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Programme of the Workshop on „Implementation of the Alpine Climate Target System 2050 of the Alpine Convention“

Monday, 13 May 2019, 13.00 until Tuesday, 14 May 2019, 13.00
Hotel Heffterhof, Salzburg

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Nathalie Morelle, Permanent Secretariat of the Alpine Convention:
Outline of the Alpine Climate Target System 2050
Observer Organisation within the ACB: Expectations of observers to the ACB and experiences up to now
Conclusion: Next steps and why we need a strong involvement of stakeholders

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| 16.00 – 17.30 / open end | Workshop Session I  
Implementation: Ambitious targets require ambitious action  
Reference to the Best Practice “Implementation” and the methodology for implementation pathways |
| 19.00 – 22.00     | Common Dinner at Heffterhof                   |

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| 9.00 – 9.20   | Keynote: Food for thought from the Carpathian Convention  
Matthias Jurek, UNEP |
| 9.20 -10.00   | Morning plenary – bridging the implementation gap  
Plenary discussion to discuss implementation challenges |
| 10.00 – 10.20 | Keynote: Best Practice “Communication”         |
| 10.20 – 10.45 | Elevator Pitch Session live II*               |
| 10.45 – 11.00 | Coffee Break                                  |
| 11.00 – 12.20 | Workshop Session II  
Communication: Ambitious action requires comprehensive support  
Reference to the Best Practice “Communication”. The expected outcome is ideas for potential elements of a communication strategy. |
| 12.20 – 13.00 | Final plenary                                  |
| 13.00 – 14.00 | Common light lunch                             |
*Elevator Pitch sessions*

We invite you to apply for 5 minutes slots to present your ideas for implementing and communicating the Alpine Climate Target System. **Elevator Pitch Session live I on 13 May** focuses on pilot actions that support the implementation of the Alpine Climate Target System. **Elevator Pitch Session live II on 14 May** focuses on pilot actions with special attention to communication that support the implementation of the target system.

The presentations should be without slides, just short oral short introductions covering the following issues:

- Short presentation of pilot action: Which sectoral targets are supported by the pilot action and which timeframe is envisaged? How does the pilot action support the Alpine-wide implementation of the overall vision?
- Involvement: Which stakeholders are needed to further develop the pilot action?
- Wishes to the ACB: How can the ACB support the implementation of the proposed pilot action?

After the presentations, the panel of the introductory discussion shortly reflects on the ideas.

Please apply for the Elevator Pitch Sessions until Friday 26 April by sending a short information (1-2 paragraphs) about your idea to:

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