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## *CrAFTing Cities Together*

Bologna

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### PROGRAMME



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## TUESDAY 23 MAY

Venue: **DumBO, Headquarter of Fondazione Innovazione Urbana (FIU)**

Address: Via Camillo Casarini, 19, 40131 Bologna, Italy

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DumBO

Please **bring your headphones on 23 May** as the space does not allow loudspeakers

**9:00 - 14:00**      **Internal meeting for Consortium partners and students**

**14:00**              **Registration and welcome to CrAft Cities and other guests**

**14:00 - 16:15**      **Workshop with the Sandbox Cities**

Testing with the Sandbox Cities - Amsterdam, Bologna and Prague

Facilitated by the University of Bologna, Amsterdam University of Applied Sciences and Czech Technical University in Prague

**16:15 - 16:30**      **Coffee break**

**16:30 - 17:00**      **Presentation "Assemblea cittadina per il clima"**

Participatory activities and initiatives developed in cooperation with local communities  
by Noemi Julian - FIU

**17:00 - 18:00**      **Presentation of the DumBO spaces and guided visit**

DumBO and the surrounding area of "Ex Scalo Ravone"  
by Giuseppe Seminario, Inés Pérez - FIU

**19:30**              **Social dinner**

Restaurant: Cantina Bentivoglio,  
via Mascarella 4/b  
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Cantina Bentivoglio

## Wednesday 24 MAY

Venue morning 9:00 - 14:00

### **Sala Borsa, Auditorium Biagi**

Address: Biblioteca Salaborsa,  
Piazza del Nettuno, 3, Bologna

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Auditorium Biagi

Venue afternoon 14:00 - 17:30

### **Sala Tassinari, Palazzo D'Accursio (Comune di Bologna)**

Address: Piazza Maggiore, 6, 40121 Bologna

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Palazzo d'Accursio

**9:00 - 9:30**

### **Registration all participants**

**9:30 - 9:40**

### **Welcome & introductions**

by Annemie Wyckmans, Norwegian University of Science and Technology (NTNU), Annarita Ferrante and Claudio Lantieri, University of Bologna (UNIBO)

**9:40 - 10:20**

### **Climate City Contract Bologna**

Keynote speech by **Anna Lisa Boni**

Deputy Mayor Bologna responsible for national recovery funds, European funding, international relations, ecological transition and climate pact

**10:20 - 10:40**

### **“Citizens as protagonists of the future of the city” Participatory budgeting as tool for a just transition**

Key note speech by **Erika Capasso**

President Fondazione Innovazione Urbana (FIU)

**10:40 - 11:00**

### **Coffee break**

**11:00 - 12:15**

### **Launch of CrAft 's Cookbook & NEB Policy Support Alliance**

Join us to celebrate the airing of CrAft's Cookbook and the New European Bauhaus Policy Support Alliance!

A successful series of webinars from January to March 2023 delivered a wealth of good practices to make cities more beautiful, inclusive and sustainable. This resulted in the first edition of CrAft's Cookbook that contains dozens of recipes for collaborative governance. What is more, together with our partner networks and projects CrAft currently establishes the New European Bauhaus Policy Support Alliance - a collaborative approach to policy, advocating for the local, national and European policy needs of cities and their stakeholders in making their transitions to climate neutrality beautiful, inclusive and sustainable.

**11:00 – 11:15**

**Ice breaker - creating a dynamic Manifesto**

Facilitated by urban designer Cesare Bettini

**11:15 – 11:25**

**Presentation of CrAft's Cookbook**

Judith Borsboom (Locality)

**11:25 – 11:35**

**Introduction to the NEB Policy Support Alliance**

Annemie Wyckmans (NTNU)

Magda Herbowska, Acting Head of the Knowledge for Policy Unit, Jointed Research Centre (JRC), European Commission

