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Over the last years, the EU has witnessed some remarkable steps in Renewable Energy (RE) deployment. However, at the same time, we see an increasingly uneven penetration of RE across the different energy sectors, with the heating and cooling sector lagging behind. Community bioenergy schemes can play a catalytic role in the market uptake of bioenergy heating technologies and can strongly support the increase of renewables penetration in the heating and cooling sector, contributing to the EU target for increasing renewable heat within this next decade. However, compared to other RES, bioenergy has a remarkably slower development pace in the decentralised energy production which is a model that is set to play a crucial role in the future of the energy transition in the EU.

The ambition of the EU-funded BECoop project is **to provide the necessary conditions and technical as well as business support tools for unlocking the underlying market potential of community bioenergy.** The project's goal is to make community bioenergy projects more appealing to potential interested actors and to foster new links and partnerships among the international bioenergy community.

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Abbreviations

| DCP | Dissemination and Communication Plan |
|-------|--------------------------------------|
| ESCOs | Energy Service Companies |
| KEP | Knowledge Exchange Platform |
| RE | Renewable Energy |

Executive summary

Effective dissemination and communication activities are essential for the success of any project. They mutually reinforce and benefit each other, as evidenced by the numerous BECoop activities. These initiatives, involved the Work Package leader and all partners in more than 300 actions.

BECoop was a CSA–Coordination and Support Actions project, meaning that the project focused on activities coordinating or supporting research actions and strategies, such as networking and exchange actions, cross-border access to research infrastructure, studies, conferences, preparation of studies etc. *"Actions consisting primarily of accompanying measures such as standardisation, dissemination, awareness-raising and communication, networking, coordination or support services, policy dialogues and mutual learning exercises and studies, including design studies for new infrastructure and may also include complementary activities of strategic planning, networking and coordination between programmes in different countries".¹*

All partners received funding to implement the action with a primary focus on the specified activities. The estimated outreach, particularly reported under WP3 and WP6, demonstrates the impact and effectiveness of these actions. **All KPIs were not only met but also exceeded**, as this report will clearly illustrate.

BECoop partners dedicated their efforts to <u>dissemination activities</u> aimed at engaging specific project audiences (RESCoops, local authorities and municipalities, policymakers, energy and RE authorities and associations, energy market actors, sister projects, etc.). These activities provided detailed and specific information about project results to maximize its impact. Additionally, they conducted <u>communication</u> <u>activities</u> targeting larger audiences with the goal to promote the project and increase its visibility.

Nota Bene: The exploitation strategy and plan, which activities are part of the Work Package 6, are not described in this document as they are part of a stand-alone deliverable, D6.8. Additional deliverables connected to D6.2 include D3.5, presenting awareness-raising actions, and D6.6, focusing on the synergies with other projects. All will be available in October 2023 onwards on the BECoop website.

¹ <u>https://ec.europa.eu/research/participants/data/ref/h2020/other/wp/2018-2020/annexes/h2020-wp1820-annex-d-csa_en.pdf</u>

1 Introduction

Dissemination and communication activities play a pivotal role in a project's success and were identified as crucial components in BECoop's plans to support the project's objectives. This document outlines both <u>dissemination activities</u> directed at specific audiences (RESCoops, local authorities, municipalities, policymakers, energy and RE authorities and associations, energy market actors, sister projects, etc.) with detailed information on project results to maximize impact, as well as <u>communication activities</u> aimed at broader audiences to promote the project and increase its visibility.

This document, produced after three years, summarises all communication and dissemination activities, with a strong focus on their results: how do they perform (with regards to the set KPIs)? How many actions were reported by partners and how much have they contributed to the project success? Answers to these questions and more are included in the report.

We focus on the various target groups the project focused on, and our strategies to effectively reach them. This includes for example which tools and distribution channels we used, with which expected objectives and impacts. All activities presented in this document and resulting from all partners' actions *were monitored using an Excel template available in the annexes*.

Finally, the report also includes the project identity, templates and material that were key to ensure a better recognition and visibility for the project, as well as providing accurate information on the project activities and raising awareness on the topics it addresses (bioenergy, community bioenergy), in a vulgarised language, with modern, elegant touches.

The main sections of this document are presented below:

Chapter 2: The objectives of the BECoop Dissemination and communication activities are enlisted in this chapter.

Chapter 3 reminds the project Work Package deliverables, providing links to them.

Chapter 4: Who did we aim to reach with our communication and dissemination activities? This chapter reminds the target audiences and how we aimed at reaching them.

Chapter 5: The production of this report was mostly possible thanks to the partners' inputs and reporting in the project monitoring file. The chapter presents the file and process.

Chapter 6: This short chapter gathers all figures from the following chapters into a comprehensive table of estimated outreach.

Chapter 7: The chapter reminds how we planned and executed the communication and dissemination actions.

Chapter 8: This long chapter goes into details into each category of action: events, media work, social media, websites, and many more, summarising key actions and achievements of the KPIs.

Chapter 9: A short chapter extracting key information from Deliverable 6.6, which presents in details the activities with sister projects.

In the Annex are listed:

- A list of the platforms, portals and stakeholder associations leveraged to increase outreach throughout the project.
- The media targets at EU and MS levels.
- And finally, the full results from the Excel monitoring table.

2 Objectives of the dissemination and communication activities

Our primary objective for dissemination activities was to promote the broad adoption of BECoop's results, thereby maximizing the project's impact. Simultaneously, we engaged in project communication efforts directed at multiple audiences to raise awareness on various levels.

To this end, BECoop communication and dissemination plan(s) outlined the approach to effectively communicate the project's outcomes, guiding partners in planning and implementing their respective activities, serving also as a management tool for the consortium and the European Commission. The global impact of the COVID-19 crisis led to adaptations, including the transition of many events to digital formats during the first 18 months of the project.

Project-specific dissemination and communication objectives were to:

- Develop a Dissemination and Communication Plan that identifies target groups, key messages, communication channels, timelines, and responsibilities, to set up an effective dissemination and communication strategy and guarantee a large uptake and coverage of the project achievements and outputs.
- Raise awareness on, communicate and disseminate BECoop's value propositions and results.
- Organise and run dissemination and communication activities and events, ensuring stakeholder engagement during the project as well as uptake and sustainability of the outcomes beyond its end.
- Establish continuous communication, coordinate, and exploit synergies with relevant initiatives and projects.
- Demonstrate, with quantifiable evidence, the impact of project results, stimulating trust and confidence in them and driving the development of an enabling environment for their deployment and uptake.
- Promote pilot results to increase awareness among the bioenergy community value chain, in several languages.
- Ensure careful attention is put on following the GDPR.

3 WP6 deliverables

WP6 entailed many activities divided into three tasks and eight deliverables: the table below includes links to the PDFs on the website, along with concise summaries of the deliverables.

Most of the BECoop deliverables are public and will remain available on the project website for 2 more years, and on the European Commission's CORDIS website for a longer period of time.

| Deliverables | Summary | Lead participant | Due date |
|---|--|---------------------|-------------|
| <u>D6.1 Dissemination and</u> <u>Communication Plan -</u> <u>first</u> | A report that outlined the strategy, objectives, and plan (including qualitative and quantitative targets) to increase awareness of project activities and communicate its results to the wider possible audience. | IEECP | M3 |
| D6.2 Dissemination and Communication Plan - final | Dissemination and Communication Plan – Final version. (Task 6.1) | IEECP | M18 |
| D6.3 BECoop Web Portal and dissemination material | A report describing the structure and features of the BECoop web portal and the project's promotional package (i.e., logo, leaflet, poster, letterhead, presentation, and publication templates, etc.). (Task 6.1) | IEECP | M4 |
| D6.4 Dissemination and communication results (this report) | Summarises all the information related to the dissemination/ communication activities (scope, context, outcomes.) deployed to reach the relevant stakeholders and communicate project activities and findings. (Task 6.1) | IEECP | M36 |
| <u>D6.5 BECoop synergies</u> with similar initiatives – <u>first</u> | The report summarises the BECoop approach, and all activities deployed with a view to create synergies with similar national and international initiatives – First version (Task 6.2) | IEECP | M18 |
| D6.6 BECoop synergies with similar initiatives – final (<u>available here</u> <u>from October 2023</u>) | The report summarises the BECoop approach, and all activities deployed with a view to create synergies with similar national and international initiatives – Final version (Task 6.2) | IEECP | M36 |
| <u>D6.7 BECoop</u> <u>Exploitation and</u> <u>Sustainability Plan - first</u> | The report outlines the potential exploitation routes of the BECoop outcomes, ensuring that innovative ideas that surfaced from project activities are timely captured and meticulously investigated in terms of exploitation potential – First version (Task 6.3) | QPLAN | M12 |
| D6.8 BECoop Exploitation and Sustainability Plan – final (<u>available here</u> <u>from October 2023</u>) | The report outlines the potential exploitation routes of the BECoop outcomes, ensuring that innovative ideas that surfaced from project activities are timely captured and meticulously investigated in terms of exploitation potential – Final version (Task 6.3) | QPLAN | M36 |

| Table 1 - | WP6 Del | iverables | links | and | short | summarv |
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4 The BECoop audiences

To whom should the BECoop results be disseminated? Who will make use of the results? Or could serve as a multiplier? That is what we investigated at various stages of the project: when writing the proposal, the Grant Agreement, the first plans and while revising the plan.

To whom disseminate?

The stakeholder groups illustrated in Figure 1 were the ones identified as relevant to BECoop and, thus, represented the target audiences of the strategy implemented for three years. These groups cover several stakeholder categories across different regions. The stakeholder groups of BECoop are:

- RESCoops (e.g., existing RESCoops wishing to expand their activities in the bioenergy market or future ones – people interested in setting up a RESCoop)
- Local and regional Authorities/ Municipalities
- Energy/RE authorities and associations (e.g., national energy associations, bioenergy associations, etc.)
- Energy market actors (e.g., energy suppliers, grid operators, commercial RE companies, etc.)
- Bioenergy technology providers (e.g., Energy Service Companies, (ESCOs), boiler manufacturers, etc.)
- Facility operators
- Biomass Producers (e.g., feedstock providers, actors in the bioenergy supply chain)
- SMEs (e.g., participating in the bioenergy value chain activities)
- NGOs (e.g., environmental, energy, housing associations, etc.)
- Potential Investors/Financiers active in the field of energy, RE, green financing, etc.
- Policymakers (e.g., local/national/ EU policymakers in energy, agriculture, environment, etc.)
- General Public/ Citizens.

The activities performed to increase project outreach were targeted, using specific channels or direct contacts. The target groups for BECoop were approached using specific messages highlighting the relevance of the project and return of knowledge, with specific channels. Under WP3, stakeholders reached include mostly audiences at local level, through the many informative event, but also EU-wide stakeholders thanks to the webinars and EU campaign. Similarly, within the scope of WP6 activities, our reach extended to stakeholders at both the national and international levels, as elaborated further in this report.

The table below presents in a compiled format our audience, their needs, the channels to reach them and key messages.



Biomass

producers

BECoop

Associations

Clusters

Technology

Providers

Citizens

SMEs

Potential

Investors

Policy/

Decision

Makers

RESCoops

Local Authorities

Municipalities

NGOs

| Target groups | Needs | Messages and added value | Channels |
|---|--|--|---|
| Potential project owners (e.g., existing or future RESCoops), energy/RE authorities and associations (e.g., national energy associations, bioenergy associations, bioenergy associations, etc.), energy market actors (e.g., energy suppliers, grid operators, etc.) | Community engagement around bioenergy Understanding what RECs are and the benefits they can bring Addressing barriers of implementing bioenergy technologies Lower investment decision risk | There are over 3,500 officially listed RESCoops with over 1 million citizens offering thousands of direct job positions. Showing the added value of RESCoops. BECoop will ease project development, through technical, business, financial support and the open call for replication cases | Newsletters, Press releases and general articles, Video, brochure & poster, social media, events (capacity building and trainings), website & Knowledge Exchange Platform, sister projects actions, especially events. |
| Authorities and policymakers | Evidence & recommendations for the frameworks that support community energy Communication and coordination between government and community initiatives Better-informed and realistic policies Support new community energy initiatives | Heating recognised a key priority towards achieving decarbonisation and energy efficiency targets, as it covers almost half of the EU energy consumption. Given that over 80% of heating relies on fossil fuels, it is essential to accelerate the efforts within this sector, to reach the EU's REDII 2030 target of 32% renewables in the total energy mix. Policy insights and recommendations. | Newsletters, press releases and general articles, roadmaps & policy recommendations, social media, website & Knowledge Exchange Platform, final conference, clustering activities / synergies with other initiatives. |
| Bioenergy industry (technology providers (e.g., ESCOs, boiler manufacturers, etc.), biomass producers (e.g., feedstock providers, actors in the bioenergy supply chain) and SMEs) | More information about the community energy market New business channels Actions for a better bioenergy positioning | BECoop supports them in sharing a positive image of bioenergy, focusing on all it can bring Synergies with cooperatives Exploitation of emerging markets Guidelines and tools to facilitate the replication of results (e-market, self-assessment tool, KEP) | Digital communication, media, video, brochure/ poster, catalogues, factsheets and social, events, matchmaking & brokerage events, tools. Sister projects. |
| Citizens | Information about bioenergy solutions for heating Information about RESCoops, how to join them, etc. Incentives for joining/creating a RESCoop | Increase engagement of citizens and stakeholders through better information. Increased knowledge around community bioenergy Increased social acceptance of RES and bioenergy | Video, sister projects actions, press releases and general articles, brochure & poster, social media, events & fairs participation, website & Knowledge Exchange Platform. |

| Table 2 - Target | audiences. nee | ds. messaaes | and channels |
|------------------|-------------------|--------------|--------------|
| I WARE THISE | addicitees, field | as, messages | and channels |

5 Monitoring of dissemination and communication activities: process and results in short

Dissemination and communication actions were, as written earlier, split between activities performed by the WP leader, mostly online, and those undertaken by all project partners, onsite and online: we monitored them through a shared Excel document (available in the annexes).

Partners had access to an Excel file, located on the Google Drive, where they were asked to keep track of all the dissemination and communication work completed over the project lifetime: this includes press coverage, specialised journal contributions, events' presentations, mentions and more. Partners could in addition put crosses next to the stakeholders their actions allowed reaching.

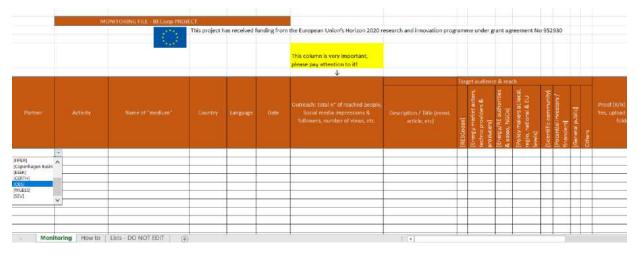


Figure 2 - BECoop Excel file for monitoring

The monitoring file was checked constantly during the project to check if we are in line with our communication KPIs.

The activities that can be reported include:

- Newsletter insertion
- Website news or page
- Article (general public)
- Webinar
- Oral presentation
- Event exhibition or poster
- Scientific article
- Social media post
- Other (please specify in comments)
- Brochure dissemination
- Video

- Press release
- Interview
- Event organisation (workshop or other)

The following "restricted" groups were added in the monitoring file and reached:

- RESCoops
- Energy market actors, techno providers & producers
- Energy/RE authorities & associations, NGOs
- Policy makers at local, regional, national & EU levels
- Scientific community
- Potential investors / financiers
- Media
- General public

Based on the partners' input, the estimated reach among the various groups is as follows.

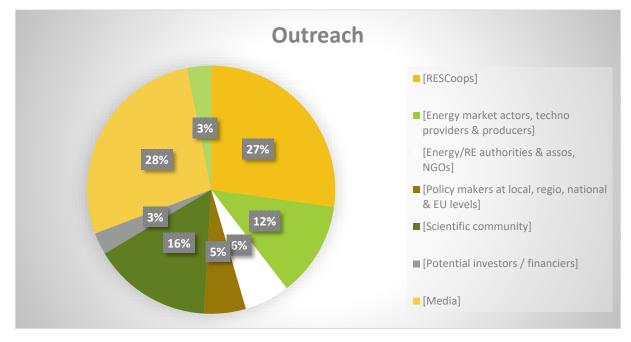


Figure 3 - BECoop estimation of stakeholders' reach

6 Estimated outreach - summary

Based on the available data from websites and analytics, as reported in this deliverable (please note that these figures could be even higher due to missing data), the results are as follows:

Table 3 BECoop outreach – a summary

| | BECoop outreach | KPI (Grant Agreement) | Monitoring tool |
|---|---|--|--|
| Number of activities reported by partners (excel monitoring file) | Over 300 | х | Excel Monitoring file |
| BECoop website unique visitors | 8,700 | х | Google Analytics account set up when website launched |
| BECoop website visits | 42,000 | 20,000 cumulative website visitors, during the project life | Google Analytics account set up when website launched |
| BECoop website downloads | 1,700 | х | Google Analytics account set up when website launched |
| Web posts (partners' websites) | Over 28,354 views 70 posts | х | Report from partners |
| Newsletters / subscribers | 7 (+1 coming) / 785 recipients | 6 newsletters / over 500 recipients reached in total | MailChimp emailing system |
| Social media reach (BECoop + partners' accounts) | 1,489 followers on BECoop social media + 69,338 on partners' accounts / 100,000 impressions / over 1,000 posts on BECoop accounts + 354 on partners' | Over 5,000 followers and 50,000 impressions on social media (project and partners) | Twitter and Facebook own analytics, partners' reporting |
| Media and platforms | Over 76 articles and interviews, for a readership/viewership of over 46 000 people | х | Report from partners, YouTube views |
| Videos / number of views | >25 videos, 2,418 views | х | YouTube views |
| Events | 89 events reported, for a total (not complete, so the number is probably much higher) of 17,590 participants | >30 | Number reported in the monitoring file with information available |

| | BECoop outreach | KPI (Grant Agreement) | Monitoring tool |
|---|---|--------------------------|--|
| Digital networking and clustering activities with EU projects | 25 projects and many actions (see D6.6) | 10 joint actions | Digital monitoring, Google Drive |
| Scientific publications | 7 | Х | |
| Final event | NA (event happening after this report is written) – 138 registrations as of October 9 | >100 participants | Monitoring file, photos, presentations, and minutes |

7 Dissemination and communication: processes and planning

BECoop's team was committed for the past three years to delivering results and sharing them through dedicated communication actions – sharing the project's information and results to multiple audiences, dissemination actions – making the project results available for use to audiences that may use them, and finally exploitation actions, making available results to audiences that will use them.

