

**GoApply - Multidimensional Governance of Climate Change Adaptation
in Policy Making and Practice**

The CCA Governance Lab

**Shaping the Future of Climate Change
Adaptation in the Alpine Countries**

24th April 2019, 9.30 – 16.45

University of Natural Resources and Life Sciences – BOKU, Vienna

Gregor Mendel Straße 33, 1180 Vienna

Ceremonial Hall (Festsaal)

Program

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About the conference

The final conference of the GoApply project takes place on 24th April 2019 as a **public one-day event** at the **University of Natural Resources and Life Sciences (BOKU) in Vienna**. The conference is held back-to-back with the **Austrian Climate Day 2019** (25th – 26th April 2019), thus generating mutual benefits.

The GoApply conference disseminates **project results** and employs **activating formats** to stimulate debate, facilitate exchange and promote improved governance of climate change adaptation in the Alpine Countries. Emphasis is put on interactive approaches and practice transfer.

The event **addresses** adaptation policy/decision makers and coordinators, practitioners and researchers from the Alpine Space. This includes public authorities from national, regional and local levels, civil society stakeholders (NGOs, interest groups), universities and research institutions as well as EUSALP and Alpine Convention actors.

The Austrian **Federal Ministry of Sustainability and Tourism (BMNT)** and the GoApply partnership cordially invite you to take part in the conference.

Updates of the program are available at the [project website](#) and at the [Austrian climate adaptation portal](#).

Conference language

The conference will be held in **English** language.

Registration

The conference is public and participation free of costs. Prior registration is required and will be open until **15th April 2019**. Registrations will be accepted in the order of their reception.

[Please register here!](#)

Program

09.30 Registration and coffee

10.00 Welcome!

Helmut Hojesky, Federal Ministry for Sustainability and Tourism
Thomas Probst, PLANVAL

10.10 Diving for CCA Governance Pearls

Elevator pitches with good governance practice examples from the Alpine Countries

- Adaptation advisory services for Austrian municipalities and implementation of adaptation measures in municipalities in Tyrol: Daniela Hohenwallner-Ries, alpS GmbH
- Mainstreaming adaptation in an aggregation of municipalities in the Seveso - North Milano area: Eleonora Esposito, Innova21 Agency
- The AdaMONT project – Impacts of climate change and adaptation in mountain areas: Félix Philippe, IRSTEA (National Institute for Environmental and Agricultural Science and Research) Grenoble Centre
- GrecSud – Network of science and regional actors for bundling knowledge in the region Provence-Alpes-Côte d'Azur: Benjamin Einhorn, Pôle Alpin d'études et de recherche pour la prévention des Risques Naturels
- Municipal heavy rain risk management in Baden-Wuerttemberg: Nina Mölkner, Ministerium für Umwelt, Klima und Energiewirtschaft Baden-Württemberg
- The Grisons Climate Forum: Veronika Stöckli, Canton of Grisons
- Agency Network for Climate Change and Adaptation: Andreas Vetter, German Environment Agency
- KLAR! climate adaptation model regions and funding program: Doris Maurer, Region Waldviertler Kernland and Gernot Wörther, Climate and Energy Fund

10.30 Discovery: Key results from the GoApply project

- **Multilevel governance of climate change adaptation** – coordination between national, regional and local levels: Dominik Braunschweiger, Swiss Federal Institute for Forest, Snow and Landscape Research
- **Mainstreaming of adaptation** – cooperation between sectors: Marco Pregolato, Fondazione Lombardia per l'Ambiente
- **Good practice of stakeholder involvement**: Sebastian Ebert, German Environment Agency
- **Conclusions and outlook**: interview with Wolfgang Lexer, Environment Agency Austria

11.20 Changing perspectives: What can we learn from experiences in technology and innovation in terms of governance?

Peter Biegelbauer, Center for Innovation Systems & Policy, AIT Austrian Institute of Technology GmbH

11.45 CCA Governance DesignLab: Introduction to the afternoon session

Thomas Probst, PLANVAL

12.00 Interactive Lunch

Exchange with good practice cases, GoApply visualisation tool demo, poster exhibition

13.15 CCA Governance DesignLab

Design thinking session – ideating new approaches for three burning questions: cooperation between actors, levels and sectors

- Challenge 1: How can we better involve stakeholders to foster climate change resilience of regions, cities and municipalities?
- Challenge 2: How can we better transfer climate adaptation knowledge to enable practitioners?
- Challenge 3: How can we enhance cooperation between levels and sectors to more effectively implement adaptation in practice?

