



EmBuild Final Conference

Energy efficient buildings. Plan. Invest. Renovate!

7th June 2018

Belgrade City Hall, Dragoslava Jovanovića 2, 11000 Belgrad, Serbia

Goal of the EmBuild final conference

Residential, commercial and industrial buildings are the largest energy consumers in the European Union. Without massive progress in reducing the energy use of our buildings, achieving the EU energy and climate goals is elusive. The EU required its Member States to draft a national renovation strategy for the building sector. The public sector should spearhead the effort of promoting deep renovation and renovate its public building stock every year, including renovation of at least 3% of the total floor area of buildings owned and occupied by central governments.

National renovation strategies are necessary and useful, but their impact can be strengthened through planned action at local level. After all, most public buildings are under the jurisdiction of regional and local administrative levels. It is the combined action of Europe's cities, towns and communes that can really make a change.

EmBuild was designed to increase the capacity of local level actors and develop simple tools that facilitate the design and implementation of local renovation plans. This conference marks the moment when the results of the project can be brought to the attention of a broader audience and trigger action beyond the focus of the 100 municipalities of EmBuild. The conference will show best practices in building renovation and development of local plans, highlighting aspects that may stimulate similar actions by others and presenting tools that can facilitate the formulation of these plans.

Draft agenda

9:00 Registration

9.30 Welcome and Introduction

Ivanka Popović (Rector, University of Belgrade)

City of Belgrade (tbc)

Ministry of Construction, Transport and Infrastructure (tbc)

Ministry of Mining and Energy (tbc)

Stephan Heieck (GIZ)





10:00 Topic 1: Setting the scene – the importance of renovation strategies for the building sector

Moderator: Ms. Violeta Kogalniceanu (Energy Community Secretariat)

EU Directives on renovation of buildings and its importance for achieving EU energy and climate goals - **(tbc)**

Obligations of Energy Community Contracting Parties as non-EU states - **Claudia Canevari (DG Energy, European Commission)**

A story from EmBuild mayor **(Nebojša Zelenović, City of Šabac)**

Dimension of the challenge – **Maarten De Groot (BPIE)**

11.00 *Coffee break*

11.20 Topic 2: Planning locally

Moderator: Dušan Ignjatović, University of Belgrade

Panel discussion:

Klaus Häger (Walternhofen, Germany)

Todor Popov (Gabrovo Municipality, Bulgaria) (tbc)

Bojan Kontič (Municipality of Velenje, Slovenia)

Žarko Latković (City of Karlovac, Croatia)

Petronela-Cătălina STURZ (Mizil Municipality, Romania)

Nevena Vojinović (Sopot Municipality, Serbia)

13.00 *Lunch*

14.30 Topic 3: Investing effectively

Moderator: Dimitar Doukov, Bulgarian Energy Efficiency and Renewable Resources Fund

Facilitated dialogue between:

Dragan Obrenovic (International Finance Corporation, World Bank Group)

Ana Bachurova (EBRD) (tbc)

Arne Gooss (KfW Office Belgrade)

Robert Ostreljč (Petrol - Department of Energy Solutions)

Tamara Lišnjić-Lang (REGEA)





15.30 Topic 4: Capturing the wider benefits

Moderator: Dragomir Tzanev, EnEffect (tbc)

Assessing market barriers for low-carbon innovation in the built environment - **Clara Camarasa (Chalmers University, Gothenburg)**

Focusing on how to present energy efficiency and wider benefits to the public - **Rodolphe Nicolle (Buildings2030)**

Focusing on the macroeconomic benefits of Deep renovation in municipalities in Serbia - **Nenad Stanisic (University of Kragujevac)**

Focusing on EmBuild methodologies on quantification and assessment of wider benefits of deep renovation processes – **Sebastian Botzler (Technische Universität München, TUM)**

16.30 Final chord – **Key messages and final outputs - Frank Mischler (GIZ)**

17.00 Closing Cocktail

Please register online to attend the conference: <http://embuild.eu/> Registrations closes on 5th of June

