11 November 2022 | Carinthia University of Applied Sciences Europastraße 4, 9524 Villach, Audimax

THE FUTURE OF LIVING TOGETHER IN RURAL AREAS

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08:00 - 09:00	Registration
09:00 - 09:30	Welcome and greetings Hermine Bauer, interim. Head of the School of Management, Carinthia University of Applied Sciences / Gerda Sandriesser, Deputy Mayor and Councillor for Integration, City of Villach / Marika Gruber, Carinthia University of Applied Sciences
09:30 - 10:00	Current trends in population development and consequences for rural regions in Austria and Europe
	Anne Goujon, Austrian Academy of Sciences
10:00 - 10:30	All those who are here are from here? Paradoxes of integration and their consequences for rural areas Judith Kohlenberger, Vienna University for Economics and Business
10:30 - 11:00	Coffee break
11:00 -12:30	Social and economic integration processes in Carinthia and Vorarlberg
	Overview of migration-related developments in Carinthia and Vorarlberg Birgit Aigner-Walder, Carinthia University of Applied Sciences
	Results from the Austrian case study regions Marika Gruber & Jessica Pöcher Carinthia University of Applied Sciences Ingrid Machold, Federal Institute of Agricultural Economics, Rural & Mountain Research
12:30 - 13:30	Lunch break
13:30 - 14:00	Challenges of labour market integration and social coexistence - discussion and commentary on the case study results Gudrun Biffl, University for Continuing Education Krems
14:00 - 15:30	Views from beyond on the Austrian case study results Stefan Kordel, Friedrich-Alexander-Universität Erlangen-Nürnberg Raúl Lardiés-Bosque, University of Zaragoza
	Panel discussion: Coexistence in rural areas - what does it take and how can this be achieved? Eugen Hartmann, Chairman of REGIO Klostertal-Arlberg / Gerda Sandriesser, Deputy Mayor and Councillor for Integration, City of Villach / Eva Grabherr, Managing director of okay. zusammen leben – Projektstelle für Zuwanderung und Integration / Mandana Poureh, Integration Officer, Carinthian Provincial Government

Moderation: Kathrin Stainer-Hämmerle, Carinthia University of Applied Sciences



Migration ImpAct assessment To Enhance Integration and Local Development in European rural and mountain regions

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CONFERENCE REGISTRATION

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MIGRATION AND REGIONAL DEVELOPMENT:

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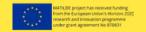
on the EU-Project Matilde (Migration Impact Assessment to Enhance Integration and Local Development In European Rural And Mountain Areas) in the Congress Center Villach and the Carinthia University of Applied Sciences

The conference will be held in German and English with simultaneous translation.









PROGRAM

10 November 2022 | Congress Center Villach Europaplatz 1, 9500 Villach

INCLUSIVE AND ENGAGING RURAL AND MOUNTAINOUS AREAS

08:00 - 09:00 **Registration**

09:00 - 09:30 Welcome and greetings

Günther Albel, Mayor of the City of Villach Claudia Pacher, Member of the University Board and Head of FH Kärnten Research, Carinthia University of Applied Sciences Jussi Laine, University of Eastern Finland & Marika Gruber, Carinthia University of Applied Sciences

09:30 – 09:45 Introduction to MATILDE

Jussi Laine, MATILDE Project Coordinator, University of Eastern Finland

09:45 - 12:00 Place matters: Diversity of migration processes

Stefan Kordel, Friedrich-Alexander-Universität Erlangen-Nürnberg

Local transformations through migration – Spotlight on selected MATILDE case studies

Chair: Jussi Laine, University of Eastern Finland

Michele Bianchi, University of Parma / Monica Gilli, University of Torino / Ayhan Kaya, Istanbul Bilgi University / Anna Krasteva, New Bulgarian University & CERMES / Raúl Lardiés-Bosque, University of Zaragoza/ Per Olav Lund, Inland Nor way University of Applied Sciences / Ingrid Machold, Federal Institute of Agricultural Economics, Rural and Mountain Research / Tobias Weidinger, Friedrich-Alexander - Universität Erlangen-Nürnberg

Panel Discussion: Challenges, changes and chances of and through migration

Carolina Adler, Mountain Research Initiative & MATILDE Scientific Advisory
Board / Blandine Camus, Euromontana / Claire Charbit, Organisation for Economic
Co-operation and Development and (OECD) & MATILDE Scientific Advisory Board /
Susanne Felzmann, Alliance in the Alps / Danielle Gluns, Migration Policy Research
and Transfer Centre, University of Hildesheim / Enrique Nieto, European Network for
Rural Development (ENRD) / Jimmy Nzally, Free University Brussels

Moderation: Avhan Kava, Istanbul Bilgi University

12:00 - 13:00 Lunch

13:00 - 14:30 Social and economic challenges and chances of migration to rural areas

Rural framework conditions for social and economic inclusion of migrants

Simone Baglioni, University of Parma

MATILDE findings on social and economic impacts

Jussi Laine, University of Eastern Finland / Maria Luisa Caputo, University of Parma/ Birgit Aigner-Walder, Carinthia University of Applied Sciences / Rahel M. Schomaker, Carinthia University of Applied Sciences

Comments by:

Birte Nienaber, University of Luxembourg and MATILDE Scientific Advisory Board Annelies Zoomers, Utrecht University and MATILDE Scientific Advisory Board

14:30 - 15:15 **MATILDE Policy Recommendations**

Chair: Jussi Laine, University of Eastern Finland

Marika Gruber & Kathrin Zupan, Carinthia University of Applied Sciences

Comments by

Paola Alvarez, International Organization for Migration – IOM / Matyas Szabó, European Commission, DG Agriculture & Rural Development, Social sustainability

15:15 - 15:40 **Coffee break**

15:40 - 16:30 Interculturality in practice: Examples and findings of activating research

Alliance in the Alps, Carinthia International Center / CARITAS Bolzano, CARITAS Bulgaria & CERMES / City of Villach, Convention of Scottish Local Authorities – COSLA, Diakonie de La Tour / Europahaus Klagenfurt / Institute for Applied Research on Ageing IARA / JoMoni, Okay. Zusammen leben /PIVA – Project Group Integration of Foreigners / Support to Life / Tür an Tür / VIA Bavaria – Association for Intercultural Work & NIKO – Network Intercultural Opening of Municipalities in Bavaria

16:30 - 17:30 Policy roundtable: How can we achieve an inclusive Europe with inclusive and activating rural regions?

Paola Alvarez, International Organization for Migration – IOM / Lorraine Cook, COSLA/ Marika Gruber, Carinthia University of Applied Sciences / Anna Krasteva, New Bulgarian University / Jaana Nevalainen, Finnish Ministry of the Environment / Jakob Ruster, Association for Intercultural Work - VIA Bavaria & NIKO - Network Intercultural Opening of Municipalities in Bavaria / Matyas Szabó, European Commission, DG Agriculture & Rural Development, Social sustainability

Moderation: Jussi Laine, University of Eastern Finland

17:30 Evening reception of the City of Villach

Günther Albel, Mayor of the City of Villach

Conference moderation: Eithne Knappitsch, Carinthia University of Applied Sciences