The main **actions** are summarised in the conceptual graphic below. Please note the graphic main reason-to-be is to show where BECoop actions belong (Communication vs Dissemination vs Exploitation) – detailed focus is put on all in the next chapters.

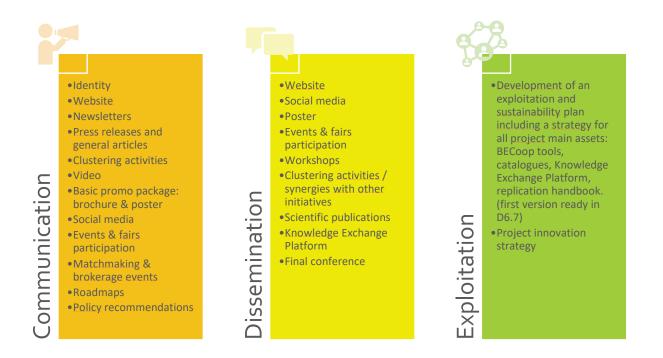


Figure 4 - BECoop dissemination, communication and exploitation actions

Some processes were agreed among partners and the BECoop communication manager, to ensure the smooth facilitation of action, as presented below:

- Monitoring of activities: partners should communicate to the DM any event they attend, prior to it for promotion, and after for reporting. A dedicated chapter is included in this document.
- Promoting BECoop results: the DM has demonstrated to be available for support actions (developing banners, posters, press releases, etc.) to support any promotional effort.
 Partners can always find support, provided they allocate enough time for the activity to happen.

- Communication with partners: regular emails are sent sharing social media links, newsletters or posts that should be shared by partners to support the communication effort, some posts are also made into the project TEAMS group.
- Finally, some rules related to the funding programme are to be respected, they are also highlighted in this document (publishing in scientific journals, adding the EU disclaimer, etc.).

How were the activities planned and organised?

During each monthly project meeting, the BECoop DM would record activities from other work packages and strategize on how to promote ongoing developments. For example, if a new tool was released, a specific campaign would be planned.

Table 4 is a **planning** of communication and dissemination actions that was prepared at M18 to show partners what could take place until the project end. Partners were invited to contribute to the table by adding ideas or actions already planned. Retrospectively, this is great to see we not only organised what we imagined but even more.

| Activity | Timing | Partner(s) | | | |
|--|--------------------------|---------------------------|--|--|--|
| REGULAR ACTIVITIES | | | | | |
| Feeding TEAMS BECoop channel with news, reports, even | ts | IEECP, all partners | | | |
| Posts on social media | | IEECP | | | |
| Add news, events, external resources and updates as we different languages on BECoop website | ll as material in the | IEECP | | | |
| Lead sister projects activities: calls, actions | | IEECP | | | |
| Email project partners when things to share, like, etc. | | IEECP | | | |
| TIMED ACT | IONS | | | | |
| EUBCE poster - BECoop tools | April 22, 2022 | IEECP, CIRCE | | | |
| Sister projects - Tools workshop and after event material | April 26, 2022 | IEECP, Q-PLAN and CIRCE | | | |
| Promote BECoop video in all languages | May 10, 2022 | IEECP, pilot leaders, all | | | |
| Make new video with pilot focus // Promote | May-June 2022 | IEECP | | | |
| EUSEW event with W4RES and eCREW | End of September 2022 | IEECP, Q-PLAN | | | |
| BECoop newsletter #4 | October 2022 | IEECP | | | |
| BECoop replication handbook promotional campaign | May-June 2023 | IEECP, WR | | | |
| Final BECoop event involving the Sister projects | October 2023 | IEECP, all | | | |

Table 4 - BECoop communication plan table from M18 - reduced version

8 Dissemination and communication tools and activities

All project-specific dissemination and communication tools, used in the past three years, are detailed in this chapter. The creation of BECoop identity guidelines was the first step towards building a strong project presence and recognition. It was prepared by IEECP, after receiving input from partners, and was the basis to develop all promotional and dissemination material highlighting the BECoop messages: poster, brochure, newsletter templates, website, and many more are presented in this chapter.

Different levels of promotional material ensure outreach and increase the project visibility. The creation of identity guidelines, the first step towards building a strong project presence and recognition, was prepared by IEECP, after input received during the project Kick Off Meeting (M1).

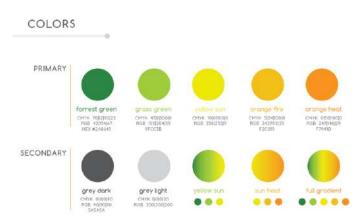
8.1 BECoop identity and guidelines

A first selection was provided to partners with few logo options they could vote on, allowing to refine the most popular option.

The project guidelines include logo, colours, fonts as well as PPT and Word templates to be used throughout the project lifetime, to ensure brand recognition. The BECoop identity, guidelines as well as the presentation and publication templates were presented in D6.1 - Communication and Dissemination Plan and its update D6.3).

The EU emblem and funding source have a prominent space in the project templates.





LOGO GUIDELINES

COLORED LOGO

Always use the full color logo. The colors are a part of the logo.



FREE SPACE

Around the logo must be free space where no graphic element or text is allowed.

To preserve the readability

of the logo and to strengthen recognizability.

The free space is the height of the letter "o"

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Figure 6 - Main guidelines, colour scheme, fonts and icons

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Figure 7 - BECoop PowerPoint and Word templates

In line with the European Commission's policy on corporate visual identity, Horizon 2020 is promoted as a verbal brand, meaning no "visual mark" or logotype. When Horizon 2020 is promoted by beneficiaries and other third parties, the EU emblem (flag) can be used in conjunction with the words "Horizon 2020".



The project BECoop has received funding from the European Union's Horizon 2020 research and innovation programme under grant agreement No 952930.

Figure 8 - EU Horizon 2020 disclaimer

If the content of the publication / presentation or other action can be deemed controversial or taking a stand, the disclaimer included further wording, excluding the Agency responsibility:

"The sole responsibility for the content of this publication lies with the authors. It does not necessarily reflect the opinion of the European Union. Neither the European Commission nor any person acting on behalf of the Commission is responsible for any use that may be made of the information contained therein."

8.2 Promotional material

Different levels of material were regularly produced to ensure outreach and increase the project visibility: posters, a brochure, videos, leaflets, banners and more. They are reported below. All communication materials display the EU emblem, the Horizon 2020 funding source and, where appropriate, a disclaimer.

The files were widely disseminated through all project tools and channels and built on the importance of languages of the local pilots (Greek, Italian, Spanish, Basque, Polish and English), translating and adapting to local conditions, whenever needed, the developed material (for instance a website dedicated section, some newsletters, the brochure, and poster, etc.). Some of the material is therefore available on the project website in many languages.



Some screenshots of the developed material are integrated in this chapter, yet not all are included: additional material was developed on a country basis, sometimes even directly by the partners, such as banners, posters, etc.

8.2.1 BECoop brochure

A brochure was produced and shared with all partners in February 2021, to introduce the project to all target audiences, interested actors and, of course, pilot stakeholders.

Shaped as a threefold, recto and verso, it presents:

- A focus on bioenergy and communities: the different sources and use, as well as the benefits communities can entail.
- The BECoop objectives and key activities.
- The project pilots and tools, as well as other assets, showcased as key figures, and
- The project partners and all contact details.
- It also provides a link to our project website for readers to find out more.

The brochure is written in a clearly understood language and produced with an eye-catching, colourful, and elegant design. Two versions were produced: one for digital use, and one for print.



Figure 9 - BECoop brochure, for digital use, recto and verso

8.2.2 BECoop posters

A first project-poster was developed in the same month of 2021, highlighting the BECoop goal and activities in a brief yet concise manner. The condensed information allowed readers to better focus on the essential elements, like key activities, map of pilots, project partners and key contact information. The poster further allowed the eye to rest and concentrate on the visual elements. IEECP developed further posters focusing on results and recommendations, while partners developed some to present at conferences (e.g. with a focus on the project tools).



Figure 10 – Some of the BECoop posters

8.2.3 Banners, briefings, handbooks and factsheets

Leaflets, banners, infographics and factsheets highlighting other BECoop Work Packages' results or supporting their activities (e.g., WP3 awareness campaigns and actions) were produced on demand, allowing, with additional formats, to target different audiences (policymakers, citizens, RESCoops, etc.). CIRCE used BECoop identity to develop, themselves, the WP2 factsheets: <u>all these technical factsheets are uploaded here</u>.





Figure 11 – Focus on banners developed to promote some of the project tools

Figure 12 – Most banners used on social media



Figure 13 -WP2 factsheet and ESEK campaign on billboards

Considering the highly digital aspect of this project, we aimed to make it **paper-free (no print)**, having at least a 90% digital dissemination and communication focus. The digital files of our poster and brochure were widely disseminated through all project tools and channels. Whenever needed, the BECoop promotional material was translated and adapted to the pilot local languages and characteristics (Greek, Italian, Spanish, Basque, Polish and English). It was, therefore, recommended to consortium partners to consider printing the material only in cases that there is an added value demonstrated and in reasonable quantities to avoid waste.

A great action to note was the posting on a billboard of information on the project by ESEK.

WP3, organising awareness-raising actions, also fed into additional material developed. The **banners** are stored on the website. They were linked to posts made on social media, in an informative and awareness-raising purpose. The action consisted of "Did you know?" information, sharing key facts and data about energy communities and biomass/bioenergy. <u>View all here</u>.

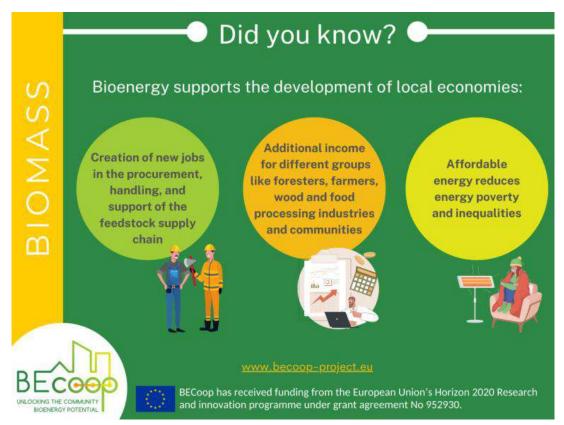


Figure 14 -Banner from the WP3/WP6 EU campaign

IEECP produced numerous **briefings** for BECoop, often drawing from activities conducted in collaboration with sister projects:

- Event briefing From setting up energy communities to making them thrive: what are the tools available? The production of this brief was led by ICLEI, following an event organised by sister projects. It presents 18 tools showcased in the event, developed by 9 EU-funded projects.
- Briefing & video A tour in the Northern Italian mountains, to learn more about sustainable biomass use. The briefing was developed by IEECP following a field visit organised by FIPER and SEV in the North of Italy. It gathers insights and key aspects from the visits.
- Are renewable energy communities a vehicle to mitigate the energy crisis and lift people out of energy poverty? This briefing is a unique collaboration between 10 projects who worked under the BECoop lead to produce a research piece feeding the legislative processes.
- More women in renewables and energy communities: safeguarding an enabling policy framework. This briefing was produced by BECoop following the event organised for EUSEW 2022.

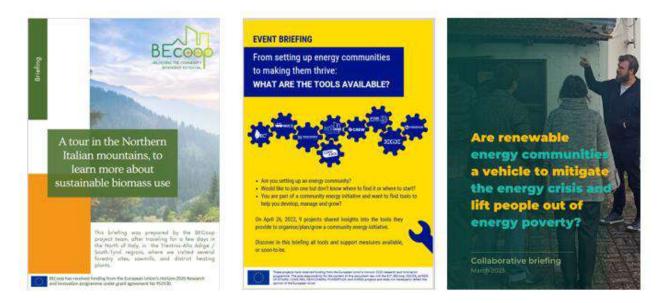


Figure 15 – Some of the BECoop briefings

Finally, two guides were produced in the framework of the project (available on the project website):

The replication handbook - A visual tool to kick start bioenergy communities!

The BECoop Replication Handbook builds upon the project's experience and pilot implementation results. It offers a step-by-step approach for developing or expanding community bioenergy heating initiatives. Whether you're starting from scratch or enhancing an existing project, the handbook supports you to replicate the successful BECoop concept, tools, and services. (This Handbook was prepared by White Research with the support of all partners under WP5) – available in English.

- Guide to creating renewable energy communities using a participative approach

During late 2020 and first half of 2021, hit by successive waves of the pandemic, it was not possible to hold live presentations in community halls and schools etc, yet the partners were committed to their obligations and goals in BECoop. That's when GOINER's partners decided to capture the vision, accumulated knowledge, and experience, in a handbook that could be distributed freely to all interested parties, as a means of reaching a broader audience. (This Guidebook was prepared by GOINER to support WP3) – available in English, Spanish and Basque.



Figure 16. The BECoop Replication Handbook

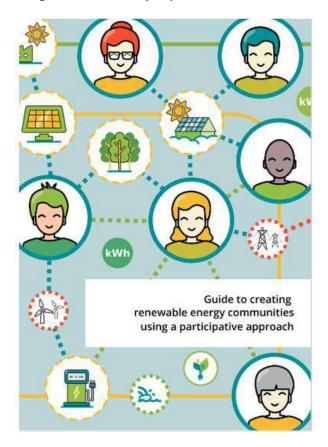


Figure 17. Guidebook prepared by GOIENER

8.2.4 Videos

After a brainstorming process, a **promotional video** was produced early 2022, to create awareness and exploit viral effects. The video concept was developed by IEECP and discussed with partners after a first brainstorming call, in a concept note. Different video concepts were voted for (research approach, interview style or cartoon). Three video producers were approached to benchmark skills, propositions and pricing, and the selected producer was <u>Kai Productions</u>, having good references. The process was then as follows: briefing the producers, receiving, and discussing the script, scenario, then the storyboard, the animation and voice, music, etc. After each step of the process, partners were involved, to ensure the video would represent as best as possible there. The video, finalised in English, was then uploaded on YouTube March 11, 2022, and shared through all BECoop channels (website, newsletter, social media) and those of partners. The video presents BECoop in a light informative way, as well as bioenergy and energy communities. Finally, the project partners translated and recorded it in their languages (Polish, Greek, Spanish, Basque, French, Italian and German) and were integrated by the producers. A second video, focusing / showcasing our pilots was prepared later in 2022.



Figure 18 - BECoop video screens

We have compiled here in a table all the videos available on the <u>project playlist</u> (25 in total), with a short description and the number of views reached until October 10, 2023.

| Video title | Short description | Links | Year | Views |
|----------------------------------|--|-------------|------|-------|
| BECoop video: English version | This short video explains in 2 minutes concepts such as biomass / bioenergy, energy communities and introduces BECoop and its key actions to foster a broad deployment of bioenergy heating technologies across Europe and empower policy to | <u>Link</u> | 2022 | 292 |

Table 5 - BECoop videos added on the BECoop playlist

| | transfer the community energy momentum to bioenergy heating. | | | |
|--|---|-------------|------|-----|
| BECoop video: Italian version | Same as above | <u>Link</u> | 2022 | 62 |
| BECoop video: Greek version | Same as above | <u>Link</u> | 2022 | 96 |
| BECoop video: French version | Same as above | <u>Link</u> | 2022 | 25 |
| BECoop video: Polish version | Same as above | <u>Link</u> | 2022 | 64 |
| BECoop video: German version | Same as above | <u>Link</u> | 2022 | 13 |
| BECoop video: Spanish version | Same as above | <u>Link</u> | 2022 | 73 |
| BECoop video: Basque version | Same as above | <u>Link</u> | 2022 | 18 |
| BECoop video: focus on pilots | This shorter video focuses on the project pilots. | <u>Link</u> | 2022 | 35 |
| From setting up energy communities to making them thrive: what are the tools available? | This workshop, organised by 9 projects funded by the European programme H2020 and working on the topic of energy communities, showcased in an interactive manner 18 tools they are making available to people setting up / managing / growing energy communities: citizens, future and existing energy communities, policymakers, other projects / initiatives, RESCoops, etc. | <u>Link</u> | 2022 | 59 |
| Introducing the BECoop Toolkit for developers, operators of community bioenergy & heating projects | Jaime Guerrero Belza from CIRCE gives a tutorial for the BECoop Toolkit. | <u>Link</u> | 2022 | 85 |
| Our Own Energy event in Karditsa's community: putting biomass at the center of energy communities | The 2-day event "Our Own Energy" in Karditsa, Greece organised by ESEK (the Energy Cooperative of Karditsa) allowed citizens to learn about their own energy through informative and entertaining activities. The program included visits to local biomass projects, a closed experiential workshop to assess the social impact of the NECP (national energy and climate plan), and outdoor information activities, music, and much more! | Link | 2022 | 110 |
| Biomasa do celów grzewczych: zastąpienie paliw kopalnych pelletem z biomasy | Biomass for heating purposes: replacing fossil fuels into biomass pellet." Interview with the mayor of the Piekary village in the Oborniki Śląskie Commune, by Arkadiusz Dyjakon, WUELS. | <u>Link</u> | 2022 | 56 |

| More women in renewables and energy communities: safeguarding an enabling policy framework | The event drew attention to women in energy communities and in the Renewable Heating and Cooling sectors, empowering them to reclaim energy. To understand and highlight the barriers they face, especially to enter or be represented in the energy sector, as well as their behaviours and perceptions, panellists looked at gender equality in RES and ECs from a societal perspective, exploring different survey results and outlining inclusive policies. | <u>Link</u> | 2022 | 61 |
|---|--|-------------|------|-----|
| Webinar "Just Energy Toolbox Boosting skills for an inclusive and sustainable energy transition" | On 5 June 2023, as part of the EU Green Week which theme was "the European year of skills", the BECoop, POWERPOOR and W4RES EU-funded projects presented toolkits and recommendations to support citizens and women in taking part in the energy transition. | Link | 2023 | 37 |
| Webinar "Supporting energy communities in tackling energy poverty and gender inequality: skill up!" | On 12 June 2023, the BECoop, POWERPOOR and W4RES EU-funded projects organised the webinar "Supporting energy communities in tackling energy poverty and gender inequality: skill up!", registered as a Sustainable Energy Day under this year's European Sustainable Energy Week (EUSEW). | <u>Link</u> | 2023 | 23 |
| All WP3 webinars (10 webinars) | BECoop partners are holding a series of webinars, from November 2022 to May 2023, to introduce key topics to whoever is interested. | <u>Link</u> | 2023 | 528 |
| Unlocking the community bioenergy potential - The EU-funded project BECoop team visits in Thessaly | This short video takes you for few minutes with us on our trip to Thessaly, to visit bioenergy communities in Karditsa, Greece. | <u>Link</u> | 2023 | 46 |
| TOTAL | 1683 | | | |

