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The PlanToConnect project and the workshop





PlanToConnect – Mainstreaming ecological connectivity in spatial planning systems of the Alpine Space

- **Programme priority:** Climate resilient and green Alpine region
- **Specific objective:** SO 1.2 Enhancing protection and preservation of nature, biodiversity and green infrastructure, including in urban areas, and reducing all forms of pollution
- **Project overall objective:**
 - To support the creation of a coherent alpine-wide network of green and blue infrastructures (GBI) for ecological connectivity (EC) based on harmonized regional networks under a common alpine planning strategy for EC.
 - To improve the capacity of planners and planning systems to effectively address connectivity gaps, barriers and major threats in strategic alpine connectivity areas by operationalizing biodiversity and connectivity concepts into spatial planning and territorial policies.
- **Project “products”:**
 - Alpine planning strategy for ecological connectivity, harmonized and integrated planning of GBI networks in priority areas
 - Standardized protocol of GBI connectivity networks
 - Guide on procedural steps regarding GBI network planning
- **AlpPlan/PlanToConnect expert platform on green infrastructure, ecological connectivity and spatial planning**
 - is the central interface for including external expertise in the PlanToConnect project on a transnational level
 - should enable an open exchange on project contents and have a concrete influence on central project results/outputs and therefore assure adequate (scientific) quality



Thank you for your attention!
Danke für Ihre Aufmerksamkeit!
Hvala za pozornost!
Merci pour votre attention!
Grazie per l'attenzione!