





## **WORKSHOP INVITATION**

## "Building small-medium Local Authorities' capacity to implement urban freight transport measures"

## 28 February 2019

Venue: Palazzo di Città (the City hall), Piazza Palazzo di Città 1, Sala Capigruppo, Turin

Invited cities: Turin (Italy), Rome (Italy), Alba Julia (Romania), Stuttgart (Germany)

**Participants:** Key staff from transport planning / strategical urban planning / urban development / procurement departments

The workshop forms an integral part of the SUITS Capacity Building Toolkit of the Horizon2020 project "Supporting Urban Integrated Transport Systems: Transferable tools for authorities - SUITS". It serves the broad objective of building the capacity of small-medium cities' Local Authorities to implement and monitor the implementation of SUMP measures. The course is designed to build, or strengthen, the capacity of small-medium cities' Local Authorities to facing current challenges when implementing *urban freight transport measures*. Indicatively, the topics, on which the course will focus, are: a) the value of these schemes for small-medium cities, b) the identification of actors and stakeholders involved, c) the financing sources & innovative procurement, d) the available tools and guidelines regarding these schemes etc.

It will also have an insight into different concerns and challenges that staff is facing when set up targets and facing changes. Through the workshop process local action learning sets will be established that will support the transport measures. Working with each LA following these workshops, we will identify cross-LA communities of practice learning sets that will offer deep and rich shared learning across the project. Both of these local and







cross-LA learning set will provide both mutual support, and data gathering to enable better testing and evaluation of ideas and identification of the most effective novel ideas.

In this framework, you are kindly invited to contribute to the evaluation of this course by participating in this pilot session. Your feedback will be appreciated since it will help us identify course draw-backs, both in terms of content and teaching processes / distributed material. In the same time, you will be able to get advantage of being the first attendants, receiving all the available material and claiming digital badges for your participation.

## **WORKSHOP AGENDA**

	Chapter	Course flow	Duration
9:00-9:15		Registration	30min
9:15-9:30	Introduction	a. Brief introduction of the trainers; module's purpose and sections etc.	15min
9:30-10:00	Urban freight transport (UFT) measures and their value for S-M cities	a. Identification of current problems in urban logistics and the consequences in the ecosystem of urban mobility.  b. Brief introduction of the concept and purpose of urban freight transport (UFT) measures (regulatory measures and innovative urban freight transport solutions) for S-M cities.  c. Addressing innovative solutions in the local context to identified problems. Reference to UFT measures' benefits.  d. Discussion on whether strategic cities goals are connected to urban freight transport measures currently in place.	30min







	business models	b. Presentation of links, webinars, e-learnings, guidelines for further enhancing the participants' knowledge.	
	procurement and	opportunities and options in their own case.	
	financing,	or innovative methods of funding and procurement	
10:40-11:10	Innovative	a. Discussion on how to get aware and make use of existing	30min
10:30-10:40		Break	10min
		M cities.	
		efficiency of the urban freight transport system in other S-	
		in order to implement measures that enhance the	
		mechanisms and procurement processes were employed	
		study examples where conventional or innovative funding	
		campaigns, infrastructure) will be covered, (i) focus on case	
		encourage introduction of such measures (e.g. services,	
		the LA's supportive actions that have been taken to	
		stakeholders/actors that had to cooperate, (h) what were	
		(indicators' change, certain figures)?, (g) who were the	
		were benefited and how?, (f) what were the benefits	
		technologies for operating them?, (e) which social groups	
		of influence etc.)?, (d) what are the components/	
	topics	implementation/operation (e.g. number of modes, range	
	cities on such	public initiatives?, (c) what are the area of	
	practices of SUITS	cities operate the measure, (b) are they private or/and	
	studies or Best	measures. For each one of them, aspects such as: (a) how	
10:00-10:30	Successful Case	Presentation of case studies relevant to mentioned	30min
		measures with overall cities' strategy.	
		e. Presentation of EU that link urban freight transport	







11:10-11:45	Process,	a. Working on selected UFT measures participants will be	35min
	stakeholders and	asked to identify implementation aspects for their city case	
	technical aspects	such as: (a) benefits (Economic, Social, Environmental), (b)	
		beneficiaries, (c) budget drivers, (d) potentially legal	
		barriers, (e) private/public stakeholders/departments need	
		to cooperate with, (f) supportive LA actions to encourage	
		the introduction/implementation of the	
		measure/campaign and (g) funding (if applicable to select	
		between public or private sponsorship).	
		b. Discussion on the results of the activity.	
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11:45-12:00	Available tools and	Presentation of the available EC research guidelines, results	15min
	guidelines	and tools, and demonstration of some of them online -	
		explaining their added value.	
12:00-12:30	Targets of the	The targets will be presented, and it will be shown to the	30 min
	behavioral change	city partners – where we are in the process to build	
	part of the	capacity from the behavioral side	
	workshop and its	Insight into different concerns and challenges for	
	process	these distinct groups (based on task 6.3	
		deliverable),	
		2. Developing local action learning sets to support	
		introduction and utilization of the new transport	
		measures,	
		3. Identifying cross-LA communities of practice	
		learning sets.	
12:30-13:20		Lunch	
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13:20-15:00	Final change vision	Formulate the change vision for each city based on the	
	based on identified	deliverable of task 6.3 – clear challenges and targets for the	
	challenges and	cities are the fundament for this.	
	targets		
	Turin	Presentation of change vision and discussion (learning	25 min
		sets); Presentation by the city or by the academic city	
		partner.	
	Rome	Presentation of change vision and discussion (learning	25 min
		sets); Presentation by the city or by the academic city	
		partner.	
	Alba Julia	Presentation of change vision and discussion (learning	25 min
		sets); Presentation by the city or by the academic city	
		partner.	
	Stuttgart	Presentation of change vision and discussion (learning	25 min
		sets); Presentation by the city or by the academic city	
		partner.	
15:00-15:10		Break	10 min
15:10-16:30	Best practice	Show the different challenges the cities selected as	
	example discussion	important for them and discuss best practice examples of	
	and learnings	other cities in groups to develop learning sets to support	
		introduction and utilization of the new transport measures.	
		For each best practice example we explain (a) how the city	
		operates, (b) whether they are a private or/and a public	
		initiative, (c) their size (e.g. area, number of vehicles etc.),	
		(d) the components/ technologies for operating them, (e)	
		which social groups were benefited and how, (f) the	







		benefits (indicators' change, certain figures), (g) the	
		PT/cycling/walking modes were integrated.	
	Turin	Challenge e.g. Citizen participation – Examples are	20 min
		presented and options for the Turin are discussed in	
		learning sets	
	Rome	Challenge e.g. Citizen participation – Examples are	20 min
		presented and options for Rome are discussed in learning	
		sets	
	Alba Julia	Challenge e.g. Citizen participation – Examples are	20 min
		presented and options for Alba Julia are discussed in	
		learning sets	
	Stuttgart	Challenge e.g. Citizen participation – Examples are	20 min
		presented and options for Stuttgart are discussed in	
		learning sets	
16:30-16:55	Final discussion	Wrap up of the day and improvements for the future (a)	25min
		online forum, (b) newsletter, (c) phone conferences, and	
		(d) integration of the academic partner of each city	
16:55-17:00	Instructions to fill	Instruction for online evaluation of the workshop (course	5min
	in evaluation forms	flow, material, topic, facilitator's performance etc.)	