamically active, in the frame of the national and Community policy and legislation, for the protection of the environment and sustainable development. Working in the state of the art of technology development, CRES implements innovative projects and significant activities for the promotion and market penetration of new energy technologies.	Greece	cres@cres.gr





There are also part of the Project H2020 - PUBLEnEf: Support Public Authorities for Implementing Energy Efficiency Policies. <a href="http://www.cres.gr/kape/projects">http://www.cres.gr/kape/projects</a> PUBLEnEf uk.ht m			
Institut de l'économie circulaire - THE NATIONAL INSTITUTE OF CIRCULAR ECONOMY Organization of reference and influence around the ecological intelligence and the economy of the resource. The Institute is made up of companies, communities, associations and universities. Its mission is to unite all public and private stakeholders to promote the circular economy and accelerate its development.	France	https://institut- economie-circulaire.fr/	https://institut-economie- circulaire.fr/institut/equipe/
Ministry of Ecological and Solidarity Transition – supporting the Circular Economy Roadmap (FREC) and supporting the Economiecirculaire.org and circulareconomy.org: the Network's international portal which consists of a large database on good practices used by companies and local authorities in the field of circular economy.	France		https://contact.ecologique-solidaire.gouv.fr/





Agency for the Environment and Energy Management (ADEME) – supporting the Economic irculaire.org and circulareconomy.org: the Network's international portal which consists of a large database on good practices used by companies and local authorities in the field of circular economy.	France		https://www.ademe.fr/content/contacter
City of Nijmegen - Arnhem-Nijmegen: most circular region Netherlands (https://www.globe-eu.org/wp-content/uploads/Presentatie-Harriet-Tiemens-19-maart-2019-EU-Globe-1.pdf)	Netherlands	Harriet Tiemens, Vice- Mayor City of Nijmegen	h.tiemens@nijmegen.nl
City of Zadar – Administrative Department for EU Funds, part of the GROW Green Project (H2020). The main objective of the project is to develop and implement the so-called NBS "Nature based Solutions" strategies to provide cost-effective and long-term solutions to address societal challenges such as climate change, water security, food security, human health, etc. The project seeks to evaluate and develop innovative, a cost-effective and sustainable approach to achieving this.	Croatia	http://www.grad- zadar.hr/eu- projekt/grow-green- 35.html	http://www.grad-zadar.hr/kontakti- 735/
City of Zagreb - CITY OFFICE OF ECONOMY, ENERGY AND ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION - By the City of Zagreb City Assembly Decision of October 30, 2008, the City of Zagreb, became one of the first European capitals to accept the	Croatia	https://www.zagreb.hr /en/energy-and- environment- protection/136839	gospodarstvo@zagreb.hr eko@zagreb.hr





Covenant of Mayors Agreement thereby stating its support to the great initiative of connecting the mayors of energy-conscious European cities in a permanent network with the aim of exchanging experience in implementing effective measures to improve energy efficiency in urban environments.		https://eko.zagreb.hr/ en/contact/2416	
Social and Economic Council of Greece (OKE) – attended the 1st Circular Economy Forum in Greece	Greece		http://www.oke.gr/en/contact
London Waste and Recycling Board (LWARB) is a partnership of the Mayor of London and the London boroughs to improve waste and resource management. It has two programmes and one of them is Cirular London (https://www.lwarb.gov.uk/what-		https://www.lwarb.gov .uk/ Clare Ollerenshaw	info@lwarb.gov.uk  https://www.interregeurope.eu/circe/ contacts/
we-do/circular-london/)  Also part of the CircE Project.			
SEV Business Council for Sustainable Development (SEVBCSD), was founded in 2008 by members of the Hellenic Federation of Enterprises (SEV), aiming to be the powerful and dynamic leverage of enterprises who are willing and able to play a leading role in the promotion of Sustainable Development in the Greek business community. By constantly supporting sustainability as being imperative to long-term business success, SEVBCSD promotes business models in line with the global sustainability goals.	Greece	Konstantinos Konstantinou, Managing Director	kkonstantinou@sevbcsd.org.gr





