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# **TAIEX TRATOLOW**

## **Domestic workshop on Reporting Requirements and Capacity Building along the Adaptation Policy Cycle**

**organised in co-operation with**

Transition towards Low Emissions and Climate Resilient Economy in the Western Balkans and Turkey (TRATOLOW)

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## Aim of the Workshop:

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The main objective of the workshop is support efforts to increase domestic climate change resilience through adaptation planning and actions. The workshop aims at raising the awareness for the need for adaptation and provide a platform for exchanging experience and taking stock of recent developments on, and potential for future deployment of climate change adaptation policy.

The domestic event will provide an informal discussion space to further progress towards developing a National Adaptation Plan (NAP) as well as promote the Climate-ADAPT AST use, e.g. for: strategic policy process, awareness raising, planning, development of guidelines, etc. At the same time, the workshop intends to highlight and discuss how the AST can be used tailored to the real needs of users.

The last main objective of the domestic Workshop is to inform about reporting requirements on adaptation. How this reporting is linked to adaptation policy development along the Adaption policy cycle, using the Adaptation Support Tool.

Finally, latest information on the developments of the NAP project proposal development will also be shared with all participants.

## EU MS Speakers:

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- Mr. Thomas **Abeling**, German Federal Environment Agency
- Ms. Åsa **Sjöström**, Swedish Hydrometeorology Institute
- Mr. Francisco **Heras Hernández**, Ministry for the Ecological Transition and the Demographic Challenge, Spain

## Other Speakers:

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- Mr. Markus **Leitner**, TRATOLOW Expert
- Ms. Angelika **Tamasova**, European Environment Agency
- Ms. Pavla **Vidanova**, European Commission, DG CLIMA
- Ms. Ana **Repac**, Ministry of Environmental Protection, Serbia

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## DAY 1: Tue 22<sup>nd</sup> March 2022

Chairs: Mr. Markus **Leitner**, TRATOLOW expert

09:00 – 09:30	Arrival of Participants Short technical introduction to the webinar platform
09:30 – 09:45	Welcome, opening remarks and workshop objectives Mr. Markus <b>Leitner</b>
09:45 – 10:00	Welcome on behalf of DG CLIMA Ms. Stine <b>Rasmussen</b> / Ms. Violeta <b>Philippitsch</b>
10:00– 10:30	<i>European overview</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Overview of National Adaptation Strategies and Adaptation Plans in Europe and main elements from the EU Adaptation Strategy</li> </ul> Ms. Pavla <b>Vidanova</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Adaptation Support Tool – support to NAS and NAP development</li> </ul> Mr. Markus <b>Leitner</b>
10:30-11:20	Experience from EU Member States in developing and implementing NAS/NAP including relevant framing conditions <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Experience in developing and implementing NAS/NAP including relevant framing conditions from Germany</li> </ul> Mr. Thomas <b>Abeling</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Experience in developing and implementing NAS/NAP including relevant framing conditions from Spain</li> </ul> Mr. Francisco <b>Heras Hernández</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Experience in developing and implementing NAS/NAP/SAP including relevant framing conditions from Sweden</li> </ul> Ms. Åsa <b>Sjöström</b> Q&A
11:20 -11:40	<i>Comfort Break</i>
11:40 – 12:45	Reporting Requirements for EU Member States <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Main requirements of the Energy Union Governance Regulation, Implementing Regulation, Article 4 Information on national adaptation actions (National climate change adaptation planning and strategies).</li> <li>• Reported Information from EEA Member Countries and conclusion of experiences along the Climate-ADAPT country pages and the Adaptation Support Tool</li> </ul> Ms. Angelika <b>Tamasova</b> (EEA Adaptation Expert) and Mr. Markus <b>Leitner</b> (TRATOLOW Adaptation Working Group leader & national reporter for Austria, EAA) Q&A
12:45 – 13:45	<i>Lunch Break</i>
13:45 – 14:15	<i>Activities in Serbia regarding NAP preparation</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Overview of the national adaptation policies</li> </ul> Ms. Ana <b>Repac</b>

	Q&A
14:15 – 15:15	<p>Interactive group discussion</p> <p>The project team together with the previous speakers will collect and compile experiences from participants which can support the before presented reporting requirements as well as further support progressing on the National Adaptation Plan. This might create a positive environment to strengthen efforts towards progressing the Nap and strengtehn reporting and is, based on the following guiding questions:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• What is already available to be used for reporting?</li> <li>• Who can contribute to which part of this reporting?</li> <li>• What is still missing in order to fully report the requested information?</li> </ul>
15:15 – 15:30	<p>Summary and closing of the Workshop</p> <p><i>Feedback from Participants and Closing remarks</i></p> <p>Mr. Markus <b>Leitner</b></p>

## More information

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