**11:35 – 12:05**

**Panel and interactive discussion with the audience**

Magda Herbowska, JRC, European Commission

Katharina Berger, Driving Urban Transitions & CapaCITIES

Mariana Salvado, Municipality of Fundão, Portugal

Paola Clerici Maestosi, Driving Urban Transitions & CapaCITIES

Facilitated by Judith Borsboom (Locality) and Marjolein Cremer (European Cultural Foundation)

**12:15 – 12:45**

**Sandbox Cities session**

Presentation of pilot case studies - Prague, Amsterdam, Bologna - including the results from workshop day 1

**12:45-13:00**

**Wrap up of the morning**

**13:00 – 14:00**

**Lunch at Sala Borsa**

**CHANGE LOCATION**

- 14:00 – 17:00**      **Workshop NEB Policy Support Alliance**
- 14:00 – 14:05**      **Welcome by Marjolein Cremer and Judith Borsboom**  
facilitators
- 14:05 – 14:45**      **Role play: practical solutions for the city**  
facilitated by Cesare Bettini
- 14:45 – 15:05**      **Break**
- 15:05 – 16:00**      **Work in groups on our shared goals & milestones**  
To achieve a true transformation we need to bundle our strengths. We can be a powerful force for change, advocating for policies and initiatives supporting sustainable, inclusive, and beautiful cities across Europe. What are our overarching goals? What are our shared milestones?
- 16:00 – 16:20**      **Break**
- 16:20 – 17:20**      **Work in groups on concrete commitments**  
Let's put our shared energies into practice.  
What can we commit to? What can we offer and what can we contribute to?
- 17:20 – 17:30**      **Wrap up and next steps**

### **Optional dinner**

Restaurant at the market: "ALTRO?", Mercato Delle Erbe

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## Thursday 25 MAY

Venue morning 9:00 - 12:30

**Headquarters of the Order of Engineers of Bologna**

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**9:00- 12:30**

### **CrAft Cookbook workshop**

In the past year, 63 CrAft Cities have shared how they make their climate transitions beautiful, inclusive and sustainable. Their stories are summarised in the first edition of the CrAft Cookbook.

In this workshop, we will share several of these stories, and invite you to join us in building the second edition of the CrAft Cookbook:

- Update & add stories
- Document the value NEB has created, for whom
- Build an evidence base to convince politicians, investors and others to support these initiatives
- Show how other cities can use these recipes and tools in their own local context

This workshop will be the start of the CrAft Crowdsourcing Campaign to harvest stories, examples and tools that will help document from projects, cities & communities, arts & culture, grassroots organisations, youth, property owners and more, across Europe.

Together with the NEB Policy Support Alliance (launched 24 May) we will organise and support citizen science initiatives, games, treasure hunts, community workshops and other participatory activities to harvest proof that NEB matters.

Join us!

**9:00 – 09:10**

### **Introduction**

**9:10 – 09:30**

**Icebreaker: NEB images**

**9:30 – 09:45**

**Individual reflections**

**Synergies: How can NEB become more than the sum of its parts?** Sustainability, aesthetics, inclusiveness: which synergies are on offer? And how to grab and reinforce them?

**Stakeholders: How to empower them to take action?** We want to create actionable futures. How do we empower inhabitants and other stakeholders into action? What are the moments that really matter for that? What are the barriers you face or know?

**Stories: Building an evidence base** Do you know any good examples? How do you know they are good examples? Which criteria do you use to assess them?

**9:45 – 09:50**

**Group exercises**

**9:50 – 10:35**

**Synergies: How can NEB become more than the sum of its parts?**

**10:35 – 10:50**

**Coffee/tea break**

**10:50 – 11:35**

**Stakeholders: How to empower them to take action?**

**11:35 – 12:20**

**Stories: Building an evidence base**

**12:20 – 12:30**

**Wrap-up and next step**

**13:30 – 19:30**

**Renovation Tour – Part 3**

Organised by International Union of Property Owners (UIPI), Architects' Council of Europe (ACE) with the support of UNIBO

Capacity building *DRIVE 0* project

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Renovation tour

**26 May**

Experiencing CrAft in Rimini – internal meeting