

CINTRAN – THIRD ACADEMY EVENT

5TH MARCH 2024, BRUSSELS

The third and final **CINTRAN** Academy Event will be organised in Brussels (Belgium) on 5 March 2024 by ICLEI Europe together with its partners. After a fruitful exchange and the rise of a new **Community of Practice – Unravelling the Challenges of Structural Change**, the CINTRAN team will offer the opportunity to convene the participants together from the first and second CINTRAN Academies that took place in [Kozani](#) (Greece, 2022) & [Ida-Virumaa](#) (Estonia, 2023).

At this in-person event, practitioners will have the possibility to discuss and unpack coal+ regions' current priorities, challenges and solutions coupled with CINTRAN's latest scientific findings. **Horizontal learning, co-creation and active participation** will be the focus of this exciting day bringing alive all the lessons learnt from the previous years of this community of researchers and practitioners, as well as new developments that have arisen in their regions. Various group sessions, including several in parallel, will be held for participants to discuss, reflect upon and co-develop key recommendations.

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Date & Time: Tuesday, 5 March 2024 from 9:00 to 16:30

Registration: [here](#)

Location: Brussels Info Place (BIP) – Room *Zinneke* (floor +2), best entered via [Place Royale 11](#)

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Such insights as co-created in the Third Academy Event will be shared the day after, at CINTRAN's Final Stakeholder Event, with key decision-makers of the just transition in Europe, including representatives from European Commission departments and executive agencies such as **DG ENER**, **DG REGIO** and **DG RTD**, the **Committee of the Regions**, **EU Parliament**, **national authorities**, **researchers**, the **private sector**, **trade unions** and **civil society**, as well as several related ongoing projects and initiatives.

CINTRAN – The Final Take

Date & Time: Wednesday, 6 March 2024 from 9:00 to 15:00+

More information: [here](#)

Location: Brussels Info Place (BIP) – *Salle de Guichets* (ground floor), best entered [Rue Royale 2-4](#)

Latest publications by CINTRAN

- [A Just Transition Readiness Evaluation Tool](#)
- [Comparative analysis of socio-political dynamics in carbon-intensive regions](#)
- [Downscaling or upskilling in carbon-intensive regions?](#)
- [Migration Drivers in Carbon-intensive Regions in the EU](#)
- [Analysis of Just Transition Agreements and the Role of Coal Commissions](#)

Agenda:

Tuesday, 5 March 2024	
9:15 - 10:15	<p>Welcome</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• <i>Introduction to the Academy</i>• <i>Principles for a collaborative space</i>• <i>Active ice-breaker</i> <p>Keynote</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• <i>Latest findings of CINTRAN</i>, Lukas Hermwille, Wuppertal Institute• Q&A
10:15 – 10:45	<p>Plenary – Formulating messages to enhance the transition</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• <i>Principles of effective communication & exercise</i>• <i>Introduction to the upcoming parallel sessions</i>
10:45 - 11:15	<p>Coffee break</p>
11:15 - 12:30	<p>Co-creating messages for a just transition in coal+ regions (Parallel Sessions 1) Co-developing key messages and policy recommendations in separate groups:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Group 1a: Responding to resistance through comprehensive engagement Dealing with dissent and activating marginalised groups, women and youth.• Group 1b: Below the surface of just transition implementation Practical experiences with project processes related to the just transition.
12:30 - 14:00	<p>Lunch break at the venue</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Optional: Walk at Parc de Bruxelles
14:00 - 15:15	<p>Co-creating messages for a just transition in coal+ regions (Parallel Sessions 2) Co-developing key messages and policy recommendations in separate groups:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Group 2a: Streamlining education, reskilling and upskilling Educational and vocational reforms to enhance coal+ communities.• Group 2b: Keeping an eye on the just transition Effective monitoring of just transition processes and implementation.
15:15 - 15:30	<p>Coffee break</p>
15:30 - 16:10	<p>Plenary – Pitching the key messages</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Each of the four parallel session groups present its work.• Creativity and the use of artistic interventions are more than welcome!• Identifying common takeaways and priorities.
16:10 - 16:30	<p>Plenary – Closing remarks and wrap-up</p>

This agenda might still be subject to change.



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