

## Session 2: Green Infrastructure & Climate Change

- 10:35 Landscape structure and water management - Sustainable community development and decision-making  
*Michal Kravčík, Rain for Climate (SK)*
- 10:55 Coffee & Tea
- 11:20 Spatial planning in Warsaw - Nature based solutions and improving quality of life and climate proofing  
*Agnieszka Kowalewska, Warsaw City Spatial Planning and Development Strategy Office (PL)*
- 11:40 Improving integrated management capacities - Mitigating risk and damage through application of the RAINMAN toolbox, GI benefits and nature-based solutions  
*Sabine Scharfe, Saxon State Office for Environment, Agriculture and Geology (DE)*

## Session 3: Green Infrastructure & Quality of Life

- 12:00 The German Federal Green Infrastructure Concept: Background, demands and first implementation projects  
*Florian Mayer, Federal Agency for Nature Conservation (DE)*
- 12:20 Managing Natura 2000 sites, stakeholder and land-owner engagement in the framework of the EU LIFE+ Programme - The example of the Great Bustard in Austria  
*Rainer Raab, Technical Office for Biology (AT)*
- 12:40 Environmental education and green infrastructure communication through successful stakeholder involvement  
*Dennis Klein, District of Zwickau/Nature Conservation Centre Gräfenmühle (DE)*

13:00 Lunch

## Session 4: Green Infrastructure & Planning

- 14:00 Practical implementation of green infrastructure - Lessons from Dresden: communicating, designing and implementing green infrastructure and its benefits  
*Christiane Eberts, Rehwaldt Landscape Architects (DE)*
- 14:20 Connecting people and the environment in

territorial management - Spatial and landscape planning tools and the green infrastructure framework

*Serena D'Ambrogi, Italian Institute for Environmental Protection and Research (IT)*

- 14:40 Green infrastructure planning in the United Kingdom - Past, present and future. Biodiversity off-setting and natural capital planning  
*Francis Hesketh, The Environment Partnership (UK)*
- 15:00 Green Infrastructure implementation, opportunities and bottlenecks - Experiences from the Czech Republic, Montenegro and Georgia  
*Michael Hošek, DH&P Conservation Ltd. (CZ)*

## Closing Plenary Session

- 15:20 How better integrate the concept of Green Infrastructure to European, national and regional policies & planning decisions?
- 16:00 End of Symposium



Background photo front and back side: Cultural landscape Obelisk near Lednice (CZ)/František Fabičovic



# MaGICLandscapes Final Conference & Green Infrastructure Symposium

## Programme



27<sup>th</sup> & 28<sup>th</sup> May 2020  
Technische Universität Dresden  
Festsaal Dülferstraße



## The Green Infrastructure Approach - Multiple benefits for landscape planning and management

Welcome to the MaGICLandscapes Final Conference and Green Infrastructure Symposium! Over the last three years 10 partners from across five central European countries have cooperated in this Interreg Central Europe project to develop tools for green infrastructure assessment in 9 case study areas.

At the project's Final Conference on 27<sup>th</sup> May 2020 the partners present the activities, outputs and tools developed within the project. Transnational and regional studies on the spatial analysis of green infrastructure in central Europe, its ecological functionality and its ecosystem services and potential are discussed. With reference to 9 case study areas the functionality of green infrastructure and its public benefits are demonstrated. In each case study area a green infrastructure strategy and action plan was developed to address local and regional needs and opportunities. In the afternoon there is also the opportunity to view the series of documentaries produced during the project. They reflect on the local people's awareness of and interaction with green infrastructure in the case study areas of the 5 partner countries.

On 28<sup>th</sup> May 2020 the International Symposium on Green Infrastructure takes place. Experts from science and practice from across Europe will meet to reflect and discuss green infrastructure and its services from a variety of perspectives. Speakers will also share their experience of the practical implementation of green infrastructure, addressing issues such as stakeholder involvement, policy implications and funding. The symposium aims to identify opportunities and challenges for a wider inter-sectoral recognition of the green infrastructure concept, its benefits and its adoption in policies and planning at the European, national and regional level.

