



Innovative financing for energy retrofits in Italy CITYnvest workshop

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Location: Milan, San Maurilio 21, sede Assimpredil ANCE

The potential for energy efficiency retrofits is high in Italy and local authorities have a crucial role to play. However, financing these retrofit projects is often a hurdle which seems difficult to overcome. Even though a number of promising examples using innovative financing mechanisms exist in Italy and elsewhere in Europe, they have not been applied on a large scale throughout the country.

Therefore, building capacities and knowledge of municipalities on innovative financing models play a crucial role in triggering large scale renovations.

The workshop aims at:

1. Raising awareness and deepening knowledge of existing innovative financing instruments and inspiring case studies from other European countries
2. Exploring Italian best practices and discussing concretely how these innovative financing instruments could be applied in the participating local authorities
3. Identifying recurrent barriers for innovative financing instruments in energy efficiency retrofitting and finding ways to overcome them
4. Encouraging partnership-building between different stakeholders and levels of government

The event is mainly addressed at Italian local authorities, financial institutions, investors, ESCOs, energy agencies and policy makers from the local and regional level as well as relevant institutions.

Draft agenda

Moderator: Karl-Ludwig Schibel, Climate Alliance Italy

9:00 – 9:30	Registration
9:30 – 9:40	Welcome
	Roberto Mangiavacchi, Assimpredil Ance Cecilia Hugony, Renovate Italy
9:40 – 9:50	Introduction
	Giulio Guerzoni, Deputy Mayor, Modena, Board member of Climate Alliance
9:50 – 10:20	Keynote -How to kick-off energy efficiency programs via innovative financing solutions – lessons learned from CITYnvest
	Miguel Casas, Energinvest (BE)
10:20 – 11:20	Presentations of inspiring examples
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Facilitating territorial energy services markets Christoph Thomsen, KEA, Climate Protection and Energy Agency of Baden-Württemberg (DE) Supporting municipalities through the bundling of projects and joint calls for tenders Piergabriele Andreoli, Agency for Energy and Sustainable Development of Modena Creating a revolving fund for energy efficiency with ERDF funding Ton Overmeire, City of The Hague (NL)
11:20 – 11:30	Presentations of roundtables
11:30 – 11:50	Coffee break
11:50 – 13:20	Roundtable discussions

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Financing energy efficiency in public buildings <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Coordination: Maria Berrini, AMAT ○ Agnese Presotto, City of Udine ○ Piergabriele Andreoli, Agency for Energy and Sustainable Development of Modena • Facilitating energy efficiency renovations of private buildings <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Coordination: Francesco Madonna, Ricerca sul Sistema Energetico ○ Anna Maria Desiderà, Rödl & Partner ○ Enzo Bertolotti, City of Parma ○ Daniela Luise, City of Padova • Territorial energy services markets <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Coordination: Elodie Bossio, Covenant of Mayors Office ○ Christoph Thomsen, KEA, Climate Protection and Energy Agency of Baden-Württemberg (DE) ○ Federico Gargiulo, Environment Park, Torino • Innovative financing strategies for energy efficiency renovation from a financial institutions point of view <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Coordination: Paolo Foà, Unicredit ○ Federico Beffa, Fondazione Cariplo ○ Mauro Conti, Bit spa ○ Ton Overmeire, City of The Hague ○ Davide Vacher, Mansutti Assicurazioni
13:20 – 14:20	Networking lunch
14:20 – 14:40	Feedback from the roundtables
14:40-16:10	Panel discussion How to tap the potential of innovative financing in Italy and move towards wide-scale implementation?
	Chair: Sergio Zobot, Politecnico di Milano <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Virginio Trivella, Renovate Italy • Mauro Conti, Bit spa • Silvano Bonelli, Munich RE • Maria Berrini, AMAT • Dino De Simone, Infrastrutture Lombarde • Damiano di Simine, Legambiente • Massimiliano Ambrosecchia, Regione Lombardia

16:10 –
16:30

Closing

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