In addition to the above, partners created videos shared on their individual channels, which are included below:

| Table 6 - BECoop video | on partners' channels |
|------------------------|-----------------------|
|------------------------|-----------------------|

| Video title | Short description | Links | Year | Views |
|---|--|-------------|------|-------|
| Comunità dell'energia rinnovabile | Interviews and ambiance from the event focusing on development perspectives for the Valtellina Region. | <u>Link</u> | 2022 | 142 |
| BECoop meeting in Tirano | 8-9 November, 2022, field visits in Tirano for the BECoop team. | <u>Link</u> | 2022 | 127 |
| Evento Fiper: I nostri boschi: Energia della Valle! | This video showcases images from a BECoop event organised by Fiper. | <u>Link</u> | 2022 | 97 |
| Presente e futuro del Biogas e del Biometano in | The prosperous Italian and European studies on biogas and biometano: intervista a Giovanni Perrella | <u>Link</u> | 2022 | 119 |

| Italia e in Europa - Assemblea CMA 17 giugno 2022 | del Ministero per la transizione ecologica e Giulia Cancian, segretario generale di EBA - European Biogas Association | | | |
|---|---|-------------|------|-----|
| Field visits highlights 2023 | The video follows the BECoop team in their visits in Trentino Alto Adige, in Italy, in March 2023. | <u>Link</u> | 2023 | 177 |
| ESEK presentation | Discover the inspiring story of the Energy Community of Karditsa (ESEK), a pioneering citizen energy cooperative that transformed into an Energy Community in 2019. With over 400 dedicated members, including municipalities, SMEs, and associations, ESEK is at the forefront of renewable energy in the Thessaly region. | <u>Link</u> | 2023 | 73 |
| TOTAL | 735 | | | |

8.3 Online communication

8.3.1 BECoop website

A great deal of the BECoop visibility relied on the project's website. It was, therefore, a key step to have it released during the first months of project implementation (end of February 2021, M4). The BECoop website has been continuously updated with new content, news, events, and text sections when needed.

The BECoop web portal was launched in February 2021 (<u>www.becoop-project.eu</u>.) aiming to:

- Present in a comprehensive yet understandable manner the project, its activities and scope, and act as a **dissemination and communication tool**, informing stakeholders (among else, policymakers, general public, project stakeholders (energy agencies, providers), research & academia, media, etc.) across the EU on:
 - \circ The basic concepts that set the framework of the project implementation and
 - Relevant reports, studies and events
- Serve as an easy-to-use and navigate portal hosting the several tools developed during the project,
- Present the benefits that energy communities entail, especially for bioenergy heating projects,
- Share news, events and links bringing added value to visitors,
- Be a source of information, as transparent as possible, on what bioenergy is, its multiple sources and the technologies, benefits, the legislation around it,
- Serve as an **entry point to the project's Social Media Accounts** (LinkedIn, Twitter, Facebook, and YouTube).



Figure 19 - BECoop website homepage

Operational procedures and roles

IEECP launched early 2021 a call for proposals to find a web designer for the development of the BECoop web portal theme and asked 4 companies for quotes. The chosen web designer (<u>ideaz</u>) was selected based on experience, pricing and understanding of the project's website requirements. IEECP, representing BECoop, requested a simple yet dynamic website, with interactive elements, icons and graphics whenever feasible and adding value to the content. A list of references was provided to serve as examples of such websites. The final, commonly agreed, design and website structure is based on the WordPress CMS platform². **All partners** contributed to the portal content.

A form allowed interested website visitors to subscribe to the **BECoop newsletter** (supported via Mail Chimp). The monitoring of the website's key performance indicators will be performed using the free Google Analytics service to track helpful information such as number of visitors, average time spent on the website, popular pages, number of downloads etc.

The BECoop website is committed to being transparent and to ensuring that the privacy of its visitors is respected and protected. A Privacy Policy according to the General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR) also applies to the project website and governs personal information and collection usage by the website only. The cookie policy will specifically allow people to decide not to be tracked, following the GDPR requirements.

For more information, such as content management, privacy policy, full content and structure of the website, please see <u>D6.3 - Dissemination and Communication Material and website</u>.

The website will be maintained 2 years beyond the project completion – until February 2026. IEECP has also redesigned its website as a knowledge hub, now including microsites for projects: a <u>microsite</u> for <u>BECoop</u> has been created already and will be further populated in the coming months, to ensure that most important project material remain accessible.

Monitoring results

As of October 2023, we can report:

- 8 700 unique visitors to the BECoop website.
- 42 000 page views.
- An average engagement time of nearly 2 minutes.
- Visitors who most visit the website come from: Greece, Poland, Spain, France, Belgium and Italy.
- The most viewed pages are: Our tools: the self-assessment tool and toolkit especially; Our webinar series recap; About; Advisory Board and the pilots, especially Greece.
- 1 700 report downloads, with an estimation of 2.6 downloads per visitor.
- The country visitors with more downloads are Spain, Greece, Poland, Italy, France and Belgium.
- The most downloaded material are: The project reports (340), the technical and financial catalogues (142), the replication handbook (79), the communication material (handbooks, posters, etc) (78) and the energy poverty briefing (52).

² https://wordpress.com/

| | Page title and screen class 👻 🕂 | ↓ Views | Users | Views per user | Average engagement time | Event count All events 🝷 |
|----|--|---------------|---------------|-------------------|-------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| | | 42,308 | 8,692 | 4.87 | 1m 57s | 118,687 |
| | | 100% of total | 100% of total | Avg 0% | Δ۷g 0% | 100% of total |
| 1 | Home - BEcoop project | 11,118 | 4,594 | 2.42 | 0m 36s | 35,201 |
| 2 | BECOOP SELF-ASSESSMENT TOOL | 6,096 | 486 | 12.54 | 9m 45s | 16,514 |
| 3 | BECOOP TOOLKIT | 5,871 | 384 | 15.29 | 5m 11s | 13,967 |
| 4 | Webinar series - Join us from November 2022 to May 2023 to learn more on bioenergy and communities! - BEcoop project | 1,458 | 527 | 2.77 | 0m 41s | 4,199 |
| 5 | About - BEccop project | 1,162 | 672 | 1.73 | 0m 51s | 2,821 |
| 6 | Advisory Board - BEcoop project | 972 | 222 | 4.38 | 0m 53s | 2,228 |
| 7 | Greece - BEcoop project | 914 | 549 | 1.66 | 0m 42s | 2,326 |
| 8 | BECOOP SELF-ASESSMENT TOOL | 899 | 25 | 35.96 | 18m 56s | 2,270 |
| 9 | Reports - BEcoop project | 730 | 362 | 2.02 | 0m 48s | 2,134 |
| 10 | Italy - BEcoop project | 684 | 429 | 1.59 | 0m 36s | 1,665 |
| 11 | Newsletter - BEcoop project | 681 | 422 | 1.61 | 0m 17s | 2,148 |
| 12 | Partners - BEcoop project | 641 | 417 | 1.54 | 0m 30s | 1,689 |
| 13 | Spain - BEcoop project | 635 | 430 | 1.48 | 0m 37s | 1,431 |
| 14 | Poland - BEcoop project | 552 | 311 | 1.77 | 0m 41s | 1,265 |
| 15 | Dissemination Material - BEcoop project | 409 | 185 | 2.21 | 0m 44s | 1,156 |

Figure 20 - BECoop website statistics

It's worth noting that partners also included information on their websites. These additional news are listed in the complete monitoring section provided in the annexes.

- IEECP: <u>https://ieecp.org/projects/becoop/</u>
- FIPER: <u>https://www.fiper.it/volete-riscaldare-la-vostra-casa-il-prossimo-inverno-attraverso-una-comunita-bioenergetica-chiedete-il-supporto-di-becoop-per-crearla/</u>
- ESEK: <u>https://www.esek.gr/en/projects/</u>
- WUELS : <u>https://upwr.edu.pl/aktualnosci/becoop-bioenergia-lokalnie-3439.html /</u> <u>https://upwr.edu.pl/wspolpraca/projekty/becoop</u>
- CERTH: NA
- White Research: <u>https://white-research.eu/becoop-press-release/</u>
- CBS: <u>https://www.cbs.dk/en/research/departments-and-centres/department-of-</u> management-society-and-communication/research/research-projects
- OBS: <u>https://www.oborniki-slaskie.pl/aktualnosc/projekt-becoop-0</u>
- SEV: https://www.sev.bz.it/de/news/bioenergie-das-projekt-becoop-h2020/20-600.html
- GOIENER: https://www.goiener.com/es/proyectos-europeos/becoop/
- Q-PLAN: https://qplan-intl.gr/projects/becoop/
- CIRCE : <u>https://www.fcirce.es/eficiencia-energetica-es/becoop</u>

These have also generated many visits as can be shown in the table below. Again, this is an estimative figure probably well below reality, as not all partners could track the numbers.

Table 7 Partners' reported webpages - outreach

| Partner | Estimated number of posts / pages, on BECoop | Website unique visitors on pages mentioning BECoop TOTAL | RESCoops | Energy market actors, technology providers & producers | Energy/RE authorities & assos, NGOs | Policymakers | Scientific community | Potential investors | General public | Others |
|---------|---|--|----------|---|--|--------------|----------------------|---------------------|----------------|--------|
| IEECP | 5 | 6000 | 50 | 100 | 1000 | 2000 | 2000 | 150 | 500 | 200 |
| CIRCE | 1 | 17,476 | 50 | 720 | 720 | 500 | 2,000 | 1,000 | 10,000 | 2,500 |
| ESEK | 15 | | | | | | | | | |
| CERTH | 1 | 2000 | 40 | 200 | 200 | 100 | 800 | 100 | 560 | |
| GOIENER | 7 | 878 | | | | | | | | |
| SEV | 6 | NA | NA | NA | NA | NA | NA | NA | NA | NA |
| QPLAN | 35 | 2000 | 50 | 150 | 50 | 50 | 350 | 200 | 1150 | |
| TOTAL | 70 | 28 354 | 190 | 1170 | 1970 | 2650 | 5150 | 1450 | 12210 | 2700 |

8.3.2 Digital networking and platforms

Digital Networking refers to the outreach to interesting organisations (such as platforms, blogs, associations, NGOs, etc.) that helped us spread BECoop's messages. These platforms were used regularly to share /upload every project news and can be a media channel as well. The impact of our awareness raising actions was significantly enhanced by networks of cities and regions as well as RESCoop federations with which BECoop has close contacts and cooperation, e.g., FEDARENE, ENERGY CITIES, EUROCITIES, Climate Alliance, etc. RESCoop having joined BECoop's Advisory Board, and some of BECoop's partners being involved in it and in Bioenergy Europe, both have often shared our work.

The above were included into a "networks and media" list and received BECoop press releases or are contacted individually / tagged on social media to raise their attention. For instance, RESCoop included BECoop survey into its newsletter, shared posts on social media, while tools / reports / events are added on many of these platforms manually by the DM. All these actions were monitored and reported by the dissemination manager.

BECoop tools have also been linked to the website since their release: they are all connected and complementary in their purpose. At the project start, a call was organised between partners responsible for the project tools' development, to assess responsibilities, define what would go on which platform and more. For instance, after putting pros and cons in the balance, the WP3 webinar recordings were added to the BECoop Knowledge Exchange Platform, whereas the events announcement stayed within the project website.

The KEP, as a digital hub, served as a project dissemination facilitator, promoting peer exchange, matchmaking events and cross-regional interactions. It offered various stakeholders (other RESCoops, community initiatives, municipalities, RE and bioenergy industry actors, investors, etc.) a one-stop-shop lifting collaboration barriers across regions and sectors and minimising costs thanks to information sharing and knowledge exchange. The KEP is available from April 2022 (first version).

A comprehensive description can be found in the D5.1 - BECoop Knowledge Exchange Platform, first – available on the project website (final version will be ready end of October 2023).



Figure 21- KEP entry point to all BECoop tools (homepage)

As for other platforms used, key partners such as Rescoop.eu, Bioenergy Europe, and many more helped share our news and campaigns.

We proactively contacted them or added manually on the platforms where it was possible.

Below is a list of some networks / platforms we relied on:

- <u>eceee</u> (our events were included in the calendar)
- <u>RESCoop.eu</u> (with a focus on our Greek pilot (432 views on the Tweet), <u>promoting our e-</u> <u>market environment</u>, sharing our events, and more!)
- <u>Bioenergy Europe</u> supported us in sharing many posts on Twitter and LinkedIn.
- The DECIDE knowledge hub (includes our 4 tools)
- The European Commission Energy communities repository (with news on the open call or
- <u>The Energy Community platform</u> (including our replication handbook)
- <u>Enlit</u> (sharing information about BECoop)
- <u>Build UP</u> (adding information on the project <u>tools</u> (and <u>here</u> + <u>here</u>), <u>events</u>, <u>catalogues</u>, <u>video</u>)
- <u>Construction21</u> (sharing information on their social media)
- <u>AVEBIOM</u>
- Smart cities newsletter
- CORDIS, then shared on social media
- Karditsa live net
- <u>Eseficiencia</u>
- <u>Eu agenda</u>
- The Green agenda
- Fleishman Hillard Energy Daily news

Quantifying the number of views generated on these platforms can be an extremely challenging task, but one can only begin to imagine the magnitude of the numbers involved.

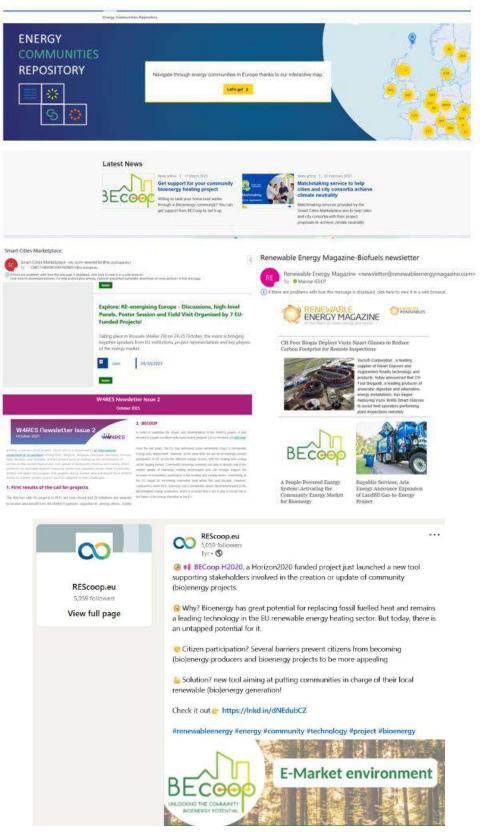


Figure 22 – Platforms which shared BECoop news

8.3.3 Newsletters

Seven newsletters were already designed following the project identity and sent to the subscribers from the website. The newsletters present the project, its results, objectives and regular updates. Mailchimp was used as the provider, allowing for monitoring and maintenance of the newsletter list while respecting GDPR and BECoop's privacy policy. All issues are accessible through <u>an updated</u> <u>archive on the project website</u>. Each newsletter was published via the social media channels and disseminated via the partners' own tools as well (either fully in English or in national languages or integrating some items in their own newsletters).

For all newsletters prepared, a similar structure was followed – except for the "special editions".

Interested stakeholders could register to the newsletter from the website through a GDPR-compliant form. To get more subscribers while respecting GDPR, BECoop leveraged the project tools, with a visible section inviting users to subscribe to the newsletter.

