

The New European Bauhaus Academy Pioneer Hub for Sustainable Built Environments with Renewable Materials

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Abstract:

The urgency of the climate crisis requires accelerating the transfer and adoption of climate change mitigation knowledge and capabilities to businesses, policy makers, and the public. The New European Bauhaus Academy Pioneer Hub for Sustainable Built Environments with Renewable Materials (NEBAP Hub) is a newly established university centre focusing on sustainable built environments that are regenerative and inclusive spaces that minimise environmental impacts through decarbonisation and lead to positive societal and economic impacts, including health and wellbeing. Non-exhaustively this includes design and use considering beauty and functionality, land, and material use (natural renewable materials emphasis), user perspectives and co-creation, low environmental impacts via circular principles (construction, maintenance, life-extending solutions, and deconstruction for reuse). In this presentation the NEBAP Hub will be presented together with its activities in multilateral forum for policy making, exchange of knowledge and experience between public and private forest-based sector actors at national and regional level to share best practices and an opportunity to coordinate approaches in developing policy solutions.

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