



**AGENDA**

9.00-9.30	<b>Arrival and registration</b> VM1 (conference room)
9.30-9.50	<b>Welcome &amp; Opening Remarks</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Regina LAGUNA, Director General for Relations with the European Union and the State / Brussels Delegation, Generalitat Valenciana</li> <li>- Óscar NAVARRO, President of Consorcio de la Ribera</li> </ul>
9.50 -10.30	<b>The potential of "green" jobs in tackling unemployment</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <b>Integration of the long-term unemployed into the labour market and EU policy developments to maximise the benefits of green growth and jobs</b> Olga MARTINEZ DE BRIONES, Policy Officer, European Commission, DG EMPL, Unit E.1. Job Creation</li> <li>- <b>Towards a European Skills Agenda</b> Susanne LONSCHER-RACKE, Policy Officer, European Commission, DG EMPL, Unit E.2. Skills and Qualifications</li> <li>- <b>The Green Employment Initiative: Tapping into the job creation potential of the green economy</b> Jean LAMBERT, Member of the European Parliament</li> </ul>
10.30 -10.40	<b>Introduction to the GREEN SKILLS project</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Gema MARCH, Director, Territorial Employment Pact in La Ribera – PATER, Green Skills Project Coordinator</li> <li>- Laura BAS, Project Manager, Mancomunitat de la Ribera Alta</li> </ul>
10.40-11.00	<b>Coffee break</b>
11.00–12.00	<b>New requirements for green jobs in the construction sector</b> (presentation by the Green Skills project's partners) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <b>Identifying job opportunities and best practices in the Green Skills partners' countries</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>o Job opportunities - Saida MATEOS, Valencian Association of Construction Companies - FEVEC</li> <li>o Best practices - Christos KATSALIS, European Office of Cyprus - EOC</li> </ul> </li> <li>- <b>Adapting sector supply/demand</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>o List of Skills - Maciej SIEMIATKOWSKI, Polish Association of Construction Industry Employers – PZPB</li> <li>o Skills profiles - Renata CERNECKIENE, Vilnius Builders Training Centre – VSRC</li> </ul> </li> <li>- <b>Providing training to meet existing and anticipated needs in green construction</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>o Training skills - Laura SOTO and Cristina JAREÑO, Valencia Institute of Building - IVE</li> <li>o Technological Platform - Łukasz KLAPA, DANMAR Computers</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
12:00-13.00	<b>Networking Lunch</b> (Foyer VMA)



**Committee of the Regions**

13.00-13.40	<p><b>Transferability of the results</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <b><i>The Centre for Excellence in Sustainable Construction</i></b> Johan VAN DESSEL, Head of division Sustainable Development &amp; Renovation, Belgian Building Research Institute - BBRI</li> <li>- <b><i>The PROF/TRAC Project – Open Training and Qualification Platform NZEB construction and renovation</i></b> Peter OP 'T VELD, Senior Consultant, HUYGEN</li> <li>- <b><i>How Cities and Regions can benefit of the GREEN SKILLS results?</i></b> Richard TUFFS, Director, European Regions Research and Innovation Network - ERRIN</li> </ul>
13.40-14.20	<p><b>Sustainability of GREEN SKILLS project</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <b><i>Latest developments in Energy Efficiency in Buildings and the new Horizon 2020 call on Construction Skills</i></b> Zoé WILDIERS, Project Advisor, Executive Agency for SMEs (EASME)</li> <li>- <b><i>Erasmus+ Sector Skills Alliances and other actions</i></b> Felix ROHN, Policy Officer, European Commission, DG EMPL, Unit E.3 VET, Apprenticeships &amp; Adult Learning</li> </ul>
14.20-14.30	<p><b>Next steps and closing remarks</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Xavier MELERO, Communication Manager, Territorial Employment Pact in La Ribera - PATER</li> <li>- Txema PELÀEZ, President Mancomunitat de la Ribera Alta</li> </ul>
<b>14:30</b>	<b><i>End of the Conference</i></b>