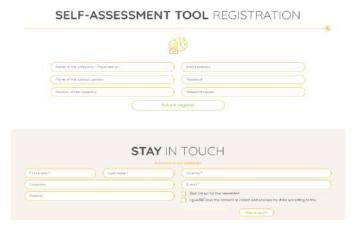


Figure 23 - BECoop tools registration page, including newsletter form



Figure 24 - BECoop newsletter December 2021

Table 8 Newsletter BECoop – links and statistics

| Newsletter | Link | Recipients |
|--|--|------------|
| BECoop Newsletter #1 - April 2021 | https://mailchi.mp/457704ff61af/becoop-news-1-unlocking- the-community-bioenergy-potential | 23 |
| BECoop Newsletter #2 - December 2021 | https://mailchi.mp/7dd9ef018e9e/becoop-news-1- unlocking-the-community-bioenergy-potential-4940006 | 46 |
| Enews #2, available in Spanish and Basque | https://www.becoop-project.eu/wp- content/uploads/Enews-BECoop-December ES.pdf https://www.becoop-project.eu/wp- content/uploads/Enews-BECoop-December Basque.pdf | 3 |
| BECoop Newsletter #3 - March 2022 | https://mailchi.mp/7e5feb2981bb/becoop-enews-3- unlocking-the-community-bioenergy-potential | 91 |
| Enews #3, available in Spanish and Basque | https://www.becoop-project.eu/wp- content/uploads/BECoop-CAS.pdf https://www.becoop-project.eu/wp- content/uploads/BECoop-EU.pdf | 4 |
| BECoop Newsletter #4 - January 2023 | https://mailchi.mp/f38f3da98576/becoop-enews-3- unlocking-the-community-bioenergy-potential-10337089 | 138 |
| BECoop Newsletter #5 - February 2023 | https://mailchi.mp/ce6a19d215b0/becoop-enews-3- unlocking-the-community-bioenergy-potential-10343685 | 139 |
| Special issue focusing on events | https://mailchi.mp/c68e39888f9f/becoop-enews-3- unlocking-the-community-bioenergy-potential-10362814 | 138 |
| BECoop Newsletter #6 - June 2023 | https://mailchi.mp/62cf827ec310/becoop-enews-3- unlocking-the-community-bioenergy-potential- 10366486?e=ee6a73e5bf | 210 |
| Total | 792 (counting only the Spanish and Basque editions uploaded but not the ones sent by GOIENER which are counted in table S | |

It is worth noting that a last issue is planned early November, when most material from the final event is available (especially the videos). Links to all final deliverables will also be included.

Finally, what should be counted is the inclusion of BECoop news in partners' newsletters, generating even more interest and outreach. The project partners reported the figures below.

Table 9 Partners' enews including BECoop – outreach

| Partner | Estimated number of posts / pages, on BECoop | Newsletter recipients - TOTAL | RESCoops | Energy market actors, technology providers & producers | Energy/RE authorities & assos, NGOs | Policymakers | Scientific community | Potential investors | General public | Others |
|---------|---|-------------------------------|----------|---|--|--------------|----------------------|---------------------|----------------|--------|
| IEECP | 15 | 4000 | 100 | 300 | 700 | 900 | 2000 | | | |
| CBS | 1 | 1078 | | | | | 508 | | | |

| fiper | 12 | 1500 | 195 | 900 | 105 | | 30 | 45 | 225 | |
|---------|----|--------|-------|------|------|------|------|----|------|-----|
| OBS | 2 | | | | | | | | | |
| WUELS | 5 | 3000 | | | | | 2000 | | 500 | 500 |
| GOIENER | 8 | 16358 | 15000 | 358 | 500 | | | | 500 | |
| CERTH | 2 | 764 | 40 | 200 | 200 | 124 | 200 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| SEV | 4 | 340 | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL | 37 | 26 130 | 15335 | 1758 | 1505 | 1024 | 4738 | 45 | 1225 | 500 |

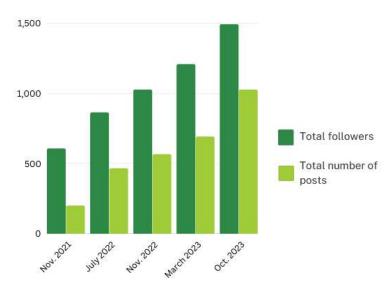
8.3.4 Social media

A mix of social media tools was used to broaden outreach and to create a 'buzz' about the project: for this purpose, all accounts described below were already available from M2, early December 2020.

The social media impact is measured through each media statistics (Twitter analytics for the projectowned account, each partner's own social media analytics for other accounts) and reported back to the coordinator, European Commission, and partners at project meetings or in reports. IEECP is the main responsible for social media work, yet all partners are invited to share news on their accounts and can contribute with content whenever possible.

In terms of voice and message the project uses a tone and nudges destined to trigger change and action. We vary the content, sharing news, publications, videos, polls, and adding whenever possible graphs and images as they tend to increase the reader's attention. This strategy has proven effective so far, especially on Twitter, when comparing the project statistics with those of similar projects.

Before delving into the BECoop accounts' strategy, let's first provide some consolidated statistics concerning the project's social media accounts: here the total number of followers, posts and impressions on our three accounts.



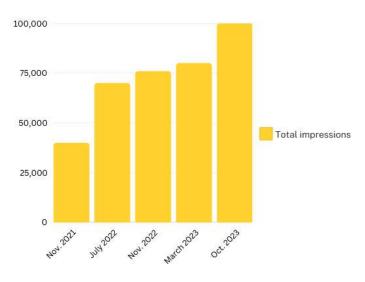
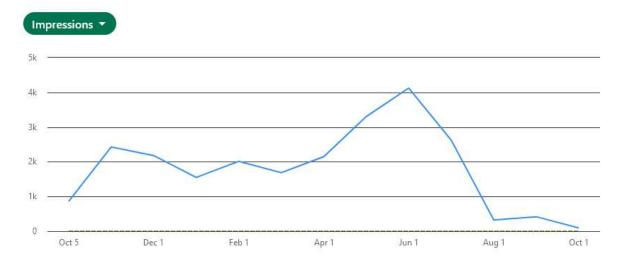


Figure 25 BECoop social media audiences across the years

A graphic was produced to show the evolution of followers, it is to be noted that in October 2023, we have the following statistics:

- ✓ 585 followers on LinkedIn, 219 new in the last year. In the last calendar year, we cumulated 980 page views, 882 reactions and 124 reposts. On LinkedIn, followers mostly come from Greece, Belgium, Italy, and Spain. The highest number of followers report their jobs as programme / project manager, business developer, research, and engineering. Half come from SMEs and half from larger organisations.
- ✓ 705 followers on Twitter / X. The access to statistics is blocked since Twitter became X, so we could only estimate the number of impressions since March/April 2023.
- ✓ 200 followers on Facebook, 150 posts. A balanced proportion in terms of gender in the followers, while the highest numbers of followers range from 25 to 54 years old. In terms of location, here Greece and Poland come first, followed by Spain and Italy. On average, each post reaches 40-70 people.
- ✓ A total of 1025 posts on all platforms.

Metrics





| Industry - |
|--|
| Research Services · 66 (11.3%) |
| Renewable Energy Semiconductor Manufacturing · 47 (8%) |
| Higher Education · 42 (7.2%) |
| Government Administration · 26 (4.5%) |
| Environmental Services · 25 (4.3%) |
| Renewable Energy Equipment Manufacturing · 24 (4.1%) |
| Market Research · 21 (3.6%) |
| Oil and Gas · 21 (3.6%) |
| Business Consulting and Services · 19 (3.3%) |
| IT Services and IT Consulting · 18 (3.1%) |

Figure 27 – BECoop LinkedIn account followers' industry

In addition, IEECP posted on its newly launched Instagram account some campaigns promoting the project (112 followers):

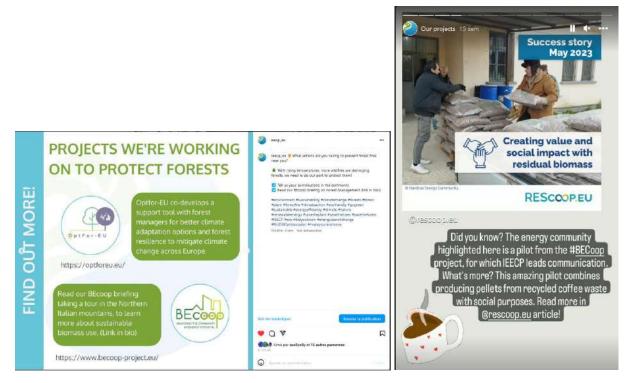


Figure 28 – IEECP post and story/highlight on Instagram

Partners accounts and followers (estimation of the stakeholders' categories) and number of posts are summarised in table 10. All posts and links can be found in the tables in the annexes.

| Partner | Estimated number of posts on BECoop (cumulated Facebook, Twitter and LinkedIn) | Social media followers - TOTAL | RESCoops | Energy market actors, technology providers & producers | Energy/RE authorities & assos, NGOs | Policymakers | Scientific community | Potential investors | General public | Others |
|---------------------|--|--------------------------------|----------|---|--|--------------|----------------------|---------------------|----------------|--------|
| IEECP Twitter | 25 | 1300 | 50 | 90 | 150 | 400 | 500 | 50 | 58 | |
| IEECP LinkedIn | 25 | 7369 | 200 | 400 | 550 | 1300 | 4000 | 519 | 400 | |
| FIPER Facebook | 40 | 6 000 | 780 | 2880 | 420 | | 300 | 300 | 1320 | |
| FIPER LinkedIn | 40 | 13 000 | 1690 | 6240 | 910 | | 650 | 650 | 2860 | |
| CBS LinkedIn | 28 | 9073 | | | | | 283 | | | |
| OBS Facebook | 15 | 9600 | | | | | | | 9600 | |
| WUELS Twitter | 5 | 1317 | | | | | | | | |
| WUELS Facebook | 1 | 15 | | | | | | | | |
| GOIENER Twitter | 44 | 7309 | 7309 | | | | | | | |
| GOIENER LinkedIn | 5 | 2170 | 1627 | 108 | 217 | 108 | 108 | | | |
| GOIENER Telegram | 28 | 1269 | 1269 | | | | | | | |
| CIRCE LinkedIn | 5 | 12547 | | | | | | | | |
| CIRCE Twitter | 3 | 3392 | | | | | | | | |

Table 10 Partners' social media accounts and posts including BECoop - outreach

| CIRCE Facebook | 5 | 1537 | | | | | | | | |
|-------------------|-----|-------|-------|-------|------|------|------|------|-------|----|
| ESEK Facebook | 25 | 1000 | | | | | | | | |
| SEV LinkedIn | 1 | 189 | | | | | | | | |
| SEV Facebook | 21 | 385 | | | | | | | | |
| WR LinkedIn | 13 | 7764 | | 65 | 200 | 15 | 250 | | | 65 |
| WR Twitter | 10 | 1507 | | 30 | 100 | 200 | 250 | | | |
| QPLAN LinkedIn | 15 | 1645 | 300 | 300 | 200 | 50 | 100 | 20 | 1500 | |
| TOTAL | 354 | 69388 | 13225 | 10113 | 2747 | 2073 | 6441 | 1539 | 15738 | 65 |

Focus on Twitter

The project has its own **Twitter** account where news from the project but also related to our topics are shared on a regular basis: <u>https://twitter.com/BecoopH2020</u>. Most tweets redirect followers back to the website to boost traffic. All BECoop partners are invited to use their own accounts to share project updates and events where they are participating in. BECoop engaged also regularly with the group of sister projects in supporting activities on social media, sharing each other's posts, while the European Commission (DG ENER) quickly created a list of 17 projects to share news on Twitter and support each other. Hashtags and posts are at all times shared with partners to ensure consistency and support.

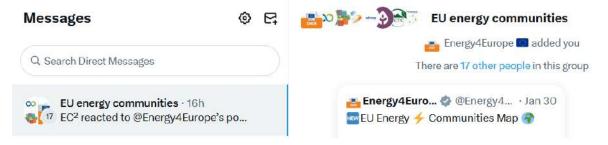


Figure 29 – EU Commission group on Twitter

Focus on Facebook and LinkedIn

Additional accounts include <u>LinkedIn</u> and <u>Facebook</u>. Most content published has the same base (even though often longer) as, in general, contacts who follow the project on each of the 3 accounts are different.

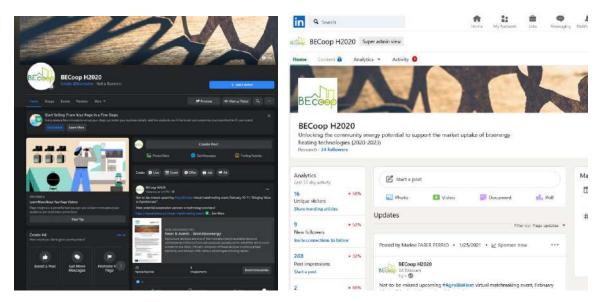


Figure 30 - BECoop Facebook and LinkedIn accounts

These accounts also provide the platform for the Dissemination and Communication Manager to be informed regularly about activities such as upcoming events or interesting reports internally shared among project partners.

8.4 Media

8.4.1 Mainstream and specialised media (coverage and articles)

IEECP shared the project results with EU media and English-speaking professional press at Member State level, through press releases and articles, regularly along the project life. We identified at the project start relevant media channels to promote the project findings in specialised press, raising awareness about BECoop and highlighting the challenges and solutions for policymakers to address and examine. IEECP coordinated efforts to ensure that the project was covered in outlets with a wider reach. Partners supported in getting closer to media contacts at the national level and to list other interesting media targets, as well as translate if deemed necessary media pieces.

We published several blogs, articles and press releases in the project's course, completing the set of articles and editorials written for the newsletter and project website with the partners' support, listed below. Other press releases have been produced for each important project milestone (release of a tool, survey, etc.).

| Title | Туре | Link | N° of views if applicable |
|--|--------------------------------|---|------------------------------|
| Community Biomass: for energy independence, stable prices and local control | Article by IEECP/BEC oop | <u>https://energypost.eu/community-</u> <u>biomass-for-energy-independence-stable-</u> <u>prices-and-local-control/</u> | NA |
| Press release: A people-powered energy system: activating the community energy market for bioenergy | Original PR | https://www.becoop-project.eu/project- news/press-release-a-people-powered- energy-system-activating-the-community- energy-market-for-bioenergy/ | 15 |
| Activating a community energy market for bioenergy: a new e- market environment connects biomass heating supply chain stakeholders | Original PR | https://www.becoop-project.eu/project- news/activating-a-community-energy- market-for-bioenergy-a-new-e-market- environment-connects-biomass-heating- supply-chain-stakeholders/ | 12 |
| Activating a community energy market for bioenergy: a new e- market environment connects biomass heating supply chain stakeholders | PR | https://www.construction21.org/articles/ h/activating-a-community-energy-market- for-bioenergy-a-new-e-market- environment-connects-biomass-heating- supply-chain-stakeholders.html | 1540 |
| Press release – Tapping the full potential of community energy in Europe: 9 EU-funded projects join forces to engage users in the tools they developed | Original PR | https://www.becoop-project.eu/project- news/press-release-tapping-the-full- potential-of-community-energy-in- europe-9-eu-funded-projects-join-forces- to-engage-users-in-the-tools-they- developed/ | 18 |

Table 11 BECoop-specific articles and press releases shared with media

| Tapping the full potential of community energy in Europe: 9 EU-funded projects join forces to engage users in the tools they developed | PR | https://www.construction21.org/articles/ h/tapping-the-full-potential-of- community-bioenergy-for-heating- becoop-self-assessment-tool-supports- the-development-of-cooperative- community-bioenergy-projects.html | 2171 | | |
|--|--------------------|---|------|--|--|
| A people-powered energy system: activating the community energy market for bioenergy | PR | https://www.construction21.org/articles/ h/a-people-powered-energy-system- activating-the-community-energy-market- for-bioenergy.html | 1693 | | |
| From setting up energy communities to making them thrive: what are the tools available? | PR | https://www.construction21.org/articles/ h/from-setting-up-energy-communities- to-making-them-thrive-what-are-the- tools-available.html | 1392 | | |
| [Video] - Unlocking the community bioenergy potential | Article / Video | https://www.construction21.org/articles/ h/becoop-unlocking-the-community- bioenergy-potential.html | 1094 | | |
| BECoop technical, business and financial reports and factsheets for (bio)energy community stakeholders | Article | https://www.construction21.org/articles/ h/becoop-technical-business-and- financial-reports-and-factsheets-for-bio- energy-community-stakeholders.html | 806 | | |
| Tapping the full potential of community bioenergy for heating: BECoop self-assessment tool supports the development of cooperative/community bioenergy projects | Original PR | https://www.becoop-project.eu/project- news/tapping-the-full-potential-of- community-bioenergy-for-heating- becoop-self-assessment-tool-supports- the-development-of-cooperative- community-bioenergy-projects/ | 8 | | |
| BECoop self-assessment tool supports the development of cooperative/community bioenergy projects | PR | https://www.construction21.org/articles/ h/tapping-the-full-potential-of- community-bioenergy-for-heating- becoop-self-assessment-tool-supports- the-development-of-cooperative- community-bioenergy-projects.html | 2171 | | |
| PRESS RELEASE - The missing tool in tackling energy poverty: empowering renewable energy communities in the energy crisis mitigation | | https://www.becoop-project.eu/wp- content/uploads/BECoop-PR-energy- communities-and-energy-poverty.pdf | 147 | | |
| TOTAL | | 11 067 | | | |

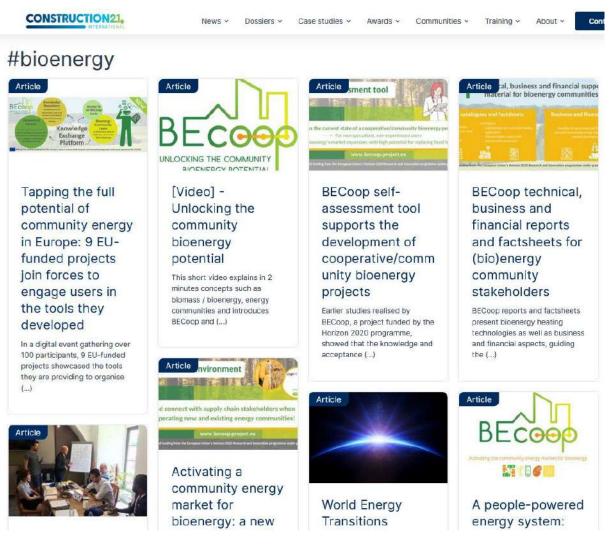


Figure 31 – Collage of posts on Construction 21

The media to which BECoop sent press releases included:

- Fleishman Hillard Energy Vista
- Construction21
- POLITICOEurope
- Euractiv
- Telegraph
- Carbon pulse
- Mlex
- Foresight climate & energy
- POLITICOEurope
- POLITICOEurope
- Biomass magazine
- Voice of renewables
- Bioenergy insights
- Bioenenergy News
- NY Times
- Climate Home news

- Fleishman Hillard
- Duurzaam
- Eu energy innovation
- Energy Monitor
- Clarion / Renewable energy World
- FuturENERGY
- Coalition for energy savings
- EnergyInDemand
- ByInnovation
- Energypost
- ENDS Europe
- REVOLVE
- Agence Europe
- Energy Live news
- Guardian Enviro
- S&P Global Commodity Insights

- Reuters
- Reuters / Mongabay
- Carbon Brief
- GABC
- EUKI Community
- SCP Clearinghouse
- Copenhagen Centre on Energy Efficiency

- Climate Online
- Balkan Green energy news
- Renewable Energy World
- Energy Press
- Coalition for energy savings
- eceee
- Build UP
- CORDIS

A pre-selection of key media targets, in Brussels and at member states level, is also displayed in Annex II. This selection was made to ensure reaching all identified target groups (from policymakers to endusers, research and academia, etc.).



