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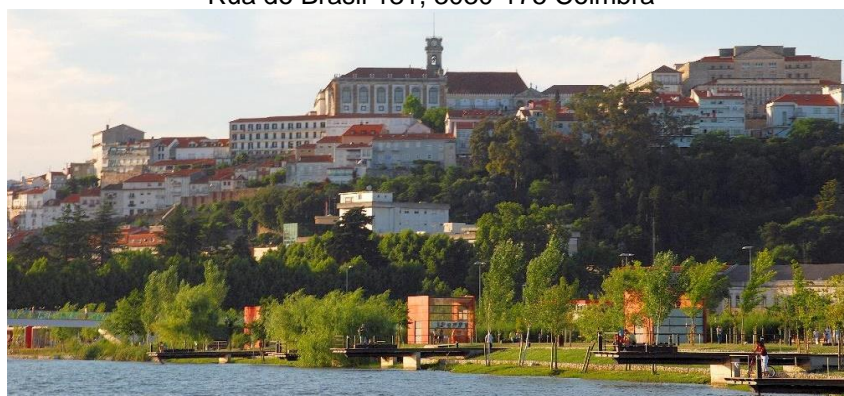
Emerging pathways to climate-neutrality: how does intermodal connectivity of underserved populations come into play?

THEMATIC SEMINAR
INNOVATIVE TOOLS AND APPROACHES FOR CONNECTING UNDERSERVED AREAS



31 May 2023, Coimbra, Portugal

Venue: Comunidade Intermunicipal da Região de Coimbra (CIM – Região de Coimbra),
Rua do Brasil 131, 3030-175 Coimbra



AGENDA

Time (WEST)	
10:30 – 11:00	Welcome Reception
11:00 – 12:30	<i>Thematic Seminar</i> Join us online <i>Innovative tools and approaches for connecting underserved areas</i>
11:00 – 11:20	Joining forces to create one EU Portal for Innovative Transport & Clean Mobility Solutions: ENTRANCE & RECIPROCITY pathway of collaboration for climate neutrality Héctor Cañas (ENTRANCE) and Anne Häner (RECIPROCITY)
11:20 – 11:40	Demand-Responsive Transport for territories Adrien Torregrosa and Ricardo Alcala, PADAM Mobility
11:40 – 12:00	Innovative tools and approaches for connecting underserved areas Brian Masson, Multi Modal Transport Solutions Ltd
12:00 – 12:30	Roundtable and Q&A session
12:30 – 14:00	<i>Networking lunch</i>
14:00 – 17:00	Study Visit: Metro Mondego
19:30	<i>Networking dinner – Project Partners & Stakeholders – Aveiro</i>





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**CAPACITY BUILDING WORKSHOP
REGIONAL CHALLENGES TO BETTER ADAPT THE MOBILITY SYSTEMS:
HOW TO ACHIEVE SEAMLESS INTERMODAL MOBILITY?**



1 June 2023, Aveiro, Portugal

Venue: Campus Universitário de Santiago, 3810-193 Aveiro



AGENDA

Time (WEST)	Sessions	Join us online
09:30 – 09:50	Welcome Session Jorge Bandeira, EMBRACER LP & António Bastos, DEM-TEMA	
09:50 – 10:10	Bernardo Campos, CCCR-C	
10:10 – 10:30	On the road to automotive mobility Susana Sargento, UA	
10:30 – 11:00	Networking coffee-break	
11:00 – 11:20	How to achieve modal shift? Build it and they will come, or I can do it and so can you? Darren McAdam-O'Connell, CEF/TMF	PP11
11:20 – 11:40	Flexible public transport service in Viseu Dão Lafões: Project IR e VIR José Carlos Almeida, CIM – Viseu Dão Lafões	
11:40 – 12:00	Linking Urban and Rural Areas in Coimbra Region - the path to a MaaS system Jorge Brito, CIM – Coimbra	PP02
12:00 – 12:20	Policies, regulations, strategies, and planning practices to boost connectivity in Vilnius/Lithuania Kristina Gauce, ME	PP09
12:20 – 12:30	Q&A session	
12:30 – 15:00	Networking lunch	



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Time (WEST)	Sessions	Join us online
15:00 – 15:20	How the SUMP connects the suburban areas in the Metropolitan City of Cagliari Alessandro Bordigoni, Città Metropolitana di Cagliari	PP04
15:20 – 15:40	Challenges with the public transport in Ljutomer and its connection with the hinterlands Katja Karba, Development agency Sinergija	PP06 + PP07
15:40 – 16:00	Intermodal connectivity using AV shuttles in Tampere, Finland Steve O'Hern, Tampere University	PP10
16:00 - 16:20	Tackling Intermodal Connectivity in Bucharest-Ilfov Region – First Steps Daniel Popescu, ADRBI	PP05
16:20 – 16:40	Improving infrastructure for environmentally friendly mobility in Leipzig Hannah Cholewa, Aufbauwerk Region Leipzig GmbH	PP08
16:40 – 17:00	Q&A session / Closing remarks	
17:00 – 17:30	<i>Networking coffee-break</i>	
17:30 – 18:30	Project Partners internal meeting - Steering Group Meeting (link for online participation)	
20:00	<i>Networking dinner – Project Partners & Stakeholders – Aveiro</i>	

LOGISTICS INFORMATION

The EMBRACER EoE event will take place in two cities in Centro Region, Portugal.