The Hellenic Recycling Agency (HRA) is the competent authority of the Ministry of Environment & Energy for the design and implementation of recycling policy in Greece. It is responsible for approving national alternative management systems for each product and for controlling the progress of recycling within the Hellenic territory.	Greece		info@eoan.gr
The Association of Greek Regions (EN.P.E.) is the representative body of the thirteen (13) Regions Greece. Attended the 1st Circular Economy Forum in Greece	Greece	https://www.enpe.gr/en/	info@enpe.gr
United Nations – Economic and Social Commission for Asia and the Pacific (ESCAP) - Environment and Development Division - To demonstrate the benefits of circular economy at the local level, ESCAP supports countries in the region with a "closing the loop" application in regional countries aiming to mobilize the informal economy to recover plastic waste and reduce marine pollution.	Asia	https://www.unescap. org/blog/circular- economy-making- sustainability-part-the- solution-asia-pacific	escap-edd@un.org
ICLEI - Local Governments for Sustainability is the leading global network of over 1500 cities, towns and regions committed to building a sustainable future. Based in Seoul, ICLEI East Asia supports Members from China, Chinese Taipei, Japan, Korea and Mongolia pursuing The 5 ICLEI Pathways. ICLEI-Local Governments for Sustainability plans to initiate the Green Circular Cities Coalition, presenting	Global, but I focus on the ICLEI East Easia Secretariat	http://eastasia.iclei.org /activities/programs- projects/green- circular-cities- coalition.html	iclei-eastasia@iclei.org iclei-china@iclei.org iclei-japan@iclei.org iclei-kaohsiung@iclei.org iclei-korea@iclei.org





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Ministry of Energy, Science, Technology, Environment & Climate Change (MESTECC)	Malaysia	YB YEO BEE YIN - Minister of Energy, Science, Technology, Environment and Climate Change	enquiry@mestecc.gov.my  yeobeeyin@mestecc.gov.my
Government of Catalonia, Ministry of Territory and Sustainability	Spain	Mireia Canellas Grifoll	https://www.interregeurope.eu/circe/ contacts/
Marshal's Office of Lower Silesia Voivodeship	Poland	Mrs. Justyna Lasak – Head of Innovation and Competitiveness Unit	https://www.interregeurope.eu/circe/contacts/
Province of Gelderland	Netherlands	Willem Huntink	https://www.interregeurope.eu/circe/ contacts/
Sofia Municipality	Bulgaria	Emiliya Zheleva – Director of European Programmes and Projects Directorate	https://www.interregeurope.eu/circe/contacts/
Umweltbundesamt – Environment Agency <a href="https://www.umweltbundesamt.at/en/">https://www.umweltbundesamt.at/en/</a>	Austria	Christoph Lampert	Christoph.lampert@umweltbundesamt. at
Federal Ministry for Sustainability and Tourism - https://www.bmnt.gv.at/english/environment/Sustainabledeve/Taking-the-environment-into-account.html	Austria		service@bmnt.gv.at





(indicators website also available: <a href="https://www.umweltgesamtrechnung.at/ms/ugr/en/ugr indicators/">https://www.umweltgesamtrechnung.at/ms/ugr/en/ugr indicators/</a> )  OekoBusiness Wien was launched in 1998 by the Municipal Department for Environmental Protection on behalf of the Vienna City Administration.	Austria - Vienna	Thomas Hruschka, Bertram Häupler (Municipal Department 22 - Environmental Protection (MA 22) OekoBusiness Wien)	office@oekobusiness.wien.at
OVAM is a Flemish government service that ensures that we deal with waste, materials and soil in Flanders in a well-considered and environmentally conscious manner. We give direction to waste, materials and soil policy and in this way influence the implementation of legislation.	Belgium		https://www.ovam.be/contacteer-ons
Municipality of Capannori -The First Case of the Application of the 'Zero Waste Strategy' in Italy <a href="https://www.comune.capannori.lu.it/home/">https://www.comune.capannori.lu.it/home/</a>	Italy	Alessio Ciacci Town Councillor responsible for the Environment	a.ciacci@comune.capannori.lu.it
Croatian Business Council for Sustainable Development (HR BCSD) promotes sustainable development in the private sector and represents business on the issue of sustainable development. <a href="https://www.csreurope.org/croatian-business-council-sustainable-development">https://www.csreurope.org/croatian-business-council-sustainable-development</a>	Croatia	Mirjana Matesic, Director.	hrpsor@hrpsor.hr
The Ministry of Economic Development of Poland	Poland	Olga Rataj	Olga.Rataj@mr.gov.pl