Figure 32 - Energy Post article and inclusion in the FH news

All these press releases and articles issued by BECoop, in addition to those produced by partners, were taken up by media. A selection of these publications is listed below while all can be found in the annexes.

Table 12 BECoop-specific articles and press releases shared with media

| Title | Platform/Media | Level | Link |
|---------------------------------|----------------|-------|--|
| Community bio- energy market | BY Innovation | IT | https://byinnovation.eu/community-bio-energy-market/ |

| Activating a community energy market for bioenergy: a new e-market environment connects biomass heating supply chain stakeholders | Energy Post | EU | https://energypost.eu/activating-a-community-energy- market-for-bioenergy-a-new-e-market-environment- connects-biomass-heating-supply-chain- stakeholders/?utm_source=feedburner&utm_medium=email |
|--|---------------------|----|--|
| Περιβάλλον: Πληρώνω όσο πετάω | | | <u>oso-petao/</u> |
| Καρδίτσα: Νηπιαγωγείο θα «ζεσταθεί» απόκαφέ (BINTEO) | The opinion | GR | https://www.theopinion.gr/ellada/koinonia/karditsa- nipiagogeio-tha-zestathei-apo-kafe-vinteo/ |
| Becoop project. Bioenergetic Communities: Key to promoting renewable heating solutions | Union renovables | ES | https://www.unionrenovables.coop/en/2022/06/becoop- project-bioenergetic-communities-key-to-promoting- renewable-heating-solutions/ |
| Il ruolo della biomassa per la transizione ecologica, la visione Bioenergy Europe | Canale Energia | IT | https://www.canaleenergia.com/rubriche/scenari/bionergy- europe-perche-la-biomassa-per-la-transizione- ecologica/?fbclid=IwAR3KEktkj2GvDhsiHvOCoejdFfUw- T0vS5fJGP0eUeTmTqBARxnen8y7KFA |
| Ένα ενεργειακό σύστημα βασιζόμενο στους πολίτες: ενεργοποιώντας την κοινοτική αγορά ενέργειας για βιοενέργεια | Mouzaki news | GR | https://mouzakinews.gr/ena-energeiako-systima- vasizomeno-stous-polites-energopoiontas-tin-koinotiki- agora-energeias-gia-vioenergeia/ |
| Συνεργασία της Ε.Σ.Ε.Κ. με το Δήμο Καρδίτσας για τη αξιοποίηση των υπολειμμάτων κλαδεύσεων | Karditsa Live net | GR | https://www.karditsalive.net/karditsa/topiki-epikerotita/ |

| Partner | Reported media appearances (articles and press releases) |
|---------|--|
| IEECP | 10 |
| FIPER | 6 |
| OBS | 4 |
| WUELS | 6 |
| WR | 2 |
| GOIENER | 7 |
| CERTH | 4 |
| ESEK | 37 |
| TOTAL | 76 |

Table 13 BECoop partners reported media appearances

It's important to note that partners have also conducted interviews and featured in reportages, which have proven to be powerful tools for raising awareness about our topics and expanding the project's outreach. While most of these are detailed under WP3, we've included a selection below. The combined views for these interviews and reportages, based on available data (primarily YouTube views), total 35,000 views:

- <u>EPT</u>
- <u>alfa tv</u>
- <u>skai tv</u>
- <u>skai tv</u>
- <u>open tv</u>
- state tv (ert1)
- State tv (ert news)

- Easy 982 (Radio)
- <u>CGNT</u>
- Tpress WEB TV
- In Basque: on public radio

8.4.2 Scientific publications and conference proceedings

To demonstrate the research findings and raise awareness in the scientific community, publications in technical literature and dedicated journals were foreseen by academic and technological partners through publications in peer-reviewed journals and magazines and through papers presented at conferences and other events.

IEECP and the partner each time responsible for a publication ensured the papers follow the open access standards (through self-archiving (green open access) or open access publishing (gold open access)), i.e., without costs for the readers.

A page was added to the BECoop website to share final proceedings and papers.

| Partner | Title / Full quote | Abstract and/or more information | Туре | Status |
|---------|--|--|--|---|
| | | | | |
| IEECP | A Business Model Fast Track on Energy Communities—Key Lessons Learned from H2020 EU Projects. Breukers, S.; Schibline, A.; Pressmair, G.; Barnes, J.; Perrio, M.F.; Calatayud, E.P.; Rakocevic | Developing business models for energy communities means that community- based values and goals are to be taken seriously. This paper presents how several European Horizon projects attempt to do so, highlighting the key issues and challenges encountered. The various projects also show diverse ways to support energy community BMs, developing and demonstrating both technological as well as governance tools and support. What all projects point out is that energy communities lack (financial, knowledge, relational) resources, and that the current local, regional and national market and policy frameworks are not conducive for energy community BMs. <i>L.</i> Environ. Sci. Proc. 2021, 11, 19. <u>Link</u> | Conference proceedings for the event "Sustainable Places" | Published, available on BECoop website |
| CIRCE | Tools for increasing the penetration of bioenergy technologies in community energy Sebastian Zapata | http://www.etaflorence.it/proceedings/ | Poster presentation – conference proceedings | Published, available on BECoop website |
| CERTH | Valorisation of Spent Coffee Ground by Mixing With Residual Biomass for Pellet Production. Evaluation of Solid Fuel Properties at Different Mixtures M.A. Kougioumtzis, V. Filippou, A. Rontogianni, E. Karampinis, P. Grammelis, E. Kakaras | 31st European Biomass Conference & Exhibition (EUBCE 2023, 5-8/6 in Bologna) <u>http://www.etaflorence.it/proceedings/</u> The same paper will be published in November 2023 in an upcoming Special Issue on "Biofuels, Bioproducts and Biorefining" (BioFPR) journal (normal peer review process for scientific papers). | Poster presentation – conference proceedings | Published, available on BECoop website |
| CERTH | | Paper with the results of the Greek BECoop RESCoop in preparation. | | NA |
| CBS | Identifying Key Barriers to joining an | Energy communities (ECs) offer a promising solution for achieving | | Targeted journal: |

| | Energy Community in the EU context using AHP Albina Dioba, Amalia Giannakopoulou, Isabel Fróes, David Struthers, Angelos Stamos, Siegfried Dewitte | sustainable and decentralized energy systems. However, the successful establishment and operation of ECs require overcoming various barriers that can hinder stakeholder participation. Existing research has primarily focused on incentives and motivations to join ECs, thus neglecting a comprehensive understanding of the key barriers affecting all EC stakeholders in European Union (EU) countries. This paper aims to fill this research gap by identifying and | | Technological forecasting and social change |
|-------|---|---|---|--|
| | | ranking the barriers to joining ECs in the EU context. To accomplish this, a framework of barriers was developed based on 20 in-depth interviews with diverse stakeholders of established ECs. The identified barriers were categorized into four types: financial, regulatory, and bureaucratic, technical and practical, and social and cultural. The Analytical Hierarchical Process (AHP) methodology was employed to estimate and rank these barriers. The findings highlight that the most significant barrier categories are Regulatory and Bureaucratic and Financial. Specifically, regulatory complexity and legal limitations emerge as the top-ranked barriers among the identified obstacles to joining ECs. | | |
| WUELS | Bioenergy cooperatives as a sustainable solution of households heating in rural areas using local biomass resources Arkadiusz Dyjakon, Łukasz Sobol, Bernard Knutel, Przemysław Bukowski, Szymon Szufa, Jaime Guerrero Belza, Sebastian Zapata Habas, Michalis-Alexandros Kougioumtzis, Panagiotis Grammelis, Kostas Dasopoulos, Vanessa Gallo, | The energy crisis across the Europe, as well as the continuously growing trend to reduce the usage of fossil fuels caused that more and more attention is paid to produce energy from local renewable resources, especially in rural areas. Moreover, the EU Directives promote the increase of the engagement of local society in energy production, through the creation of energy cooperatives, that should lead to self-sufficiency of the region and reduction of energy poverty amongst the residents in these areas. In terms of the households heating in rural areas, the use of biomass is proposed as a relatively cheap fuel that can be harvested in sustainable way from local resources. The heating systems in rural area, due to the residents scattering, are complex and should be realized with | Conference proceedings, 3RD international conference on green chemistry and renewable energy, 22- 23 May 2023, Tokyo, Japan | NA yet |

| | | biomass to the final users. The European BECoop project (financed by the EU) aimed to unlock the bio-energy cooperatives creation/development potential across Europe. As a result, the selected cases of the bioenergy cooperatives applying direct and district heating, as well as the logistic operations and the biofuels production have been analysed. The four strategies (taken place in Italy, Spain, Greece and Poland) have been presented and described pointing the crucial bottlenecks responsible for a final success of the local biomass utilisation for energy purposes. It was found that the main factor influencing the practical implementation and creation of an energy cooperative is the readiness of the local community for active bottom- | | |
|---|--|--|---|---|
| as an in reduce en and to sus of loca resource pr Arkadius Łukasz So Knutel, F Bukows Szufa, M Matoso Bouzaro | r cooperative hitiative to ergy poverty stainable use l biomass es – BECoop oject sz Dyjakon, bol, Bernard Przemysław ki, Szymon lia Dragović wić, Stefan wski, Isabel me Guerrero | implementation and creation of an energy cooperative is the readiness of | Paper, 2nd Sustainable Bioenergy and Processes Conference 12-14 December 2022, Cape Town, Republic of South Africa | Pending decision from the Scientific Committee of the 2nd Sustainable Bioenergy and Processes Conference |

| | TOTAL | 7 (missing the publication work in progr | ess by Politecni | ico di Milano) |
|-------|--|---|---------------------------|----------------------|
| WUELS | Projekt BECoop jako element wsparcia dla rozwoju biomasowych spółdzielni energetycznych (BECoop project as an element of support for the development of biomass energy cooperatives) Knutel Bernard, Sobol Łukasz, Dyjakon Arkadiusz | 2022 Zielona Planeta, ISSN 1426-6210 3, p.13-15 | Conference proceedings | Not yet available |
| | Dimitrios Chapizanis, Antonia-Areti Kalimeri, Ioannis Kostopoulos | while increasing the activity of enterprises in the region. In turn, the participation and support of local authorities in the creation of an energy cooperative increases the trust of the local community in such an initiative, which should favor its further development in other regions. Unfortunately, the potential success of establishing an energy cooperative is influenced by many formal, legal, technical and social factors. The paper presents a selected issue related to the creation of an energy cooperative based on the BECoop project implemented under the Horizon 2020 program. | | |

In addition, open access publications can be found on <u>Zenodo</u>: deliverables, datasets, survey, etc.

8.5 Events

From the very beginning, BECoop was committed to being a proactive force in organizing and participating in numerous events, with a special focus on the pilot areas. It should be noted that most are reported under WP3 activities, yet a selection is available below and a more comprehensive list can be found in the annexes.



Figure 33 – Collage of events organised by BECoop or where we spoke

8.5.1 Project-led events

Specific events were planned in BECoop to increase the project outreach: even though only one event was to be organised by WP6 (our final conference), IEECP organised many more, especially in the cooperation with sister projects (see deliverable 6.6). Other events organised in other WPs should be noted here: warm-up events / info days and webinars, awareness raising events, co-creation/training and policy workshops, matchmaking and brokerage events and final participation to external events (detailed in Table 7). The several events carried out under the project were used to promote the project and its outcomes.

| Table | 15 - | Project-led | events |
|-------|------|-------------|--------|
|-------|------|-------------|--------|

| Event | WP, Task, partner | Description, goal, audience |
|---|----------------------|---|
| Identification of stakeholders' perceptions and needs workshops | WP1, T1.3, WR | 4 local consultation workshops (1 in each pilot region) with relevant stakeholders. Led by pilot partners to gather views and facilitate knowledge exchange on misconceptions, |

| | | opportunities and barriers that may favour or hinder local bioenergy heating actions. | |
|--|-------------------------|---|--|
| Local consultation process | WP1, T1.4, GOIENER | For the final development of a report, a local consultation process helped BECoop co-define and co-validate the findings with local stakeholders. | |
| Awareness raising actions for improving bioenergy perceptions and image | WP3, T3.1, CBS | 2 warm up events per pilot – 8 in total organised by pilot and national partners – widely open Face to face meetings Local activities | |
| Deployment of capacity building to key actors | WP3, T3.2, WUELS | Training workshops (2 per pilot area, internal). Organised by local partners, content input by all partners according to profile skills. | |
| Deployment of capacity building to key actors | WP3, T3.2, WUELS | 10 <u>webinars</u> organised early 2023. IEECP greatly supported the partner in charge by setting up the events on TEAMS, promoting them with dedicated banners, newsletters, editing the recording and uploading on YouTube, etc. | |
| Awareness raising actions for improving bioenergy perceptions and image | WP3, T3.3, CBS | 3 info days per pilot area Field visits (in <u>Spain</u>, <u>Greece</u> and <u>Italy</u>). | |
| Co-definition of bioenergy heating projects' vision and roadmap | WP4, T4.1, FIPER | 1 co-creation workshop per pilot area to identify the bioenergy heating roadmaps and vision that they consider more appropriate for their needs and challenges | |
| Deployment of business and financial support services | WP4, T4.3, QPLAN | Nine (9) Peer to peer mentoring program, to share information and experience through online meetings, work shadowing and study tours - 2 peer-to-peer meetings per case Presenting RESCoops in at least 2 events for matchmaking with potential investors or collaborators | |
| BECoop Knowledge Exchange Platform | WP5, T5.1, QPLAN | 1 physical (in the <u>Athens RESCoop.eu Spring</u> <u>Gathering 2023</u>) and 3 other physical in Italy and in Poland for peer exchange about their needs and explore opportunities for collaboration | |
| BECoop policy debate and roadmaps | WP5, task 5.3, IEECP | 4 National (at the pilot countries by pilot partners) and 1 <u>EU level policy workshop</u> to validate the roadmaps | |
| From setting up energy communities to making them thrive: what are the tools available? | WP6, task 6.3, IEECP | Organised with sister projects on April 26, 2022 <u>Read more</u> | |

| More women in renewables and energy communities: safeguarding an enabling policy framework | WP6, task 6.3, IEECP | Organised with sister projects on September 22, 2022 <u>Read more</u> |
|---|-------------------------|--|
| Just energy toolbox – EU Green Week event | WP6, task 6.3, IEECP | Organised with sister projects on June 5, 2023 <u>Read more</u> |
| Supporting energy communities in tackling energy poverty and gender inequality: skill up! | WP6, task 6.3, IEECP | Organised with sister projects on June 12, 2023 <u>Read more</u> |



Figure 34 – Collage of events organised by BECoop

In addition, it should be noted that as a collaboration between WP3 and WP6, four applications were submitted to EUSEW 2023: a policy conference (for the policy workshop), a sister projects' event, the submission of a partner's profile (ESEK) to the Energy Awards, and a stand at the fair. Unfortunately, none of the applications went thought – yet the first two events were organised with the project own means.

8.5.2 Focus on the project final event

The process

One year before this report was written, discussions commenced among the projects regarding the possibility of collaborating on joint final events. Early 2023 we therefore agreed with the following projects to have a day focused on energy communities:

- W4RES: <u>https://w4res.eu/</u>
- UP-STAIRS: https://www.h2020-upstairs.eu/
- NRG2peers: <u>https://www.linkedin.com/showcase/nrg2peers/</u>

As IEECP is leading communication work for other projects with similar end dates, the idea quickly came to make the event a 2-day event around sustainable energy, adding a day on energy demand and multiple impacts of energy efficiency with:

- NUDGE: https://www.nudgeproject.eu/
- newTRENDs: <u>https://newtrends2020.eu/</u>
- MICAT: <u>https://micatool.eu/micat-project-en/</u>

The event was now officially a 2-day event, on 24-25 of October, in Brussels.

Other important decisions were made in April and May 2023:

- ✓ The event would be **in-presence only**.
- ✓ Yet, video producers would be hired to film the whole event and make a short summary video. As the event was organised by 7 projects, costs were reduced and more actions could be planned.
- ✓ The 24/10 would start with an event organised by CINEA for some projects related to the topic, and end with a cocktail.
- ✓ The 25/10 would end with the visit to an energy community in Brussels, organised by NRG2peers.
- ✓ Both days were planned to integrate many **external speakers** and avoid a project-focused event with long presentations.
- ✓ Quotes were asked to few places and Brussels and the decision was made to organise the event in the Brussels EU district, in Atelier29.
- ✓ We invited other projects to submit **posters**, as there was the possibility onsite to attach 16 of them.
- ✓ **41 speakers** agreed to join the event in **8 panels**!
- ✓ Finally, we also left space in the agenda for people to discuss and question project partners, test our tools, etc. The final event agenda is included in the annexes.

It was decided to <u>launch the first save the date</u> before summer, from June onwards, and open quickly registrations. All 7 projects intensely promoted the event, with posts on social media, in

newsletters, on websites, etc. Several networks were also leveraged. The event was declared full, and registrations were closed a week before writing these lines, end of September. As a result, we developed a new registration form to enable individuals to receive event updates and, if seats became available due to cancellations, to be placed on a waiting list. To account for the typical occurrence of dropouts at events, we implemented a 30% overbooking policy.



