**BUILD2LC PROJECT**

**Interregional Thematic Seminar –**

**Professionalization of the Construction Sector**

**Rzeszów, Poland 21 March 2017**

**Venue: HOTEL RZESZÓW**

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**I – REGISTRATION AND WELCOME**

8:30 – 9:00 Registration & Welcome Coffee

9:00 Opening and Welcome by the Authorities + Project brief presentation

**II – PROFESSIONALISATION OF THE EUROPEAN CONSTRUCTION SECTOR**

09:30 Professionalisation of the Construction Sector from the European Energy Efficiency Perspective. *Agata Kotkowska, Head of Buildings and Heating/Cooling Sector. H2020 Energy Unit. EASME (European Commission).*

10:00 Cooperation of universities and public and private sector in the frame of construction clusters – challenges, objectives, benefits. *Włodzimierz Grochal,* *Swietokrzysko-Podkarpacki Energy Cluster.*

10:30 *Croskills: Lifelong training plan for building workers. Diana Horvat, Head of department, Sector for Energy Efficiency in the Buildings Sector. Ministry of Construction and Physical Planning, Croatia*

11:00 *Coffee break.*

**III - PANEL ON GOOD PRACTICES OF PROFESSIONALISATION OF THE CONSTRUCTION SECTOR**

11:30 The Podkarpackie Low-Energy Consumption Technologies Transfer Centre’s Passive House. *Anna Pasierb,* *Podkarpacka District Chamber of Civil Engineers.*

11:50Thermo-modernization of historic buildings within the old town of the city of Przemysl. *Bogusław Kotek, Association of Owners and Managers Homes in Przemysl.*

12:10 Cross-sectoral cooperation for raising qualifications of clusters
and associations members. *Katarzyna Kowalska, Podkarpacki Renewable Energy Cluster.*

12:30 Examples of successful BUILD UP Skills projects. *Agata Kotkowska, Head of Buildings and Heating/Cooling Sector. H2020 Energy Unit. EASME (European Commission).*

12:50 Professionalisation of skills: Comprehensive improvement of qualifications of civil engineers. *Paweł Chmura,* *Podkarpacka District Chamber of Civil Engineers.*

13:10 Q&A and discussion

**LUNCH**

13:30 – 14:45 Cocktail lunch

**IV – PITCHING SESSION**

14:45 Pitching session for clusters and associations.

This session is intended to initial cooperation and opportunities identification among clusters, associations and other entities.

**V – DYNAMIC SESSION and B2B MEETINGS**

**15:30 -17:00 Dynamic Session – Technical Committee**

This session will foster the interchange of opportunities among the attendants and the contribution to the BUILD2LC project objectives.

*Coffee available during the session.*

**17:00 -18:30 B2B meetings**

*Any cluster, association or other entity interested in increasing cooperation activities will have chance to hold bilateral meetings during this session.*

***18:30 End of meeting***