Policy making and implementation. (Part of $R2\pi$ – $tRansition$ from linear 2 circular: Policy and Innovation is a three-year project within the environment theme of Horizon 2020 (H2020).)			
Scottish Government - Making Things Last: a circular economy strategy for Scotland	Scotland	https://www.gov.scot/publications/making-things-last-circular-economy-strategy-scotland/	william.hamilton@gov.scot
Department of Economic Development, Taipei City Government - Circular Taipei: Leading Taipei towards sustainable resource, environmental, economic, culture, and social development.	Taiwan	https://english.doed.g ov.taipei/News.aspx?n =5BF7C75C6F31E455 &sms=DFFA119D1F D5602C	
Ministry of Environment – supporting projects with the aim to strengthen the development and implementation of national policies on Sustainable Consumption and Production in Indonesia. <a href="https://www.switch-asia.eu/policy-support-component/psc-indonesia/">https://www.switch-asia.eu/policy-support-component/psc-indonesia/</a>	Indonesia	Mr. Edzard RUEHE, Team Leader	edzard.ruehe@amcconsult.com
Environment and Natural Resource Economic Section (SEASSA) of the Economic Planning Unit (EPU) - Seksyen Ekonomi Alam Sekitar dan Sumber Asli (SEASSA) supporting programme that aims at upscaling SCP best practices through strengthening the enabling policy environment (policy instruments mix)	Malaysia	Ms. Khairunnisa Othman	khairunnisa.othman@epu.gov.my





to address a change of behaviour and patterns in industry, of consumers, and in key economic sectors <a href="https://www.switch-asia.eu/policy-support-">https://www.switch-asia.eu/policy-support-</a>			
component/psc-malaysia/			
Department of Environment and Natural Resources	Philippines	Channa Gunawardena	channag@live.com
(DENR) supporting projects with: overall objective to		Team Leader	
promote sustainable development in the Philippines			
and specific objective to support the Philippine			
Government in implementing SCP related policies.			
https://www.switch-asia.eu/policy-support-			
component/psc-philippines/			
Office of the National Economic and Social	Thailand		http://www.nesdb.go.th/nesdb_en/m
Development Council – supporting with objective to			ain.php?filename=index
support the Thai government in selecting, adapting and			
implementing suitable economic and regulatory policy			
instruments to promote SCP, hereby enhancing the			
long-term sustainability of Thai consumption and			
production patterns. Also preparing the The National			
Economic and Social Development Plan.			
https://www.switch-asia.eu/policy-support-			
component/psc-thailand/			
ADENE - Energy Agency is the national energy	Portugal	LinkedIn: Vanessa	geral@adene.pt
agency, a private, non-profit and public utility		Lopes	
association whose mission is to develop activities of			
public interest in the area of energy, efficient use of			
water and energy. energy efficiency in mobility.			





## 10. Academic Institutions – newly added

AUTh (Aristotle University of Thessaloniki)	Greece	Kostopolou Styliani (Stella) – Prof. for Regional development and policy, member of the Economic Chamber of Greece, of the European Regional Science Association	kostos@econ.auth.gr
Ben Gurion University of the Negev Research and case-study design and expertise in sustainability research (Part of $R2\pi$ – $tRansition$ from linear 2 circular: Policy and Innovation is a three-year project within the environment theme of Horizon 2020 (H2020).)	Israel	Jeff Dodick	jeff.dodick@gmail.com

Aditional organisation that could be useful to approach is **Interreg**, but from what I understood we will have to *first* engaging with our local policymakers in order to identify options for collaboration with Interreg Europ.