Wednesday, 27<sup>th</sup> May 2020

## Interreg CE MaGICLandscapes Final Conference

- 09:00 Registration
- 09:30 Welcome Address  
*Elmar Csaplovics, TU Dresden*
- 09:45 MaGICLandscapes - Managing Green Infrastructure in Central European Landscapes  
*Christopher Marrs, TU Dresden*
- 10:00 Transnational Framework of Green Infrastructure Assessment  
*Henriette John & Marco Neubert, Leibniz Institute of Ecological Urban and Regional Development*
- 10:30 Coffee & Tea
- 11:00 Assessing the Functionality and Ecosystem Services of Green Infrastructure  
*Florian Danzinger, Stefan Fuchs & Thomas Wrбка, University of Vienna*
- 11:30 Strategies for Intervention at European, Regional and Local level  
*Simone Ciadamidaro, Maria Rita Minciardi & Gianluigi Rossi, Italian National Agency of New Technologies, Sustainable Economy and Economic Growth*
- 12:00 Lunch
- 13:30 Communicating the benefits of Green Infrastructure  
*Anke Hahn, TU Dresden*
- 13:45 Where and how best invest into Green Infrastructure? Presentation of case study area Green Infrastructure Strategies & Action Plans  
Kyjovsko (Czech Republic)  
*Hana Skokanová, Silva-Tarouca Research Institute for Landscape and Ornamental Gardening*  
Dübener Heide Nature Park (Germany)  
*Sven Riedl, The Saxony Foundation for Nature and Environment*  
Karkonosze National Park (Poland)  
*Dorota Wojnarowicz, Karkonosze National Park*  
Krkonosé National Park (Czech Republic)  
*Martin Erlebach, Krkonosé Mountains National Park*  
Tri-Border Area Czech Republic, Poland & Germany  
*Henriette John & Marco Neubert, Leibniz Institute for Ecological Urban and Regional Development*  
Eastern Waldviertel & Western Weinviertel (Austria)  
*Florian Danzinger, Stefan Fuchs & Thomas Wrбка, University of Vienna*

Thayatal National Park and surroundings (Austria)  
*David Freudl, Thayatal National Park*

Po Hills around Chieri (Italy)  
*Simonetta Alberico, Gabriele Bovo & Paola Vayr, Metropolitan City of Turin*

Upper Po Plain (Italy)  
*Simone Ciadamidaro, Maria Rita Minciardi & Gianluigi Rossi, Italian National Agency of New Technologies, Sustainable Economy and Economic Growth*

15:30 Round-up & Outlook

15:45 Coffee & Tea

16:00 Documentary Film Premiere (until appr. 17:30)  
*5 short documentaries reflecting on the local people's awareness of and interaction with green infrastructure in the case study areas*

Thursday, 28<sup>th</sup> May 2020

## International Green Infrastructure Symposium

08:30 Registration

09:00 Welcome Address  
*Elmar Csaplovics, TU Dresden*

### Session 1: Green Infrastructure & Ecosystem Services

- 09:15 Improving connectivity and increasing range and flow of ecosystem services through strategic and integrated approaches at European policy level  
*Christine Estreguil, European Commission JRC (BE)*
- 09:35 The role of stakeholders in the economic evaluation of green and blue infrastructure and ecosystem services for multi-scale planning  
*Maria Quarta, Piedmont Region (IT)*
- 09:55 Green infrastructure assessment and ecosystem services provision in central Europe: experiences from Interreg CE MaGICLandscapes  
*Christopher Marrs, TU Dresden*
- 10:15 Biotic and abiotic risks narrowing ecosystem services provided by riparian forests: assessment of the Mura-Drava-Danube Biosphere Reserve  
*Markus Sallmannshofer, Austrian Research and Training Centre for Forests, Natural Hazards and Landscape (AT)*