Figure 35 – Banner for the final event and postcard produced for it

What's next?

As of the time of writing this report, the event has not yet taken place , but we can already mention a few key aspects:

- A welcome package is discussed these days with participating projects, to include in a bag some of the most important results (policy briefs, posters in A4 format, and more).
- Usual thank you emails to speakers and participants will be planned.
- The event recording and material will all be available on the 7 projects' websites and shared on social media and through the last project newsletters.
- Updated information (number of participants, etc) will be added in the projects' final reports.

8.5.3 External events

Partners were invited to present the BECoop project in many conferences/workshops/fairs/university summer courses at a national and/or EU level.

In the monitoring file, the participation to a total of 89 events is reported, for a total (not complete, so the number is probably much higher) of 17 590 participants.

| Partner | Reported media appearances (articles and press releases) |
|---------|--|
| IEECP | 4 |
| FIPER | 3 |
| OBS | 2 |
| WUELS | 31 |
| GOIENER | 16 |
| CIRCE | 4 |
| CERTH | 8 |
| ESEK | 20 |
| TOTAL | 89 |

Table 16 BECoop partners reported event speaking slots appearances

Some of these events are added to the table below, the comprehensive list is added to the annexes.

Table 17 – Patners' speaking at external events

| Event | Date + Location | Partner | Description /link |
|---|--------------------|---------|--|
| EERA (European Energy Research Alliance) Bioenergy Steering Committee meeting | Online, 15/12/2020 | CIRCE | N/A |
| University of Basque Country (UPV-EHU) | Spain, 10/01/2021 | | https://www.ehu.eus/en/web/maste r/master-control-in-smartgrids |
| The Energy Communities talk about Energy Communities | 12/03/2021 | ESEK | http://electraenergy.coop/4664-2/ |
| RESCoop introduction and shared self-consumption energy opportunities through Energy communitites | 16/04/2021, Spain | GOIENER | https://www.facebook.com/ehbilduf oru/posts/1810423189127667 |
| Bioterra sustainability fair | Spain, 04/06/2021 | GOIENER | <u>http://bioterra.ficoba.org/micro_Bio</u> <u>terra/index.asp?lng=fr</u> |

| Energy in the hands of the citizens of Central Greece. Energy communities and their development prospects | Online, 7/07/21 | CERTH | https://www.facebook.com/events/ 130077035905658/?ref=newsfeed |
|---|----------------------------------|-----------------|---|
| Promotion of BECoop at EU researchers night organised by LPRC - La Palma Research Centre - Macaronight | Online, 24/09/23 | IEECP | https://macaronight.eu/becoop/ |
| Sustainable Places | Online, 29/09/2021 | IEECP | https://www.youtube.com/watch?v =BhV6jGNjBPk |
| Energy democracy and energy communities | 14/01/2022 | ESEK | https://www.youtube.com/watch?v =HE22Yd- jekM&ab_channel=SpyrosKanouras |
| Conference on Biomass as a heat source in rural areas | 20/04/2022 | CIRCE | https://www.cita- aragon.es/es/eventos/jornada- sobre-biomasa-como-fuente-de- calor-en-areas-rurales |
| Good Energy Festival | Zagreb, Croatia, 5/05/2022 | CERTH + ESEK | <u>https://dobraenergija.zez.coop/en/p</u> <u>rogram/</u> |
| European Biomass Conference & Exhibition | 9-12/05/2022, digital | CIRCE | https://www.eubce.com/ |
| Bioterra sustainability fair | 03/06/2022, Spain | GOIENER | <u>https://bioterra.ficoba.org/programa</u> |
| Summer school organized by the RESCOOP | 28/06/2022, Greece | ESEK | N/A |
| 4th international summer school at Thessaloniki about circular economy and bioeconomy | 09/07/2022 | ESEK | https://www.facebook.com/events/ 681618976479498/ |
| VII Konferencja Naukowa "Bezpieczeństwo energetyczne - filary i perspektywa rozwoju" Rzeszów | 12-13/09/2022, Poland | WUELS | https://www.instytutpe.pl/konferen cja2022/ |
| EUBCE 2022 | 05/10/2022, Spain | CIRCE | https://programme.eubce.com/abstr act.php?idabs=19276&idses=1367&i dtopic=11 |
| Powerpoor brokerage event | Brussels, Belgium, 30/11/2022 | IEECP | https://eurocrowd.org/blog/2022/12 /14/the-powerpoor-brokerage- event-providing-solutions-to-energy- challenges/ and https://powerpoor.eu/news- |

| | | | <u>events/1st-powerpoor-eu-inspiring-</u> <u>event</u> |
|---|--|-------------------|---|
| Supporting the rural green transition | Online, 13/08/2022 | CERTH | <u>https://www.interregeurope.eu/poli</u> <u>cy-learning-</u> <u>platform/events/supporting-the-</u> <u>rural-green-transition</u> |
| Invited Lecture - 2nd Sustainable Bioenergy and Processes Conference | Cape Town, South Africa, 12/12/2022 | WUELS | https://www.wits.ac.za/sbpconf/ |
| Biomass day 2023: The role of bioenergy in the energy crisis | 27/01/2023 | CERTH | <u>https://bioenergynews.gr/biomass-</u> <u>day-2023/</u> |
| Renewable heating using agricultural residues and alternative sources of biomass: combining low cost with sustainability, at the 4th International Exhibition "Verde.tec" | 18/03/2023, Athens, Greece | CERTH | <u>https://www.verde-</u> <u>tec.gr/images/Verde-</u> <u>Tec%202022%20programma%20foru</u> <u>m.pdf</u> |
| Rescoop.eu Spring Gathering | Athens, Greece, 8- 10/05/23 | WR, GOI, QPLAN | https://www.communityenergysprin ggathering.eu/ |
| Expobiomasa | 9-11/05/2023, Valladollid, Spain | CIRCE, GOIENER | https://www.expobiomasa.com/ |
| GREEN Chemistry and Renewable Energy Sources | 22-23/05/2023, Japan | | N/A |
| DECIDE final event - live presentation of the business aspects | 19/06/2023, Brussels, Belgium | IEECP | <u>https://decide4energy.eu/updates/e</u> <u>u-conference</u> |
| Conference Agricultural Debate 2023 | 2/06/2023, Zielona Góra, Poland | WUELS | N/A |
| 31st European Biomass Conference & Exhibition | Italy, 08/06/2023 | CERTH | https://programme.eubce.com/abstr act.php?idabs=20436&idses=1568&i dtopic=15 |
| VIII Ogólnopolska Konferencja Naukowa "Nauki przyrodnicze na rzecz człowieka i środowiska" | Online, 20/10/023, Poland | WUELS | <u>https://nauki-przyrodnicze.fundacja-</u> <u>tygiel.pl/</u> |
| | | | |

The active participation, including speaking slots, in these events has significantly supported BECoop's outreach efforts and is likely a major contributing factor to the impressive figures we presented at the beginning of this report. While all partners were required to organize events, many partners went above and beyond by actively participating in numerous events.

9 Results from the synergies

As more and more projects are delivered and generate valuable outputs and policy recommendations, BECoop led the idea of gathering projects / initiatives in a partnership as soon as the project started. Projects gathered in a group can indeed build on each other's strength and knowledge, sharing results or links on their websites.

When we first defined this activity in the project Grant Agreement and in <u>D6.1 – The communication</u> and dissemination plan, we imagined that the main tools used for clustering activities would be **social media** and the **website**, in a simple partnership. These 36 months have proven that the partnership led to many more than these, generating a remarkable enthusiasm. All are listed underneath and further described in <u>D6.6 - BECoop synergies with similar initiatives – final</u> (soon available here), presenting in detail the collaborating projects, agreed partnerships, activities, how these synergies supported BECoop activities, and which were the benefits from this collaboration for BECoop but also for the other projects. A short summary is provided below, condensing the concept, approach, involved projects and activities.

Concept and objectives

Collaborating with a network of sister projects has been a common practice, aimed at ensuring that work on Horizon 2020-funded projects (or projects from other programs) is not conducted in isolation. Both outreach potential and research actions can benefit from shared strategies across projects. Focus can be put on a mechanism to create multiplicative effects by creating synergies with other projects and initiatives with relevant H2020 projects. The idea of sharing interesting results between projects and using each project tools and audience (by including news items from the other projects for instance) is key. We can summarise the objectives as follows:

- Discover other projects working on similar topics,
- Feeding into our literature review and knowledge base,
- Share ideas and workforce / outreach for dissemination and communication activities,
- For research, combine forces to produce papers, briefings or publications together,
- Support each other's on specific needs.

Approach and strategy

A first list of projects identified by IEECP was presented to partners during the Kick Off Meeting of BECoop. The following methodology was presented to project partners:

- 1. CLUSTERING Mapping projects and initiatives, identifying synergies (IEECP and all partners, into an Excel document)
- 2. RESULTS Projects are identified and contacted, initiating dialogue, and listing potential collaboration activities
- 3. ACTIVITIES Involving partners, if need be, all along the partnership (if collaborative papers, events, etc.). Identification of resources for potential synergies actions.

Following the KOM and with unanimous approval of the methodology by all partners, invitations were extended to partners to contribute their ideas for sister projects by populating an Excel table. A first

batch of projects was selected, and a list of 12 projects started the partnership as of July 2021. IEECP/BECoop took the lead and gathered projects into **monthly calls**, to present actions and imagine new ones collaboratively. **Minutes** were taken at each event by IEECP. A **Google drive** was set up, where we host logos, short projects summaries, an excel with key contacts, and any other needed material.

Synergies matrix

The projects who are part of the group upon closing the project, with more or less involvement or regularity in the participation to calls and activities, are:



Figure 36 - Sister projects logos as of October 2023

IEECP organised, for BECoop, a first discovery call in July 2021 with a few projects.

Focus on the activities

One of the main idea and objective when starting the partnership was to support each other's communication - for instance by including news from the other projects into the newsletters - on the websites news section or sharing social media posts. But the partnership went further as described in the deliverable 6.6, and a summary list is included below:

- Sustainable places in 2021
- Digital support: websites and hubs, newsletters, social media
- Energy communities' tools event and after event material (2022)
- EUSEW 2022 event More women in renewables and energy communities: safeguarding an enabling policy framework and after event material
- Briefing the missing tool in tackling energy poverty
- Just energy toolbox EU Green Week event, June 2023
- Event Supporting energy communities in tackling energy poverty and gender inequality: skill up!, June 2023
- Research and Innovation results portfolio
- Participation to other projects' activities (events, additions of material to hubs, etc.)
- The final event, October 24-25 in Brussels

10 Conclusions

In this deliverable, we detail the actions carried out under WP6, conducted by the dissemination manager and all partners, along with a focus on the noteworthy outcomes achieved. Over 300 activities listed in the monitoring file, 354 posts made by partners on social media and over 76 articles or press releases shared by them: we can only acknowledge the importance of their efforts and the results.

The BECoop dissemination efforts were designed to enhance the visibility of the project's activities and outcomes, ultimately facilitating their post-project implementation and adoption, and they succeeded. Surpassing the initial plans, a greater number of activities than originally intended was organised, exceeding all KPIs. Notably, in terms of outreach, the primary engagement was with energy communities, the media, the scientific community, and, lastly, actors within the energy market.

The dissemination approach was adjusted from month 18 to increase and improve the project's outreach to the targeted stakeholders and better convey the BECoop vision to the European community: we focused even more on synergies with sister projects and developed communication/marketing campaign supporting the release of major BECoop outputs.

A strong link with WP3 allowed reaching out to more stakeholders and add womanpower to produce informative material.

BECoop successfully engage with related initiatives and projects, to build on each other's knowledge and resources. A group of up to 25 projects therefore emerged and met monthly to share results and draft potential collaboration ideas. This number was higher than estimated when writing the project proposal (goal of 10 projects or actions), and higher than expected upon starting the task. Wellattended events and comprehensive briefings were organised and produced on key topics for the EU policy framework (energy poverty, inclusivity, exploitation of project tools, etc.), activities that would have otherwise not happened.

BECoop, upon concluding the task, has invited projects that were to carry on after October 2023 to take over the coordination of this established synergy/sisterhood, or join other groups that the Dissemination Manager knew of. The IEECP team supported the projects in finding the groups that best matched their topics / interests.

The project website will be maintained 2 years beyond the project completion – until February 2026. IEECP has also redesigned its website as a knowledge hub, now including microsites for projects: a <u>microsite for BECoop</u> exists already and will be further populated in the coming months, to ensure that most important project material remain accessible.

Annex

Annex I - Digital networking / partnering – Amplifying our work

The table below lists ideas of platforms, portals and stakeholder associations leveraged to increase outreach.

Platforms, portals and stakeholder associations

| Platforms and | IEA Bioenergy |
|---------------|--|
| portals | Bioenergy Europe |
| | DECIDE project Hub |
| | BUILD UP |
| | Construction 21 |
| | Cordis |
| | Energy Post |
| | Energy in Demand |
| | • eceee |
| | Fleishmann Hillard Energy Vista |
| | • EU agenda |
| | Coalition for Energy Savings |
| | BYInnovation |
| | • EUBIA |
| | Regional Bioenergy Initiatives Increasing the market for Biomass Heating in Europe |
| | (REGBIE+) |
| | Cooperatives Europe |
| | Community Power (CO-POWER) |
| | EIBI - European Industrial Bioenergy Initiative |
| | European Renewable Energies Federation (EREF) |
| | European Compost Network (ECN) |
| | International Co-operative Alliance |
| | Energy Centres Agency (EUREC) |
| | European Technology and Innovation Platform |
| | Smart Networks for Energy Transition |
| | European Biomass Research Network (EUBREN) |
| | Clean Energy Cluster in Central Macedonia (CHORUS) |
| | Hellenic Biomass Association (HELLABIOM) |
| | Spanish Biomass Technology Platform (BIOPLAT). |
| | Spanish Biomass Association (AVEBIOM) |
| | European Renewable Heating and Cooling Technology Platform (RHC) |
| | European Forum for Renewable Energy Sources (EUFORES) |
| | European Bioeconomy Network (EuBloNet) |
| | European Zero Emissions Platform (ETP ZEP) |
| | International Energy Agency-Bioenergy (IEA Bioenergy) |
| | CEMR (Council of European Municipalities and Regions) |
| | European Energy Research Alliance (EERA) |

| | European Innovation Partnership for Agricultural productivity and Sustainability (EIP-AGRI) Spanish Biogas Association (AEBIG) Asociación de Agencias Españolas de Gestión de la Energía (EnerAgen) EBA (European Biogas Association) Euroheat and Power |
|------------------------------|---|
| Stakeholders associations | RESCoop EU Council of European Municipalities and Regions European Energy Research Alliance (EERA) ICLEI Covenant of Mayors BEUC Fedarene Energy cities EUROCITIES UNCEM (Unione Nazionale Comuni Montani) ANCI (Associzione Nazionale Comuni Italiani) Federcooperative Federforeste CTI (Comitato Termotecnico Italiano) CONAIBO (Coordinamento Nazionale delle Imprese Boschive) Amici della terra Legambiente Stati generali Green Economy Finco (Federazione Industrie Prodotti Impianti Servizi ed Opere Specialistiche per le Costruzioni e la Manutenzione) FIRE (Federazione Italiana per l'uso Razionale dell'Energia) |

Annex II - Mainstream and specialised press

| EU and international level | Member State level | | |
|---|--|--|--|
| Euractiv POLITICO Europe MLex Foresight climate & energy Biomass magazine Voice of renewables Bioenergy News Renewables now Renewable Energy Magazine | Spain: Engineered Systems, mundoenergia.com, <u>https://elperiodicodelaenergia.com/</u>, Energy News todo energia, Energias renovables (<u>www.energias-renovables.com</u>), Energía (elconfidencial.com), Retema, Calor y Frio, Bioeconomia, FuturENERGY. | | |
| Bioenergy international Eubioenergy.com Energy Monitor EU Energy Innovation REVOLVE | Greece: Energy Press, Polytechnical News, magazine Building Green, Michanikos Apps, startupper, Energia.gr, Green Agenda, efsyn.gr, tvxs, kathimerini, etc. | | |

| EU and international level | Member State level |
|---|---|
| Carbon Pulse Energy Intelligence REHVA Journal Energy Post European Energy Review Alternenergymag.com Recharge Energetica international EIBI Energy Matters briefing EU Energy review Business Green Guardian ENVIRO Climate Home news Duurzaam Energy Monitor FuturENERGY Coop news | Italy: PRESS AGENCY: Agopress, Adnkronos, Askanews. SECTOR PRESS: Agropress, Agronotizie, Casa&clima, Greenreport, Rinnovabili.it, E-Gazzette, Staffetta Online, Reteambiente, Oggigreen, EnergiaMedia. Canale Energia, BY innovation, QualEnergia.it, CasaClima, Guidaenergia, Quotidiano Energia, GreenMe, GreenBiz, Canale Energia, Gestione Energia, Energia e Dintorni. NATIONAL PRESS: Repubblica, Corriere. Poland: Energia i budynek, Murator, Murator plus, Przeglad Budowlany, Ekspert budowlany, Czysta Energia, Wnp.pl, cire.pl, Chronmy Klimat, Budowa.org, Budownictwo.org, Ekologiczny-dom.com, Ekologia.pl, Ekonews, etc. |