15.15 Recovery: Coffee break

15.45 The DesignLab winners are...

16.00 Final panel: The future of adaptation to climate change – well governed between levels, sectors and Alpine countries

Moderated discussion with adaptation policy-makers at national, regional and local levels from Alpine Countries

- Helmut Hojesky, Federal Ministry for Sustainability and Tourism, Section Coordination Climate Policy (Austria)
- Roland Hohmann, Federal Office for the Environment, Climate Reporting and Adaptation Section (Switzerland)
- Andreas Vetter, German Environment Agency, KomPass - Climate Impacts and Adaptation in Germany
- Luca Cetara, Fondazione Lombardia per l’Ambiente (Italy)
- Andrea Gössinger-Wieser, Office of the State Government Styria, Climate Coordination (Austria)
- Thomas Weiss, City of Kempten, Climate manager (Germany)

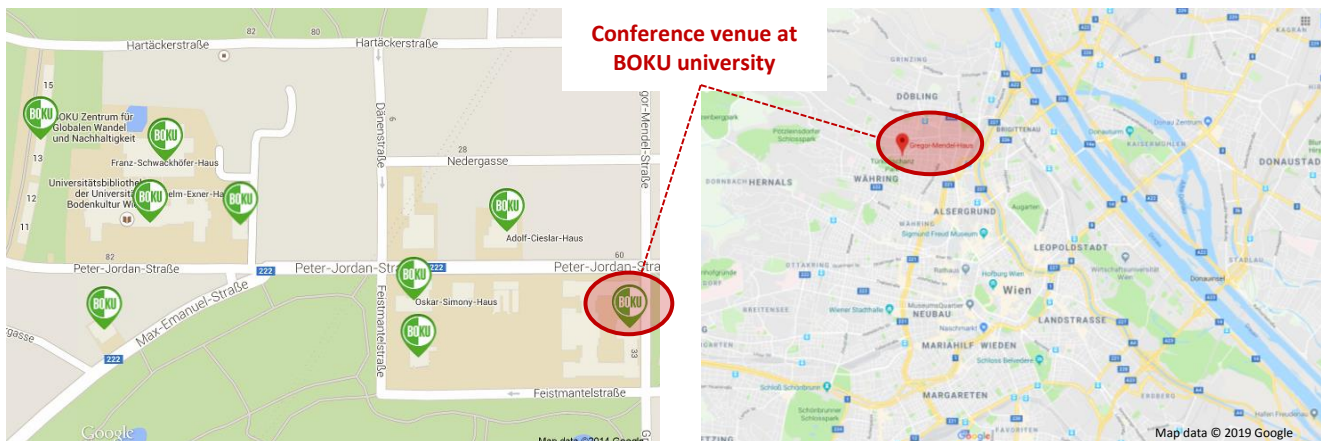
16.40 Closing words

Jochen Bürgel, Environment Agency Austria

16.45 The formal end and kick off for the informal apéro: Get together and exchange

Venue and orientation

University of Natural Resources and Life Sciences (BOKU - Universität für Bodenkultur)
Gregor Mendel Straße 33 (university main building)
Ceremonial Hall (Festsaal), 2nd floor
1180 Vienna
Austria



City map of Vienna (English version): <https://www.wien.gv.at/stadtplan/en/>

Orientation at BOKU university: <https://www.boku.ac.at/en/fm/themen/orientierung-und-lageplaene/>

How to reach the venue

For environmental reasons we encourage all participants to use public transport!

BOKU University Vienna can conveniently be reached by public transport from all major train stations and from many hotels. The bus lines 40a, 37a (stop *Linneplatz*) and 10a (stop *Dänenstraße*) have stops directly at BOKU University. From Vienna central train station (Wien Hauptbahnhof): take the subway lines U1 and U4 and bus line 37a. From the train stations Westbahnhof and Wien Meidling: take subway line U6 and bus line 40a. See also at: <https://www.ccca.ac.at/klimatag/anreise-green-meeting-2019/>

Public transport in Vienna: <https://www.vor.at/> or App “*Quando*”

Hotels

Eco-certified hotels recommended by the organisers of the Austrian Climate Day:

Boutiquehotel Stadthalle (Hackengasse 20, 1150 Wien, www.hotelstadthalle.at)

Hotel Praterstern (Mayergasse 6, 1020 Wien, www.hotel-praterstern.at)

Further eco-certified hotels in Vienna (select *Wien* at the landing page):

<https://www.umweltzeichen-hotels.at/alle-hotels>

For a list of partner hotels of BOKU university (sorted by district) see:

<http://www.boku.ac.at/en/international/themen/international-staff-coming-to-boku/hotels-unterkunft-fuer-gaeste/hotels/>