31st May:

The Thematic Seminar will occur at the [Intermunicipal Community of Coimbra Region](#), in Coimbra.
Rua do Brasil 131, 3030-175 Coimbra

1st June:

The Capacity Building Workshop will occur at the Mechanical engineering Department at [University of Aveiro](#), in Aveiro.
Campus Universitário de Santiago, 3810-193 Aveiro

Travel Information

NOTE: Train disruptions on 31 May 2023 in Portugal

A strike between 00:00 and 23:59 on 31 May 2023 means there will be major disruptions to rail traffic affecting all services, with possible impact on the days before and after the strike period, on 30 May and 1 June.

Flying to Portugal

The closest airport is Francisco Sá Carneiro International Airport in Oporto, located ~70 kms to the north of Aveiro. Portela International Airport in Lisbon is located ~250 km to the south of Aveiro.

From Oporto airport to Aveiro/Coimbra

The trip between the Oporto Airport and the railway station Porto-Campanhã, which has direct rail connections to Aveiro/Coimbra, can be done by taxi for around 20€ and takes around 30 minutes. You can also reach the Porto-Campanhã railway station by Metro, which has a terminal at the airport. The trips between the airport and the railway station take about 32 minutes.





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The train journey to Aveiro (Coimbra) takes between 40 min and 1h15 (1h30 – 1h45), depending on the type of train used. There are regular trains to Aveiro from Oporto.

From Lisbon airport to Aveiro/Coimbra

If you are arriving at Lisbon Airport, the simplest way to get to Aveiro (Coimbra) is by train from Lisboa-Oriente railway station. To get to the train station, you can go by taxi, which takes about 10 min and costs around 10€, but you can use the Metro (Pink Line) to Lisboa-Oriente railway station.

The train journey to Aveiro (Coimbra) takes between 2h and 2h30 (1h40 – 2h), depending on the type of train used.

Getting to the venue

31st May

From Coimbra train station to CIM-Coimbra Region

Coimbra has 2 train stations: Coimbra and Coimbra-B. Intercity and Alfarendular trains arrive at Coimbra-B train station, while regional trains can arrive at both railway stations. Trains between Aveiro to Coimbra-B train stations take between 30min to 50min and cost between 5,25€ to 16€. From Coimbra train station, you can take public transport bus lines 10, 45, 7T, 44, 26, 41, 9, 10A (stop Rua do Brasil 2), or get a Taxi/Uber/Bolt. You can also take a ~25-min walk from Coimbra train station to CIM-Coimbra Region.

1st June

From Aveiro train station to University of Aveiro

Aveiro railway station is located about 20min walking distance or 5min taxi ride from the University of Aveiro Campus. To reach the University Campus, you can also use the bus (Green Line) which departs at regular intervals from outside the railway station.

TRAIN info: You can check train timetables and book your tickets through the [CP Comboios website](#) or in the ticket offices at the train stations.

BUS info: You can find some bus connecting Porto, Aveiro, Coimbra, Lisbon [here](#).

Accommodation Options

The below accommodation options are divided into three categories (2*, 3* and 4*). The prices and conditions should be confirmed with the hotel.

Hotels at Aveiro

- 4* [Meliá Ria Aveiro](#): standard room w/ breakfast rate ~100€ per night
- 4* [Hotel Aveiro Palace](#): standard room w/ breakfast rate ~130€ per night
- 4* [Hotel As Américas](#): standard room w/ breakfast rate ~95€ per night
- 3* [Hotel Afonso V](#): standard room w/ breakfast rate ~50€ per night
- 3* [Veneza Hotel](#): standard room w/ breakfast rate ~70€ per night
- 3* [Hotel do Mercado](#): standard room w/ breakfast rate ~85€ per night
- 3* [Hotel Aveiro Center](#): standard room w/ breakfast rate ~70€ per night (special rate UA Guest)
- 3* [Hotel das Salinas](#): standard room w/ breakfast rate ~130€ per night

Hotels at Coimbra

- 4* [Vila Galé Coimbra](#): standard room w/ breakfast rate ~135€ per night
- 4* [Tivoli Coimbra](#): standard room rate ~115€ per night
- 4* [Hotel Mondego](#): standard room rate ~104€ per night
- 3* [Hotel Astória](#): standard room w/ breakfast rate ~75€ per night
- 3* [Stay Hotel Coimbra Centro](#): standard room rate ~60€ per night
- 2* [Hotel Ibis Coimbra Centro](#): standard room rate ~70€ per night