Annex III – Monitoring table

| Partner | Activity | Name of "medium" | Country | Date | |
|---------------------|-----------------------------|----------------------------|---------|------------|--|
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| | | | | | Description / Title (event, article, etc) |
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| [ESEK] | Article (general public) | Karditsanews.gr | Greece | 22/12/2020 | becoop newsletter |
| [] | Article (general | | | | |
| [ESEK] | public) | Taxidromos | Greece | 27/09/2021 | Becoop community |
| [ESEK] | Article (general public) | Mouzaki news | Greece | 27/09/2021 | Becoop community |
| [LOLIN] | Article (general | | Greece | 2770372021 | |
| [ESEK] | public) | Trikalanews | Greece | 28/09/2021 | Becoop community |
| [ESEK] | Article (general public) | Karditsanews.gr | Greece | 27/09/2021 | Becoop community |
| [LOEN] | Article (general | <u>Raransanewsigr</u> | Greece | 2770372021 | |
| [ESEK] | public) | Neos agonas | Greece | 28/09/2021 | Becoop community |
| | Article (general | | | | Fit for 55? Europe needs science- and practice-based Sustainability |
| [FIPER] | public) | Euroactiv | Europe | 06/07/2021 | Criteria" |
| | Article (general | | | | Hacia las comunidades energéticas |
| [Goiener] [White | public) | El periódico de la Energia | Spain | 21/05/2021 | locales con bioenergía |
| research] | Article (general public) | own website | Europe | 28/1/2021 | Press release |
| [White | Article (general | | | | Community bioenergy initiative |
| research] | public) | own website | Europe | 12/02/2021 | BECoop moves to pilot phase |
| | | | | | Do you still throw coffee in the trash? In Thessaloniki, Pieria, |
| | Article (general | | | | Karditsa and Denmark, however, it is |
| [ESEK] | public) | LIFO | Greece | 23/01/22 | recycled. |
| [IEECP] | Article (general public) | project | EU | 15/12/2020 | IEECP highlights potential of community-led bioenergy projects |
| [| Article (general | project | | | |
| [IEECP] | public) | Energy post | EU | 03/10/2022 | |
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| [IEECP] | Article (general public) | Revista RETEMA | Spain | 18/03/2022 | |
| [] | Article (general | | | | |
| [IEECP] | public) | Construction21 | EU | 21/03/2022 | video project |
| [Goiener] | Article (general public) | noticiasdealava | ES | 02.05.22 | "Aberasturi promotes a biomass utilization project" |
| [| Article (general | | | | |
| [Goiener] | public) | Union renovables | Spain | 31/05/22 | |
| [Goiener] | Article (general public) | GOI Twitter | Spain | 02/06/2022 | |
| [concile] | Article (general | | | | |
| [Goiener] | public) | Union renovables | Spain | 24/06/2022 | Translation of the article |
| [ESEK] | Article (general public) | Local press | Greece | 20/09/2022 | Instalation of a biomass boiler in a school of Karditsa |
| | Article (general | | UIEELE | 20/03/2022 | About the coffee pellets and the |
| [ESEK] | public) | National press | Greece | 28/09/2022 | biomass boiler in school |
| | | | | | About the collection of the municipal residuals - coffee |
| | Article (general | | | | pellets and the biomass boiler in |
| [ESEK] | public) | lafavita | Greece | 29/09/2022 | school |
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| | Article (general | | | | pellets and the biomass boiler in |
| [ESEK] | public) | kathimerini.gr | Greece | 10/12/2022 | school |

| | Article (general | snack and coffee | Greece | 11/08/2022 | coffee pollet |
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| [ESEK] | public) | Karditsalive | Greece | 31/08/2023 | BECoop Karditsa visit |
| [ESEK] | Brochure / flyer | this is our energy (awairness campaign) | Greece | 25/6/2022 | Awairness campaign (this is our energy) |
| [CIRCE] | Brochure dissemination | Expobiomasa | Spain | 22- 23/09/2021 | National biomass fair |
| [CERTH] | Brochure dissemination | Physical Event for the opening of CERTH's new offices | Greece | 14/03/2022 | Dissemination materials of BECoop (e.g. flyers/ brochures, small-BECoop presentation playing in background) were provided during the opening of CERTH's new offices in Ptolemaida, Northern Greece |
| [CERTH] | Brochure dissemination | Good Energy Festival | Croatia | 5/5/2022 - 7/5/2022 | CERTH and ESEK provided BECoop dissemination material (BECoop brochures and produced coffee pellets from BECoop activities) during the Good Energy Festival in Zagreb, Croatia |
| [Goiener] | Brokerage or pitch event | Live presentation | Greece | 9.05.2023 | Use case presentation in BECoop brokerage event and biomass sessior at REScoop.eu Community Energy Spring Gathering |
| [WUELS] | Brokerage or pitch event | Live Presentation | Greece | 05/08/2023 | Development of Energy Co-operative in Poland |
| [[]] | Event exhibition | | | | |
| [FIPER] | or poster Event exhibition | | | 04/06/2021 | Bioterra sustainability fair: Brochure and reference to the survey was shared among some of the |
| [Goiener] | or poster | Presential | Spain | 06/06/2021 | participants |
| [IEECP] | Event exhibition or poster | Promotion of Becoop at EU researchers night organised by LPRC - La Palma Research Centre - Macaronight | Local | 24/09/2021 | Template filled by IEECP |
| [CERTH] | Event exhibition or poster | Verde- Tec | Greece | 18/03/2022 | CERTH, togethether with another H2020 project AgroBioHeat, co- organized a workshop ("Renewable heating using agricultural residues and alternative sources of biomass: combining low cost with sustainability") during the 4th International Exhibition "Verde.tec" in Athens. For this workshop, ESEK was also invited to present BECoop project and the Greek pilot's activities. The BECoop banner was set up during the exhibition period, and BECoop brochures and materials were disseminated. |
| [CIRCE] | Event exhibition or poster | 30 EUBCE | EU | 05/10/2022 | Poster presenting BECoop tools in EUBCE |
| | Event organisation (workshop or | | | | |
| [CERTH] | other) | Workshop | Greece | 10/14/2021 | warm up event vol.2 |
| [ESEK] | Event organisation (workshop or other) | Facebook | Greece | 12/03/2020 | The Energy Communities talk about Energy Communities |
| [ESEK] | Event organisation (workshop or other) | Facebook | Greece | 06/08/2021 | BECoop project presentation - Mobilization actions for the development of Community bioenergy projects |
| | Event | | | | |
| [ESEK] | organisation | epikairotita | Greece | 15/10/2021 | warm up event vol.2 |

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| Municipality through the local |
| urban plans |
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| event in order to inform adults that |
| study at the second chance school of |
| Karditsa |
| Presentation in a workshop |
| organized by the federation of Associations of Employees of |
| Technical Enterprises of Greece |
| reeninear Enterprises of Greece |
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| Awairness campaign (this is our |
| energy) |
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| Summer school organized by the |
| RESCOOP |
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| Coffee recycle in the context of |
| European Urban mobility week |
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| Circular economy / bioeconomy from |
| residue to final product |
| CERTH co-organized with Helaviom (Greek association of biomass) a workshop entitled |
| "Biomass day 2023: The role of |
| bioenergy in the energy crisis". |
| During the workshop CERTH and |
| ESEK presented the BECoop project and its activities in the |
| Greek pilot |
| collection of residual coffee for the |
| production of solid biofuels (Thessaly |
| expo) |
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| (state-owned public radio) |
| Il ruolo della biomassa per la transizione ecologica, la visione |
| di Bioenergy Europe |
| Follow up meeting with EVE (Basque |
| Energy Agency) |
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| Πρώτο Πρόγραμμα 91,6 και 105,8 |
| και στην εκπομπή "Πρωινή παρέα" |
| με τον Δ. Χατζημιχάλη. |
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| [[[[]] | Interview | National sharps of (art 2) | Create | 20/00/2022 | residuals - coffee pellets and the biomass boiler in school |
| [ESEK] | Interview | National channel (ert 3) | Greece | 29/09/2022 | About the collection of the |
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| [ESEK] | Interview | Radio skai 100.3 | Greece | 28/09/2022 | school |
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| | | | | | municipal residuals - coffee |
| [ESEK] | Interview | skai tv | Greece | 10/01/2022 | pellets and the biomass boiler in school |
| [E3EK] | Interview | Skal tv | Greece | 10/01/2022 | About the collection of the |
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| | | | | | pellets and the biomass boiler in |
| [ESEK] | Interview | open tv | Greece | 10/03/2022 | school |
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| [ESEK] | Interview | National tv (open tv) | Greece | 10/09/2022 | school |
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| | | | | | municipal residuals - coffee pellets and the biomass boiler in |
| [ESEK] | Interview | state tv (ert1) | Greece | 10/09/2022 | school |
| LOEN | interview | | Greece | 10/03/2022 | a film about the expantion of our |
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| [ESEK] | Interview | State tv (ert news) | Greece | 10/11/2022 | with local authirities |
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| [רכרא] | Interview | Fact 082 (Padia) | Crassa | 21/10/2022 | pellets and the biomass boiler in |
| [ESEK] | Interview | Easy 982 (Radio) | Greece | 21/10/2022 | school About the collection of the |
| | | | | | municipal residuals - coffee |
| | | | China | | pellets and the biomass boiler in |
| [ESEK] | Interview | CGNT | (Europe) | 22/10/2022 | school |
| [ESEK] | Interview | Tpress WEB TV | Greece | 11/11/2022 | wood - coffee pellet |
| | Newsletter | | | | general information plus survey for |
| [CERTH] | insertion | E-mail through CERTH's liaison | Greece | 3/9/2021 | T1.1 |
| | Newsletter | | 6 | c /20 /2024 | general information plus survey for |
| [CERTH] | insertion Newsletter | E-mail through CERTH's liaison | Greece | 6/29/2021 | T1.3 |
| [OBS] | insertion | Facebook Post | Poland | 21/10/2020 | newsletter |
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| [OBS] | insertion | Facebook Post | Poland | 11/08/2020 | T2.3 |
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| [SEV] | insertion | Newsletter | Italy | 12/02/2020 | Newsletter post |
| (a.m. /) | Newsletter | | | | |
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| [Goiener] | insertion | Linkedin post | Spain | 02/03/2022 | |
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| [IEECP] | insertion | Construction21 | France | 15/03/2022 | Self assessment tool |
| | Newsletter | | | | |
| [Goiener] | insertion | Twiter post | Spain | 19/01/2022 | Translated newsletter dissemination |
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| [Goiener] | insertion | GOI Twitter | Spain | 03/06/2022 | Translation of the newsletter |
| [IEECP] | Newsletter insertion | ecrew as sister project | Europe | 25/07/22 | |
| [ILLUF] | Newsletter | ecrew as sister project | сиюре | 23/07/22 | |
| [SEV] | insertion | Newsletter Article | Italy | 31/05/2022 | Newsletter |
| 1 | Newsletter | | | , 00, 2022 | |
| [SEV] | insertion | Newsletter for Member | Italy | 30.11.2022 | Field Visit to Tirano |
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| [SEV] | Newsletter insertion | Newsletter for Member | Italy | 02.05.2023 | Field Visit to Cavalese + South Tyrol |
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| [32 V] | Newsletter | Final event in EC smart cities | Italy | 02.03.2023 | Tield Visit to Cavalese + South Tyron |
| [IEECP] | insertion | newsletter | | | |
| [CERTH] | Oral presentation | Online Workshop where BECoop project was also presented, via Zoom | Greece | 07/07/2021 | Energy in the hands of the citizens of Central Greece. Energy communities and their development prospects |
| [CIRCE] | Oral presentation | EERA (European Energy Research Alliance) Bioenergy Steering Committee meeting | Belgium (but online event) | 15/12/2020 | EERA (European Energy Research Alliance) Bioenergy Steering Committee meeting |
| [CoiEpor] | Oral presentation | University of Basque Country (UPV-EHU) | Spain | 14/1/21 | Goiener Innovation activities including BECoop |
| [GoiEner] [Goiener] | Oral | In person | Spain Spain | 16/04/2021 | RESCoop introduction and shared self-consumption energy opportunities through Energy communities |
| [Goiener] | Oral presentation | volunteer workshop | Spain | 13/11/2021 | GoiEner Lantalde Topaketa: Info day |
| [Golener] | Oral | | Span | 13/11/2021 | |
| [Goiener] | presentation Oral | Website | Spanish | 10/06/2021 | Warm-up event 2: 7 attendants |
| [Goiener] | presentation | Face to face | Spanish | 22/11/2021 | Warm-up event 3: 45 attendants |
| [IEECP] | Oral presentation | Sustainable places | EU | 29/09/21 | |
| [Goiener] | Oral presentation | Face to face | Spanish | 22/11/2021 | Warm-up event 3: 45 attendants |
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| [Goiener] | Oral presentation | Radio interview | Spain | 04/06/2022 | Radio interview in the public radio |
| [CIRCE] | Oral presentation | Biomass workshop | Spain | 20/04/2022 | Conference on Biomass as a heat source in rural areas |
| | Oral | | | | From setting up energy communities to making them thrive: what are the |
| [CIRCE] | presentation | Workshop | EU | 26/04/2022 | tools available? |
| [CERTH] | Oral presentation | Good Energy Festival | Croatia | 05/05/2022 | CERTH attended, together with ESEK, the Good Energy Festival in Zagreb, Croatia where BECoop was presented along with the Greek REScoop ESEK in a "closed" session' where RESCoops and other relevant stakeholders were participating |
| [ESEK] | Oral presentation | Good Energy Festival | Croatia | 05/05/2022 | ESEK attended the Good Energy Festival in Zagreb, Croatia and participated in a dedicated session for Energy Communities ("Community energy initiatives - here they are!"), where ESEK was presented along with a brief presentation of BECoop project |
| [Goiener] | Oral presentation | Face to face | Spanish | 22/11/2021 | Warm-up event 3: 45 attendants |
| [ESEK] | Organisation of conference or workshop | intenational summer school | Greece | 09/07/2022 | Presentation of the pilot becoop case at the 4th international summer school at Thessaloniki about circular economy and bioeconomy |
| | Other (please specify in | | | | |
| [ESEK] | comments) Other (please | state tv (ert3) | Greece | 24/1/22 | The case of esek |
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| [IEECP] | Other (please specify in comments) | Inserting BECoop results in DECIDE knowledge hub | EU | 02/07/2022 | |
| [IEECP] | Other (please specify in comments) | Additions to DECIDE Hub | EU | 01/03/2022 | |

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| [Goiener] | comments) | Face to face event | Spain | 06/10/2022 | REScoop |
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| [LJLK] | Other (please | Promotion of outputs on EC | Greece | 24/1/22 | |
| | specify in | platform, rescoop.eu and | | | |
| [IEECP] | comments) | repository | | | |
| | Participation to | | | | |
| [Colored] | conference or | Distance | Creatin | 02/05/2022 | Distance sustainshilts fair |
| [Goiener] | workshop | Bioterra | Spain | 03/06/2022 | Bioterra sustainability fair Online event entitled "Supporting |
| [CERTH] | Participation to conference or workshop | Online event organized by the Policy Learning Platform of Interreg Europe | EU | 13/8/2022 | the rural green transition" where CERTH presented BECoop project and its activities for supporting energy communities |
| | Participation to conference or | | | | Participation at the workshop woth title "Energy Collective Actions for Energy Poverty & carbon Neutrality. |
| [ESEK] | workshop Participation to | pHYSICAL event | Greece | 10/08/2022 | organized by sister project DECIDE |
| [IEECP] | conference or workshop | Powerpoor brokerage event | Belgium | 30/11/22 | Presenting sister projects & next briefing |
| [WUELS] | Participation to conference or workshop | Conference with worldwide transmission for the registered participants | Republic of South Africa | 12/12/2022 | Invited Lecture (Presentation) BIOENERGY COOPERATIVE AS AN INITIATIVE TO REDUCE ENERGY POVERTY AND TO SUSTAINABLE USE OF LOCAL BIOMASS RESOURCES – BECOOP PROJECT. Sustainable Bioenergy and Processes Conference, Cape Town, RSA, 12-14 December 2022 |
| [FIPER] | Participation to conference or workshop | | | | |
| [Goiener] | Participation to conference or workshop | Networking | Greece | 8- 10.05.2023 | REScoop.eu Community Energy Spring Gathering: Networking with fellow REScoops and emerging energy communities in Eastern Euriope and Balkans |
| | Participation to | | | | |
| (o · · · | conference or | | | 0.05.000 | |
| [Goiener] | workshop | Live presentation | Spain | 9.05.2023 | Expobiomasa 2023, Valladolid |
| | Participation to conference or | | | 22- | GREEN Chemistry and Renewable |
| [WUELS] | workshop | Live Presentation | Japan | 23.05.2023 | Energy Sources |
| | Participation to | DECIDE final event - live | | | Business models and financing for |
| | conference or | presentation of the business | | | Energy Communitiies and other |
| [IEECP] | workshop | aspects | EU | 19-6-2023 | Collective Actions |
| | Participation to conference or | | | | |
| [OBS] | workshop | Presentation | | | |
| [0.00] | Participation to | | | | |
| | conference or | | | | |
| [OBS] | workshop | Presentation to grad students | Poland | 17/06/2023 | |
| [CERTH] | Participation to conference or workshop | Poster presentation | Italy | 08/06/2023 | Poster presentation and conference proceedings in the 31st European Biomass Conference & Exhibition entitled "Valorization of Spent Coffee Ground by Mixing With Residual Biomass for Pellet Production. Evaluation of Solid Fuel Properties at Different Mixtures" |
| | Bross rologgo | Enormy Proce | Grooce | 22/12/2020 | Information Portal for Energy. Title of press release published on site: A people-powered energy system: activating the community energy market for biogenergy |
| [CERTH] | Press release | Energy Press | Greece | 23/12/2020 | market for bioenergy |

