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MOVING FORWARD TO ACHIEVING CLIMATE-RESILIENT AND SUSTAINABLE EUROPEAN REGIONAL ECONOMIC SYSTEMS

# Welcome to FARCLIMATE's 2nd Newsletter!




Over the last few months, the FARCLIMATE project has seen a flurry of activity. In July, the Universidade de Vigo and FUNDAMAR held a meeting with case studies in Galicia, Spain, while the Green Growth Generation event took place in Turin, Italy, showcasing the project "l'Orto che vorrei". Later in September, partners participated in the Open Living Lab Days in Timisoara, Romania, and hosted the Nurturing Urban Sustainability and Inclusion events in Turin, Italy.

These activities highlight FARCLIMATE's commitment to **enhancing climate resilience across Europe**. By engaging with local communities and implementing transformative solutions, the project continues to drive forward its mission to create sustainable and inclusive urban environments. The recent events reflect a concerted effort to foster collaboration and innovation among stakeholders, ensuring that climate resilience remains a top priority



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# FARCLIMATE at the Open Living Lab Days in Timisoara




The Open Living Lab Days were organised during 25-27 September 2024 in Timisoara, Romania. This annual event organised by FARCLIMATE partners from European Network of Living Labs (ENoLL) is a global gathering of international Living Labs that brings together living labbers, public officials, corporate leaders, entrepreneurs, academics, and innovators from around the world. The theme of this year's event was" LIVING LABS FRONTIERS: Driving systemic change through Soci(et)al Engagement, for real impact" which explored how Living Labs can drive meaningful societal systemic change through active engagement and collaboration.

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## FARCLIMATE at the 3rd edition of the Fundão Agricultural Innovation Fair




FARCLIMATE was present with its own stand in the 3rd edition of the Fundão Agricultural Innovation Fair! This provided an excellet platform to engage with people and raise awareness about the project's mission. Partners from Município do Fundão and C4G Consulting implemented the pilot for Training deployment on the 10th and 11th having assessed a total number of 155 trainees from agricultural and forestry businesses, civil society, students and other stakeholders.

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## Other highlighted events



**Meeting with case studies in Galicia, Spain**



**Nurturing Urban Sustainability and Inclusion**

meeting at the GALP Ría de Arousa, followed by another insightful session on July 18th at the GALP Ría de Pontevedra. Both of these GALP (Local Action Groups for Fisheries) are participating in FARCLIMATE as case studies, with each ría (estuary) representing one case.

two key events in Turin, funded by ACRA and Otto per Mille Soka Gakkai within the broader context of the FARCLIMATE Project. The gatherings, held under the 'Sfide Ambientali' initiative, focused on environmental sustainability and community participation.

## International Day of Climate Action




On the **International Day of Climate Action**, we are reminded of the urgent need to take action to protect our planet. Climate change is the most critical challenge of our time, with impacts like droughts, storms, and extreme weather events already affecting communities worldwide. At FARCLIMATE, we are committed to addressing these challenges head-on through our EU-funded project. With an interdisciplinary, multisectoral, and multi-actor approach, we aim to develop innovative and sustainable solutions for farming, fisheries, and forestry. Our goal is to help regions and communities across Europe transform and adapt to the realities of climate change.




## Our project brochure is available

Dive into the details of our innovative work, key milestones, and future plans by **downloading** the brochure today.




## FARCLIMATE and Mission Adaptation

Pablo Cabanelas presented the Mission Adaptation introducing FARCLIMATE Project during the Open Living Lab Days 2024 in Timisoara.

# Relevant news

**Climate change impacts, risks and adaptation**

The EU is accelerating its climate action with a series of groundbreaking initiatives. From achieving a remarkable 55% reduction in greenhouse gas emissions to proposing a comprehensive legislative framework for 2030, Europe is leading the way. Notably, the EU has also surpassed its 2020 targets and is actively addressing the future of F-gases. These steps are crucial as the region braces for the increasing impacts of climate change, which are already being felt across sectors like agriculture, fisheries, and forestry.

**Climate Change Set to Dramatically Increase Heat-Related Deaths in Europe**

As climate change accelerates, Europe is increasingly vulnerable to extreme heat events, with a recent study projecting a more than 30-fold increase in heat-related deaths by the end of the century under a worst-case scenario. The aging population, urban heat islands, and varying levels of climate adaptation make the continent particularly susceptible. Without urgent action, tens of thousands of additional lives could be lost annually due to heatwaves, the "silent killers" of our time.

## Meet the consortium

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