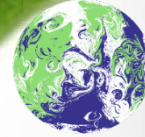




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Climate needs action part 2: webinar on Decarbonising Smart Cities: pathways towards net zero port and airport cities

9 March 2021, Tuesday, 9:00 – 15:30 UK time / 11:00 – 17:30h East Europe

Agenda

09:00 UK 11:00 East Europe	<p>Welcome and opening <i>Dr. Emilia Pecheva</i>, Science and Innovation Network, British Embassy <i>Sam Markey</i>, Connected Places Catapult, UK <i>Prof Dragos Ciuparu</i>, Secretary of State, Ministry of Research, Innovation and Digitalisation, Romania</p>
	<p>Session 1: Towards carbon neutral smart cities Moderator <i>Malcolm Harbour</i>, CBE, Connected Places Catapult</p>
09:20 UK 11:20 East Europe	<p>UK keynote talk: <i>Pathways to net zero urban mobility: challenges and opportunities</i> <i>Prof Peter Jones</i>, University College London</p>
09:30 UK 11:30 East Europe	<p>RO case study: <i>Cluj-Napoca pathway towards decarbonising mobility</i> <i>Prof Bogdan Varga</i>, Technical University of Cluj Napoca</p>
09:45 UK 11:45 East Europe	<p>BG case study: <i>Sustainable mobility for all</i> <i>Elitsa Panayotova</i>, Sofia Municipality</p>
10:00 UK 12:00 East Europe	<p>Panel discussion with contributions from the audience Moderator, <i>Richard Walker</i>, University of Leeds Participants: <i>David Leipziger</i>; <i>Ulysses Sengupta</i>; <i>Lucia Cristea</i>; <i>Cindy Regalado</i>; <i>Valentin Muresan</i>; <i>Violeta Mihalache</i>; <i>Desi Nikolova</i>; <i>Bratan Bratanov</i>;</p>
11.00 UK 13.00 East Europe	<p>Break</p>
	<p>Session 2: Towards carbon neutral port cities Moderator <i>Dr. Neil Ebenezer</i>, Climate Compatible Growth Programme, Loughborough University</p>
11.30 UK 13.30 East Europe	<p>UK keynote talk: <i>Decarbonisation of Freight through Collaboration Transport Planning: Liverpool-Humber Optimisation of Freight Transport.</i> <i>Prof. Amar Ramudhin</i>, Hull University</p>
11.40 UK 13.40 East Europe	<p>BG case study: <i>The Project Delivery Group model in decarbonisation of inland waterway and city transport in driving regional green agenda. The hydrogen project in Ruse</i> <i>Maria Tzankova</i>, Association of Danube River Municipalities “Danube”</p>
11:55 UK 13:55 East Europe	<p>RO case study: <i>Towards Green Ports: Tulcea case-study</i> <i>Prof Florin Nemtanu</i>, Politehnica University Bucharest & <i>Valentin Moldoveanu</i>, Flag Delta Dunarii</p>
12:10 UK 14:10 East Europe	<p>Panel discussion with contributions from the audience Moderator <i>Karla Jakeman</i>, Innovate UK</p>

	<i>Zaili Yang; Tom White; Alexander Burrows; Iulian Nichersu; Ekaterina Batchvarova; Asen Asenov; Valeriu Vilag; Diana Cursaru, Richard Cuerden</i>
13:10 UK 15:10 East Europe	Comfort Break
	Session 3: Towards carbon neutral airport cities <i>Moderator Julian Popov, European Climate Foundation</i>
13:20 UK 15:20 East Europe	UK keynote talk: <i>The future of aviation fuel</i> <i>Simon Blakey, University of Birmingham</i>
13:30 UK 15:30 East Europe	RO case study: Iasi city airport towards decarbonisation <i>Elena Farca & Claudia Vesel, Iasi Municipality & Iasi Airport</i>
13:45 UK 15:45 East Europe	UK case study: Carbon accreditation – Manchester Airport Group, <i>Chris Paling, Manchester Metropolitan University</i>
14:00 UK 16:00 East Europe	Panel discussion with contributions from the audience <i>Moderator Nick Jones, Transport SME</i> <i>Andrew Chadwick; Ionut Porumbel; Dan Micu; Kalin Kanev; Liana Cipcigan; Alice Gillman; Octavian Pleter; Fabio Galatioto; Ehsan Alborzi; Henrik Rothe</i>
15:00 UK 17:00 East Europe	Event conclusions and follow-up <i>Dr Delia Dimitriu, Connected Places Catapult</i>
15:15 UK 17:15 East Europe	Closure <i>Dr Emilia Pecheva, Science and Innovation Network, British Embassy</i>