



# Financing Energy Renovation of buildings in Italy, Croatia and Slovenia

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**Organised by the European Commission in partnership with the Italian Ministry of Economic Development, the Italian National Agency for New Technologies, Energy and Sustainable Economic Development (ENEA), the Italian Banking Association (ABI) and the UN Environment Finance Initiative (UNEP FI).**

**Background:** The Energy Union Framework Strategy puts energy efficiency as one of its five dimensions and states it is to be treated as an energy source in its own right. The ambitious Paris climate agreement also underlines the importance of energy efficiency. Investments in energy efficiency have proven to be one of the most cost-effective ways to support the transition to a low-carbon economy. Not only does it help the EU in turning its climate ambition into climate action, it also brings a number of significant benefits for European citizens and companies in terms of environment, health, security of supply, lower energy bills, more jobs and sustainable growth.

To realise the full potential of energy efficiency, public funds will not suffice and private financing will have to be unlocked at scale. In that context, energy policy should create more favourable investment conditions, encourage demand for energy efficiency and help consumers undertake energy efficiency investments more easily.

This event aims to share best practice on how energy renovation of buildings can be financed with focus on Italy, Croatia and Slovenia, in particular through the use of private funds and innovative financing instruments. Speakers will focus on practical experience in developing and structuring investment programmes and the event will allow time for debate.

During the event presentations will be presented and interpreted in Italian and English.

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## AGENDA

**8:30 Registration and welcome coffee/tea**

**9:00 Welcome**

*Guido Rosa – Vice President ABI and President of Associazione Italiana delle Banche Estere*

*Mauro Mallone – Head of Energy Efficiency unit, Ministry of Economic Development*

*Ilaria Bertini – Deputy Director of the Italian National Energy Efficiency Agency of ENEA*

**9:40 Plenary session 1: European and national policy contexts**

*Moderated by Dario Di Santo – Managing Director, FIRE*

**EU policy initiatives to support finance for energy renovation of buildings**

*Claudia Canevari – Deputy Head of Unit for Efficiency, DG Energy, European Commission*

**Mobilising the financial sector on energy efficiency**

*Martin Schoenberg – Energy Efficiency Project Coordinator, UN Environment Finance Initiative*

**Support available from the European Investment Bank**

*Berna Topaloğlu – Senior Energy Engineer, European Investment Bank*

**Questions and answers**

**Strategy for financing energy renovation of buildings in Italy, Croatia and Slovenia**

*Mauro Mallone – Energy Efficiency unit, Ministry of Economic Development*

*Irena Križ Šelendić – Head of Sector for energy efficiency in buildings, Ministry of Construction and Physical Planning of Croatia*

*Erik Potočar – Slovenian government (tbc)*

**Questions and answers**

**10:30 Energy renovation of military buildings**

*General Noto – Ministry of Defence of Italy*

**10:40 Coffee break**

**11:00 Parallel sessions 1**

**1A. Making energy efficiency attractive for the financial sector**

*Moderated by Romano Stasi – Secretary General, AbiLab*

**Investor Confidence Project**

*Antonio Ciccarelli – CEO, Servizi Energia Ambiente*

**The Underwriting Toolkit of the Energy Efficiency Financial Institutions Group (EEFIG)**

*Mariangiola Fabbri – Senior Project Manager, Building Performance Institute Europe*

**Evidence of green value in the property market**

*Silvia Cappelli – Director, CRIF*

**The Energy Efficient Mortgages initiative**

*Luciano Chiarelli – Director Markets & Investment Banking, Unicredit*

**Questions and answers**

**1B. Renovation of public buildings through energy performance contracting**

*Moderated by Giulia Centi, ENEA*

**EPC on public buildings in Piemonte**

*Silvio De Nigris – Public Officer, Region of Piemonte*

**EPC in hospitals in Marche**

*Cinzia Colangelo – Project Manager, Marche Region*

**Renovation of public buildings through EPC in Ljubljana**

*Alenka Loose – Project Director, City of Ljubljana*

**The EPC market in Croatia and the new Eurostat rules on EPC accounting**

*Ivan Šerić – CEO, Institute for Energy Efficiency (Croatia)*

**Questions and answers**

**13:00 Lunch**

## **14:00 Parallel sessions 2**

### **2A. Home renovation**

*Moderated by Adrien Bullier – Senior Project Advisor, EASME, European Commission*

#### **Integrated home renovation services in Europe**

*Françoise Réfabert – CEO, Vesta Conseil Finance (France)*

#### **Renovating condominiums through energy performance contracting in Padova**

*Marco Devetta – Managing Partner , Sogesca*

#### **Parma home renovation loan**

*Enzo Bertolotti – Energy Manager, Comune di Parma*

#### **The experience of Cariparma on home renovation loans**

*Stefano Marlat – Head of Financial Management, Crédit Agricole Italia*

#### **Home renovation through the PACE system - Experience from the USA**

*Davide Cannarozzi – CEO, GNE Finance*

#### **Questions and answers**

### **2B. Supporting the ESCO market**

*Moderated by Dario Di Santo – Managing Director, FIRE*

#### **The GREPCon tool for standardising energy performance contracts**

*Marco Burratti – Corporate Finance Manager, Officinae Verdi*

#### **The eQuad online platform for project valuation**

*Jessica Stromback – Chairman, Joule Assets Europe*

#### **Mediocredito Italiano credit line for ESCOs**

*Giuseppe Dasti – Coordinator Desk Energy, Mediocredito*

#### **ESCO certifications under Comitato Termotecnico Italiano**

*Ettore Piantoni – Consultant Team Leader, Consultant Energy Management*

#### **Questions and answers**

## **16:00 Closing plenary session**

*Moderated by Dario Chello – ENEA*

### **Short report from the parallel sessions by moderators**

#### **Reaction of the panellists**

*Davide Vivaldi – Head of Retail Financing, Banca Monte dei Paschi di Siena*

*Jessica Stromback – Chair, Joule Assets Europe*

*Antonio Ciccarelli – CEO, Servizi Energia Ambiente*

*Angelo Peppetti – Director of Strategy and Financial Market, ABI*

*Mauro Mallone – Head of Energy Efficiency unit, Ministry of Economic Development*

*Claudia Canevari – Deputy Head of Unit for Efficiency, DG Energy, European Commission*

#### **Closing by the organisers**

## **17:00 Networking Cocktail**