

Output 1.2

4 Networking events conducted

Overview on the networking events



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Activity 1.2 Networking Event Austria

„Cooperation, Legacy and Change: 25 Years of Interreg Alpine Space“ 12 -13 May 2025 in Salzburg

The event celebrated 25 years of cross-border cooperation in the Alpine region and provided a platform for exchanging experiences on past achievements, future challenges, and emerging approaches in the fields of sustainable regional development, innovation, and the circular economy.

Participants:

- WRS, Biz-Up and WFG
- divers range of stakeholders from across the Alpine region

Key outcomes:

- Raising awareness for the project and its objectives
- Discussing common challenges related to circular economy
- Identifying potential areas of cooperation

Interactions:

- project stand, thematic sessions, workshops, networking activities



*Top: podium discussion on the objectives of
INTERREG Alpine space
Left: project partners at project stand*

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Activity 1.2 Networking Event Germany

“RE-INCITE Clusters & Municipalities: Building Circular Regions Together” 10 July 2025 in Stuttgart

The event in Stuttgart brought together representatives from municipalities, businesses, research organisations, and regional development agencies to jointly develop strategies for implementing the circular economy, exchange successful best practices, and strengthen cooperation at both the regional and cross-border levels.

Participants:

- Project consortium
- external participants from municipalities, clusters, Advisory Board:
 - Basel Circular
 - Technology Park Ljubljana
 - Municipality of Pordenone
 - Municipality of Heilbronn
 - Municipality of Stuttgart
 - Universities from Germany and Austria
 - All Clusters were present

Key outcomes:

- Networking and visibility of CE initiatives

Interactions:

- workshop, networking activities, visiting RE-THINKING pop-up space

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Top: tour through RE-THINKING pop-up space
Right: workshop input

Activity 1.2 Virtual Networking Event

„Circular economy in an Urban Context – Shaping the Future Together“ 25 November 2025 online

The online event brought together representatives from municipalities, businesses, and regional development organisations to exchange experiences on challenges, best practices, and collaborative approaches for implementing the circular economy in urban areas, while fostering knowledge transfer among stakeholders.

Participants:

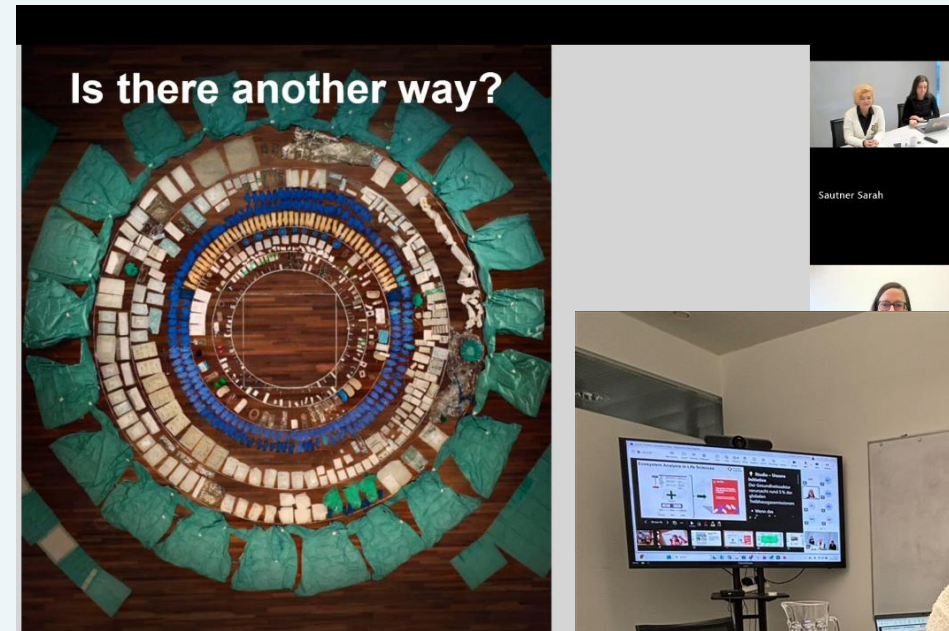
- Project consortium
- Carole Tornay, Managing Director of [BaselCircular](#),
- Dr. Christian Moser, Vice president of WKNÖ

Key outcomes:

