

## *Invitation to First Regional Policy Learning lab (PLL)*

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The CE Interreg project CEUP 2030 invites you to the first regional policy learning lab aimed at representatives from policy making organisations, higher education & research, SMEs, large enterprises, start-ups, business support organisations and parties interested in increasing innovation and cooperation at the regional level in our main focus area topics of

1. Intelligent Production Systems
2. Automation and Robotics
3. Smart and New Materials
4. Artificial Intelligence.

These four topics have been identified as being vital for the development and advancement of the Central European Manufacturing ecosystem and within the project, are called CAMI 4.0 (**C**entral European **A**dvanced **M**anufacturing and **I**ndustry **4.0**) topics

You and your colleagues are cordially invited to participate in our Online PLL.

- Date – Thursday, September 17<sup>th</sup> 2020
- Duration – 2 hours
- Timings – 13:00 to 15:00
- Location – Go to Meeting (Meeting link will follow)
- Agenda – The first PLL will serve as an introduction to the CEUP 2030 project and our network building activities and will also comprise of several interactive sessions and hold a short expert seminar on the topic of **‘Digital Manufacturing Technologies’**

The First PLL offers participants an introduction to the CEUP2030 project and functions as a starting point to our larger network building activities. You are receiving this invitation since we have identified that regionally your organisation is active within the CAMI 4.0 topics and your active participation and input will help shape, influence and implement the eventual creation of a large regional network comprising of three main stakeholder groups (Research, Industry and policy makers).

**The PLL are established** to train and empower people that work on policies & strategies for CAMI4.0 technologies. The PLL foster & anchor a policy training scheme where comprehensive learning processes are designed to be felt and understood quickly. Complex systems and technologies are made clear and understandable to target groups. The PLL are used for sharing information and are a platform for knowledge exchange regarding current developments and approaches towards challenges regarding the CAMI4.0 technologies. Industrial and research participants also have the vital role of shaping the trainings towards topics that are of significant future importance for them, so that policy makers have the most up to date knowledge on these topics when making policy related decisions.

In all our project activities, participants benefit from **networking** and **connecting** with innovation actors from different partner regions of Central Europe to explore novel cooperation opportunities.

*We are looking forward to your active participation to help create a thriving network!!!*

**CEUP2030** (CE 1662) is a project financed by Interreg Central Europe that started in March 2020 and comprises 10 project partners from 7 European countries, namely Germany, Poland, Austria, Italy, Slovenia, Croatia and Hungary.

CEUP 2030 strives for excellence in policy making on Industry 4.0/Advanced Manufacturing in within regions in Central Europe, since the understanding of new technologies varies among the academia, industry and governments. CEUP 2030 enhances the CE innovation eco system by establishing a sound Trend & Innovation Network scheme working on 4 common CAMI4.0 topics and set policy pilot actions for improving the innovation landscape with the RIS3 Round Tables. Furthermore, trainings in the Policy Learning Labs & the elaborated tech radars (in the Policy Intelligence Dashboard) also increase the innovation capacity.

Website: <https://www.interreg-central.eu/Content.Node/CEUP-2030.html>

### **Registration**

The participation in the Policy Learning Lab is free of charge. Registration should be made via E-Mail to [amal.charles@kit.edu](mailto:amal.charles@kit.edu) or [clarissa.marquardt@kit.edu](mailto:clarissa.marquardt@kit.edu).

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