



Knowledge exchange and capacity building webinar

Overview

Date	Tuesday, 9 June 2020
Location	Online
Aim of the event	To get stakeholders familiar with the project objectives and upcoming local events, to attract their attention to existing technological options and business models in the region of Stara Zagora, to keep them close to the project and its work in the coming years.

Short summary: This knowledge exchange and capacity building webinar was particularly aimed at educating academia representatives (both professors and students) from the region of Stara Zagora about what is the bioeconomy and how it could be implemented in their region. It was carried out by the Bulgarian Industrial Association with support from the Thracia University. The event started with an analysis of how stakeholders understand the circular bioeconomy and what it means for them. As a second step, an extensive keynote speech was given by Nikolay Mihaylov, denkstatt Bulgaria, covering key aspects of the bioeconomy. Then, the objectives and upcoming activities of the project were presented, as well as the bioeconomy potentials of the region with the different biomass opportunities, and bioeconomy-related EU policies. The event was attended by over 20 participants and it helped raising their knowledge on the specific subject of bioeconomy.

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