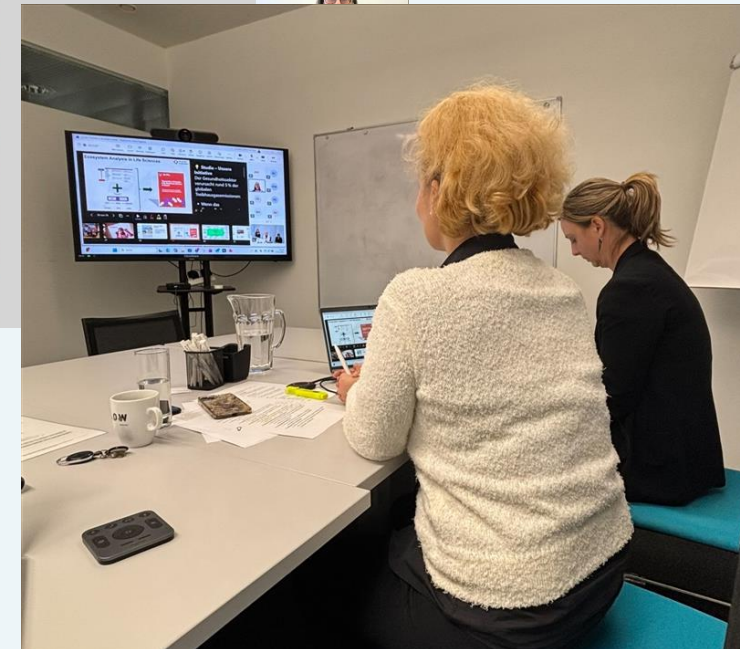
- Disseminating RE-INCITE objectives & activities
- Stakeholder engagement
- Exchanging knowledge & best practice examples

Interactions:

- Discussion on how RE-INCITE supports cities and municipalities in building circular value chains
- Presentation of best practice examples : Basel, Lubljana, Stuttgart



Top: presentation on RE-INCITE project
Right: Biz-Up consortium as moderators of the virtual event



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Activity 1.2 Networking Event Slovenia

Urban Future: The Better-Cities Event, 26 March 2026

Urban Future 2026 is one of Europe's leading conferences on sustainable urban development, bringing together cities, policymakers, researchers, businesses, and other stakeholders to exchange innovative solutions for the circular economy, climate action, and urban transformation.

Participants:

- ~ 2,000 participants (researchers, policymakers, planners, etc.)

Key outcomes:

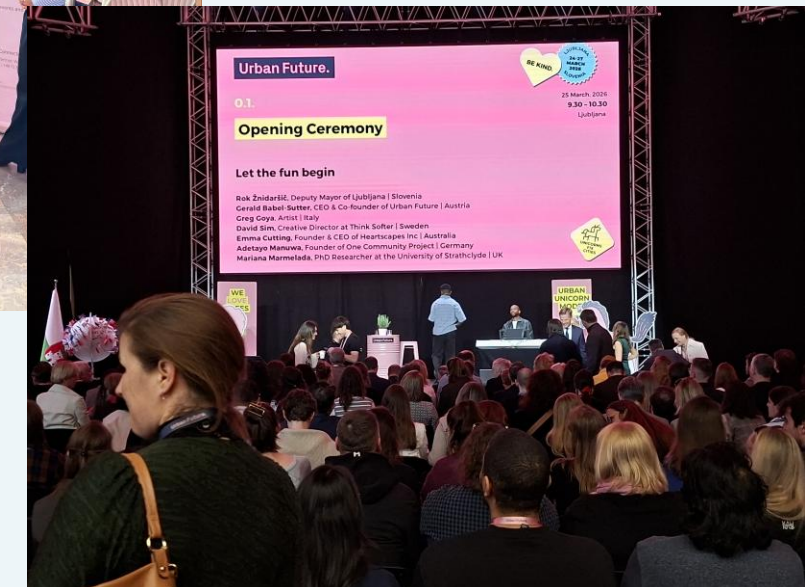
- Raising awareness for the project and its objectives
- Demonstrating the importance of cross-sectoral & cross-border approach
- Identifying synergies, challenges
- Exchanging experiences

Interactions:

- Expo Partner, Networking activities
- Conference sessions, workshops on CE



Left: project partners at project stand
Bottom: Opening presentation of the conference



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For further information on the networking events have a look at the **D.1.2.1** „Report about relationship building across policy and governance-levels“

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