Stimulate demand for sustainable energy skills with circularity as a driver and multifunctional green use of roofs, façades and interior elements as focus.

Fact Sheet

Project Information

**BUS-GoCircular**
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**DOI**
10.3030/101033740

**Funded under**
SOCIETAL CHALLENGES - Secure, clean and efficient energy

**Total cost**
€ 999 893,75

**EU contribution**
€ 999 893,75

**Coordinated by**
STICHTING ISSO
Netherlands

**Start date**
1 September 2021

**End date**
29 February 2024

Project description

**Boosting the demand for green energy skilled workforce**

One of the EU’s goals is to stimulate demand for sustainable energy skills in the building sector, and increase the number of skilled building professionals across the building design, operation and maintenance value chain. The EU-funded BUS-GoCircular project aims to tackle the challenges associated with stimulating this demand, and through capacity building boost the number of capable professionals in the field. The project will develop and implement a circular construction skills qualification framework specifically focusing on multifunctional green roofs, facades
Specific activities concerning companies, real estate, homeowners and local authorities will be developed, including support towards legislative changes through circular green procurement and recognition of skills.

Objective

The overall aim of BUS-GoCircular is to address and overcome the challenges of the stimulation of demand for green energy skilled workforce, along with hands-on capacity building to increase the number of skilled workforce across the value chain. BUS-GoCircular will achieve this objective by developing and implementing a circular construction skills qualification framework with a focus on multifunctional green roofs, façades and interior elements. In addition, the project is strengthened by application of successful train-the-trainer methods and techniques for upskilling both demand and supply sides of the value chain involved. For stimulation of demand for sustainable energy skills, specific activities concerning companies, real estate, homeowners and local authorities will be developed, including support towards legislative changes through circular green procurement and recognition of skills.

Implementation will be carried out at country-specific and regional levels, based on a blend of measures to stimulate demand complemented with hands-on and practical upskilling of local and regional training capacity and workforce. In this way, broad engagement of SMEs will be ensured.

BUS-GoCircular is formed by a coalition of former BUILD UP Skills and Construction Skills projects strengthened by partners understanding the demand side. The partners believe that by working together, the national implementation plans and developed means will improve and become more attractive and effective. BUS-GoCircular is strengthened by several EU umbrella organisations and a diverse group of supporters to underpin the support base, to co-create when tackling the challenges and to communicate and disseminate successes and lessons learned.

Fields of science

- engineering and technology
- environmental engineering
- energy and fuels
- renewable energy

Programme(s)

- H2020-EU.3.3. - SOCIETAL CHALLENGES - Secure, clean and efficient energy
- H2020-EU.3.3.7. - Market uptake of energy innovation - building on Intelligent Energy Europe
- H2020-EU.3.3.1. - Reducing energy consumption and carbon footprint by smart and sustainable use
Topic(s)

LC-SC3-B4E-2-2020 - Stimulating demand for sustainable energy skills in the building sector

Call for proposal


See other projects for this call

Sub call

H2020-LC-SC3-EE-2020-2

Funding Scheme

CSA - Coordination and support action

Coordinator

STICHTING ISSO

Net EU contribution

€ 150 062,50

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Activity type

Research Organisations

Non-EU contribution

€ 0,00

Region

West-Nederland > Zuid-Holland > Groot-Rijnmond

Participants (13)

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CONSEIL DES ARCHITECTES D'EUROPE

Belgium

Net EU contribution

€ 83 937,50

SME Yes

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Activity type Other

Non-EU contribution € 0,00

Region

Arr. de Bruxelles-Capitale/Arr. Brussel-Hoofdstad > Région de Bruxelles-Capitale/Brussels Hoofdstedelijk Gewest

Website

Participation in EU R&I programmes

ICLEI EUROPEAN SECRETARIAT GMBH (ICLEI EUROPASEKRETARIAT GMBH)

Germany

Net EU contribution

€ 85 468,75

SME Yes

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Region

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