



## *AlpPlan/PlanToConnect* Expert Platform

on Green Infrastructure, Ecological Connectivity and Spatial Planning

“Ecological connectivity and spatial planning: From concepts to implementation”

& general assembly of the AlpPlan network

*Transnational hybrid workshop (on-site and online participation)*

**Date:** Monday, 27 November 2023 – Tuesday, 28 November 2023

**Venue:** Urban Planning Institute of the Republic of Slovenia (UIRS), Trnovski pristan 2, SI-1000 Ljubljana, Slovenija

### Registration

**Registration** for the workshop is open until **Friday, 10 November 2023 for on-site participation**, and until **Friday, 23 November 2023 for online participation**. Please register by writing an e-mail to [AlpPlan@arl-net.de](mailto:AlpPlan@arl-net.de) and indicate in your e-mail, if you wish to participate on-site in Ljubljana or online. The online participation will be possible via Microsoft Teams.

### Travel and accommodation

For **appointed members of the AlpPlan network**, travel and hotel costs will be covered by ARL. We provide a free contingent of hotel rooms at *City Hotel Ljubljana* on 26 - 29 November 2023. If you want us to reserve a hotel room, please **inform us accordingly in your registration e-mail**. Travel costs for the journey to/from Ljubljana can be reimbursed after the event in accordance with the *Bundesreisekostengesetz* (German Travel Expenses Act).

Do you want become an *AlpPlan* member? Please get in touch with us via e-mail: [AlpPlan@arl-net.de](mailto:AlpPlan@arl-net.de)

We are looking forward to your participation!



## Agenda (as of 11/10/2023)

Monday, 27 November 2023

12:00	<i>Arrival and lunch</i>
13:00	<p><b>Welcome and introduction</b></p> <p>Univ. Prof. Dr. Hubert Job (Chair of <i>AlpPlan</i> – alpine spatial planning network)</p> <p>Prof. Dr. Andreas Klee (ARL – Academy for Territorial Development in the Leibniz Association)</p> <p>Sergeja Praper Gulič (Urban Planning Institute of the Republic of Slovenia, project manager of the <i>PlanToConnect</i> project)</p> <hr/> <p>Interactive getting to know of the participants</p>
13:45	<p><b>Introducing the <i>AlpPlan-PlanToConnect</i> Expert Platform</b></p> <p>Mission &amp; objective, timeline &amp; products</p>
14:15	<p><b>Keynote presentations and discussion</b></p> <p>Blanka Bartol (Republic of Slovenia, Ministry of Natural Resources and Spatial Planning, Directorate for Spatial Planning and Construction)</p> <p><i>Presentation title pending</i></p> <p>PhD Nadja Penko Seidl (University of Ljubljana, Department of Landscape Architecture, Chair of Landscape Planning and Design)</p> <p>“Closing the gap(s): introducing model animal species concept into ecological connectivity planning”</p>
16:00	<i>Coffee break</i>
16:30	<p><b>Workshop session 1: Alpine Green Infrastructure – concepts, modelling and scales</b></p> <p><b>Input:</b> Peter Laner (Eurac Research, Institute for Regional Development)</p> <p>“From transnational models to regional concepts – considering the role of GIS-based mapping of connectivity areas”</p>



	<p><b>Input:</b> Quentin Drouet (Savoie Mont Blanc University)</p> <p>“Multi-level coordination of safeguarding ecological corridors – an example from spatial planning in the French Alps”</p> <p><b>Moderation:</b> Constantin Meyer (ARL – Academy for Territorial Development in the Leibniz Association)</p>
18:00	<i>End of the official programme</i>
19:30	<i>Common dinner in the city centre of Ljubljana</i>

Tuesday, 28 November 2023

08:15	<i>Welcome and coffee</i>
08:30	<p><b>Workshop session 2: Advancing alpine spatial planning with an integrated nature protection approach</b></p> <p><b>Input:</b> Dr. Guido Plassmann (ALPARC - The Alpine Network of Protected Areas)</p> <p>“Alpine Nature protection planning – how to achieve the 30x30 goal?”</p> <p><b>Input:</b> Matevž Premelč (ZaVita d.o.o., Ljubljana) &amp; Rok Černe (Slovenian Forest Service)</p> <p>“Green Infrastructure challenges and approaches for maintaining ecological connectivity in Slovenia”</p> <p><b>Moderation:</b> Claudio Chiapparini (Regione del Veneto)</p>
10:00	<i>Coffee break</i>
10:30	<p><b>Presentation and discussion of project ideas and proposals</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Marcello Modica, PhD (University of Udine): “Peri-alpine non-metropolitan regions as testbed for resilient spatial planning in mountain-lowland transition areas” (Interreg Alpine Space)</li> <li>Other project ideas or applications (based on initiatives of AlpPlan members)</li> </ul>



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11:15	<p><b>AlpPlan network: general assembly</b></p> <p>– <i>also guests are welcome to join the assembly!</i></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1) Approval of the agenda and the minutes of the last general assembly</li><li>2) Announcements: commemoration, new members, etc.</li><li>3) Overview of the activities since the last assembly</li><li>4) Report from the AlpPlan Summer Course 2023 in Avignon (FR)</li><li>5) Report on the new ARL cross-border working group in the Northern Limestone Alps (DE-AT-CH-LIE)</li><li>6) Report from the ARL Headquarter</li><li>7) Updating of the AlpPlan “Strategic Framework” Document</li><li>8) Discussion on upcoming network activities and priorities</li><li>9) Other issues (on request of members)</li></ol>
13:00	<p><i>Departure and lunch (optional)</i></p>

Afterwards: *PlanToConnect* internal partner meeting

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