| | | | C | 22/42/2020 | Information Portal for Energy and Environment. Title of press release published on site: BECoop: A Citizen- Based Energy System for Bioenergy |
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| [CERTH] | Press release | Energia.gr | Greece | 23/12/2020 | Production Information Portal for Energy and Environment. Title of press release published on site: BECoop: A Citizen- Based Energy System for Bioenergy |
| [CERTH] | Press release | Green Agenda | Greece | 29/12/20 | Production Title of press release published on site, in Greek: BECoop: A Citizen- Based Energy System for Bioenergy |
| [CERTH] | Press release | Site of CERTH | Greece | 15/01/21 | Production |
| [ESEK] | Press release | facebook | Greece | 28/12/20 | Title of the press release |
| [ESEK] | Press release | Local press (η Αλήθεια) | Greece | 24/12/20 | Title of the press release |
| [ESEK] | Press release | e newspaper (θεσσαλός) | Greece | 24/12/20 | Title of the press release |
| [ESEK] | Press release | Mouzaki News | Greece | 23/12/20 | Title of the press release |
| [FIPER] | Press release | Intorno Tirano (journal) | Italy | 03/12/2021 | consultation workshop |
| [FIPER] | Press release | La Provincia (journal) | Italy | 03/12/2021 | consultation workshop |
| [FIPER] | Press release | Quotidiano Energia | Italy | 03/12/2021 | consultation workshop |
| [WUELS] | Press release | Facebook + own website | Poland | | Press release |
| [IEECP] | Press release | Emarket launch | EU | 15/02/2022 | for web, social media, added to EP, C21and BU, shared w/ press, included in FH Energy vista of Feb 17 |
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| [IEECP] | Press release Press release | Email to media Tools event & KEP release | EU | 03/08/2022 | and upload on DECIDE KH, C21, BU, eceee |
| [Goiener] | Press release | Local press | Spain | 05/02/2022 | Aberasturi promotes a biomass utilization project |
| [IEECP] | Press release | Fleishman Hillard news | EU | 05/04/2022 | |
| [FIPER] | Press release | | | | |
| [IEECP] | Press release | Open call PR in FH daily news | | | |
| [IEECP] | Press release | | | | |
| [IEECP] | Scientific article | MDPI | Europe | 29/11/2021 | A Business Model Fast Track on Energy Communities—Key Lessons Learned from H2020 EU Projects |
| [White research] | Social media | WR facebook | Europe | 04/02/2021 | BECoop website promotion |
| [White | Social media | Withacebook | Luiope | 04/02/2021 | |
| research] [White research] | Social media Social media | WR facebook WR twitter | Europe Europe | 29/01/2021 | BECoop KOM retweeted a post for the new newsletter |
| [White | Social media | Witten | Luiope | 12/08/2021 | tweet for the piloting phase of the |
| research] | Social media | WR twitter | Europe | 12/02/2021 | project |
| [White research] | Social media | WR twitter | Europe | 30/11/2021 | retweet for the 2nd newsletter |
| [White research] | Social media | WR LinkedIn | Europe | 15/12/2021 | Community bioenergy initiative BECoop moves to pilot phase |
| [WUELS] | Social media | WUELS Twitter | Poland | 11/01/2021 | Post |
| [WUELS] | Social media | WUELS Twitter | Poland | 20/12/2021 | Post |
| [WUELS] | Social media | WUELS FaceBook | Poland | 20/12/2020 | Post |
| [White research] | Social media | WR twitter | Europe | 15/02/2022 | promotion of the e-market environment |
| [White research] | Social media | WR twitter | | | retweeted a BECoop psot abouth the new newsletter |
| [White research] | Social media | WR LinkedIn | Europe | 01/02/2022 | promotion for the e-market environment |
| [ESEK] | Social media | Facebook | Greece | 26/5/2022 | Good energy festival |
| [ESEK] | Social media | facebook / Linkedin | Greece | 06/10/2022 | Raising awerness campaign |
| [ESEK] | Social media | REVIEW meeting | Greece | 18/07/2022 | review meeting |

| [ESEK] | Social media | Facebook post | Greece | 15/12/2022 | Info day in christmass mill of elves |
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| [CIRCE] | Social media | Facebook post | Spain | 25/04/2022 | Webinar |
| [CIRCE] | Social media | Linkedin post | Spain | 25/04/2022 | Webinar |
| [WUELS] | Social media | WUELS Twitter | Poland | 05/04/2022 | Post |
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| [WUELS] | Social media | WUELS Twitter | Poland | 22/02/2022 | Post |
| [SEV] | Social media | Facebook Post | Italy | 04.04.2023 | Field Visit to Italy |
| [SEV] | Social media | Linkedin Post | Italy | 04.04.2023 | Field Visit to Italy |
| [IEECP] | Social media | Contacting RESCoop to share handbook | EU | 28/06/23 | |
| [White research] | Social media | Linkedin Post | EU | 15/05/2023 | Invitation to join the 10th webinar on Community engagement |
| [White research] | Social media | Linkedin Post | EU | 05/06/2023 | Invitation to join the EU Policy workshop |
| [White research] | Social media | Linkedin Post | EU | 12/06/2023 | Communication of the Replication handbook |
| [White | Concipii anno dia | | 5.1 | 20/00/2022 | Communication of the Replication handbook through a visual representation of the stepwise |
| research] [White | Social media | Linkedin Post | EU | 20/08/2023 | approach Invitation to the BECoop final |
| research] | Social media | Linkedin Post | EU | 07/09/2023 | dissemination event |
| [CIRCE] | Social media | Facebook Post | Spain | 26/09/2023 | Webinar |
| [CIRCE] | Social media | Linkedin Post | Spain | 26/09/2023 | Webinar |
| [WUELS] | Social media | WUELS Twitter | Poland | 30/01/2023 | Post |
| [CIRCE] | Social media post | Facebook Post | Spain | 03/04/2021 | Survey share |
| (| Social media | | | | |
| [CIRCE] | post Social media | linked in | Spain | 03/04/2021 | survey share |
| [CIRCE] | post | twitter | Spain | 03/04/2021 | survey share |
| [CIRCE] | Social media post | Facebook Post | Spain | 05/11/2021 | general information plus survey |
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| [CIRCE] [ESEK] | post Social media post | twitter facebook | Spain | 05/11/2021 | general information plus survey We feel so proud to participate in the BECoop H2020 project. Our main purpose is to foster renewable energy in the region. The collaboration with such a great partners will allow us to achieve the goal!! |
| | Social media | Facebook (Linkedin | Create | 02/05/2021 | Surgery . |
| [ESEK] | post Social media post | Facebook/Linkedin Facebook | Greece | 02/05/2021 | Survey consultation workshop |
| _[LJEN] | Social media | | Greece | 13/3/2021 | |
| [ESEK] | post | Facebook | Greece | 04/04/2021 | BECoop website reshare |
| [ESEK] | Social media post | Linkedin | Greece | 04/08/2021 | Survey |
| [ESEK] | Social media post Social media | Linkedin | Greece | 04/08/2021 | BECoop website reshare |
| [ESEK] | post | Facebook/ LinkedIn | Greece | 18/04/2021 | Survey |
| [ESEK] | Social media post | Facebook + linkedin | Greece | 15/06/2021 | Local perception survey |
| [ESEK] | Social media post | linked in | Greece | 25/11/2021 | survey promotion of sister project |
| | Social media | | | | Let's start this morning with a teaser from our coming newsletter AND a coffee for a circular |
| [ESEK] | post Social media | LinkedIn Facebook | Greece | 12/08/2021 | economy. |
| [ESEK] | post | LinkedIn Facebook | Greece | 16/12/2021 | Press release |

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| [FIPER] | post | LinkedIN | Italia | 17/11/2020 | Al via BECoop! |
| [FIPER] | Social media post | LinkedIN and Facebook | Italia | 14/12/2020 | BECoop Interview |
| [FIPER] | social media post | Facebook/LinkedIn | Italy | 29/01/21 | Survey |
| | Social media | | | | |
| [FIPER] | post Social media | Facebook/ LinkedIn | Italy | 03/05/2021 | BECoop Website is live! |
| [FIPER] | post | Facebook/ LinkedIn | Italy | 03/12/2021 | consultation workshop |
| [FIPER] | Social media post | Facebook | Italy | 31/03/2021 | BECoop website (reshare BECoop's post) |
| [FIPER] | Social media post | LinkedIn | Italy | 31/03/2021 | BECoop website (reshare BECoop's post) |
| [FIPER] | Social media | Facebook/linkedin | Italy | 20/04/2021 | Survey T1.3 |
| | Social media | Tacebooky inikedini | italy | 20/04/2021 | |
| [FIPER] | post Social media | Facebook/linKEdin | Europe | 19/05/2021 | post Fiper Press release |
| [FIPER] | post | Facebook Linkedin | Italy | 18/06/2021 | Partecipa al sondaggio BECoop |
| [FIPER] | Social media post | LinkedIn Facebook | Italy | 26/11/2021 | survey promotion of sister project |
| [FIPER] | Social media post | Linkedin Facebook | Italy | 16/12/2021 | n2nd BEcoop newsletter |
| | Social media | | | | |
| [Goiener] | post Social media | Facebook/linkedin | Spain | 26/04/2021 | Local perception survey |
| [Goiener] | post | Twitter | Spain | 21/4/2021 | Local perception survey |
| [Goiener] | Social media post | Telegram | Spain | 16/4/2021 | Information on survey and Newsletter |
| | Social media | | | | INTERESTED PARTIES ARE SOUGHT TO FORM ENERGY COMMUNITIES USING BIOMASS AS AN ENERGY |
| [Goiener] | post Social media | AVEBIOM June Newsletter | Spain | 17/06/2021 | SOURCE |
| [SEV] | post | Facebook | Italy | 18/11/2020 | Post |
| [SEV] | Social media post | Facebook | Italy | 04/08/2021 | BeCoop FB Post share |
| [SEV] | Social media post | Facebook Post | Italy | 25/10/2021 | Post |
| [ESEK] | Social media post | LinkedIn Facebook | Greece | 12/08/2021 | Let's start this morning with a teaser from our coming newslette AND a coffee for a circular economy. |
| [ESEK] | Social media post | LinkedIn Facebook | Greece | 16/12/2021 | Press release |
| [FIPER] | Social media post | Linkedin Facebook | Italy | 16/12/2021 | n2nd BEcoop newsletter |
| | Social media | Linkedin racebook | italy | 10/12/2021 | |
| [ESEK] | post Social media | linked in | Greece | 25/11/2021 | survey promotion of sister project |
| [FIPER] | post | LinkedIn Facebook | Italy | 26/11/2021 | survey promotion of sister project |
| [FIPER] | Social media post | LinkedIn Facebook | Italy | 14/02/2022 | (NEW TOOL)Activating a community energy market for bioenergy |
| [ESEK] | Social media post | facebook / Linkedin | Greece | 25/02/2022 | Co creation workshop |
| [FIPER] | Social media post | LinkedIn Facebook | Italy | 28/02/2022 | New material available |
| [ESEK] | Social media | Facebook | Greece | 15/3/2022 | BECoop outputs |
| [ESEK] | Social media | facebook / Linkedin | Greece | 22/3/2022 | utilization of renewable heating and cooling by the municipalities of Greece |
| | Social media | | | | |
| [FIPER] | post Social media | Video BEcoop | Italy | 22/03/2022 | <u>É on-line il video BECoop H2020!</u> |
| [ESEK] | post | Linkedin | Greece | 27/3/2022 | Participation at Verde.tec |
| [FIPER] | Social media post | Online workshop-energy community | Italy | 29/03/2022 | Setting up an energy community |

| [ESEK] | Social media post | facebook / Linkedin | Greece | 30/03/2022 | Sotting up on onergy community? |
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| | Social media | | | | Setting up an energy community? |
| [FIPER] | post Social media | Linkedin | Italy | 29/03/2022 | online the new #BeCoop newsletter |
| [FIPER] | post Social media | facebook / Linkedin | Italy | 29/03/2022 | The new BeCoop newsletter |
| [SEV] | post | Facebook Post | Italy | 15/02/2022 | Post |
| [SEV] | Social media post | Facebook Post | Italy | 30/03/2022 | Post |
| | Social media | Facebook Post | Italy | 20/02/2022 | Dest |
| [SEV] | post Social media | | Italy | 30/03/2022 | Post |
| [SEV] | post Social media | Facebook Post | Italy | 31/03/2022 | Post |
| [SEV] | post | Linkedin | Italy | 04.04.2022 | Post |
| [CIRCE] | Social media post | LinkedIn | Spain | 25/04/2022 | From setting up energy communities to making them thrive: what are the tools available? |
| [CIRCE] | Social media post | Facebook | Spain | 25/04/2022 | From setting up energy communities to making them thrive: what are the tools available? |
| [CIRCE] | Social media post | Twitter | Spain | 25/04/2022 | From setting up energy communities to making them thrive: what are the tools available? |
| [SEV] | Social media post | Facebook Post | Italy | 07/09/2022 | Post |
| | Social media | | | | |
| [SEV] | post | Facebook Post | Italy | 18/05/2022 | Post Let's start this morning with a |
| [ESEK] | Social media post | LinkedIn Facebook | Greece | 12/08/2021 | teaser from our coming newsletter AND a coffee for a circular economy. |
| [ESEK] | Social media post | LinkedIn Facebook | Greece | 16/12/2021 | Press release |
| | Social media | | | | |
| [ESEK] [Goiener] | post Training | linked in Guest Lecture | Greece Spain | 25/11/2021 | survey promotion of sister project As part of lecture series "Energy Markets", online lecture on Energy cooperatives |
| [WUELS] | Training | Live Presentation | Poland | 02/06/2023 | Energy Cooperative on rural areas |
| [Goiener] | Video | Youtube | Spain | 17/11/2021 | |
| [IEECP] | Video | Promo on BU, C21, DECIDE hub | EU | 01/03/2022 | |
| [ESEK] | Webinar | MS Teams | Poland | 21/07/2021 | Renaldo - Rural Development Through Renewable Energy Sources |
| [ESEK] | Webinar | steamyard | Greece | 14/1/2022 | Energy democracy and energy communities |
| | | | | | technical Assistance session organized in the framework of the |
| [ESEK] | Webinar | MS Teams | | 25/1/22 | Covenant of Mayors |
| [FIPER] | Webinar | Zoom | Italy | 03/12/2021 | Teleriscaldamento a biomassa |
| [Goiener] | Webinar | Zoom | Spain | 18/03/2021 | Local consultation workshop |
| [Goiener] | Webinar | E-mail | Spanish | 10/06/2021 | Warm-up event 1: 31 attendants consultation workshop |
| [OBS] | Webinar | Facebook Post | Poland | 22/06/2021 | consultation workshop |
| [OBS] | Webinar | Facebook Post | Poland | 03/02/2021 | webinar |
| [OBS] | Webinar | Facebook Post | Poland | 03/08/2021 | webinar |
| [OBS] | Webinar | Facebook Post | Poland | 03/10/2021 | webinar |
| [ESEK] | Webinar | steamyard | Greece | 14/1/2022 | Energy democracy and energy communities technical Assistance session |
| [ESEK] | Webinar | MS Teams / Covenant of M | | 25/1/22 | organized in the framework of the Covenant of Mayors |
| [CERTH] | Webinar | Zoom | Greece | 03/11/2022 | CERTH together with HELABIOM co- organized on behalf of Renewable Heating & Cooling Platform (RHC) an |

| | | | | | online webinar entitled "RHC in Greek Municipalities", where the BECoop project is presented. ESEK is also invited to speak and present their activities and its involvement in BECoop project. |
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| [ESEK] | Webinar | steamyard | Greece | 14/1/2022 | Energy democracy and energy communities |
| [ESEK] | Webinar | MS Teams / Covenant of M | | 25/1/22 | technical Assistance session organized in the framework of the Covenant of Mayors |
| [FIPER] | Website news or page | Promotion of toolkit | Italy | 25/10/2021 | Online the Toolkit |
| [FIPER] | Website news or page | Promotion of toolkit | Italy | 25/10/2021 | Online the Toolkit |
| [Goiener] | Website news or page | avebiom | Spain | 04/07/2021 | Newsletter post |
| [Goiener] | Website news or page | Communication about warm- up event | | 07/05/2021 | Communication about warm-up event. |
| [OBS] | Website news or page | website | Poland | 21/10/2020 | Article |
| [OBS] | Website news or page | website | Poland | 24/12/2020 | Article |
| [OBS] | Website news or page | zoom | Poland | 15/06/2021 | seminar |
| [SEV] | Website news or page | Site of SEV | Italy | 30/11/2020 | Article |
| [CIRCE] | Website news or page | own website | Spain | 11/08/2021 | Project page (landing) inside the website |
| [WUELS] | Website news or page | own website | Poland | 20/12/2020 | Newsletter post |
| [WUELS] | Website news or page | own website | Poland | 01/12/2021 | Newsletter post |
| [ESEK] | Website news or page | Karditsalive | Greece | 25/02/2022 | Co creation workshop |
| [IEECP] | Website news or page | BU, C21, DECIDE hub | EU | 02/03/2022 | Technical & business catalogues & factsheets |
| [IEECP] | Website news | BU, C21, DECIDE hub | EU | 03/08/2022 | Self assessment tool + press release |
| [IEECP] | Website news or page | Cordis news on emarket | EU | 01/03/2022 | |
| [IEECP] | Website news or page | Cordis news on emarket | | | CORDIS post about BECoop |
| [IEECP] | Website news or page | EU agenda | | | |
| [IEECP] | Website news or page | Promo April 26 event | EU | 04/08/2022 | |
| [SEV] | Website news or page | Homepage | Italy | 15/02/2022 | Article |
| [ESEK] | Website news or page | Greenagenda | Greece | 08/03/2022 | Biofuel from coffee residues |
| [SEV] | Website news or page | Homepage | Italy | 14/11/2022 | Article |
| [SEV] | Website news or page | Homepage | Italy | 25/05/2022 | Article |
| [WUELS] | Website news or page | own website | Poland | 04/05/2022 | Post |
| [WUELS] | Website news or page | own website | Poland | 28/04/2022 | Post |
| [WUELS] | Website news or page | own website | Poland | 30/04/2022 | Post |
| | Website news | | | | Activar el aprovechamiento comunitario de la biomasa para calefacción, objetivo del proyecto |
| [Goiener] | or page Website news | ESEficiencia.es | Spain | 10/02/2023 | europeo BECoop FERNWÄRME: BEST-PRACTICE IN |
| [SEV] | or page Website news | Article | Italy | 22.04.2023 | SÜDTIROL WEBINAR BECOOP: BIOENERGY |
| [SEV] | or page | Article | Italy | 20.01.2023 | COMMUNITIES |