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SLOVENIA

GREEN. CREATIVE. SMART.



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NALOŽBA V VAŠO PRIHODNOST



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The state of play in sLOVEnia

- Slovenia was the first country in Europe to have requested its cities to use CEF Context Broker and apply MIMs when implementing their strategies for smart cities and regions
- Big support of high government officials during Presidency of the Council of the European Union for the SCC

How we got there?

- **Vision to be SCC referential model country** (go big or go home)
- Open dialog between main stakeholders
 - Ministry of Public Administration
 - Association of Municipalities and Towns of Slovenia
 - ICT Innovation Network & Digital industry
- Identify EU policy directions, relevant initiatives and best EU/worldwide concepts & standards and **not re-inventing** the wheel => jump start, innovation
- **Agree on common denominator, acceptable for all stakeholders**
- What makes difference:
 - **Willingness to collaborate**
 - Reference architecture, standardization & harmonization blueprint
 - Lots & lots of community awareness activities
 - Great support from partners and initiatives like Living-EU, Gaia-x, Fiware, OASC, BDVA, DSBA...
 - Political commitment as agreement of stakeholders was reached and €€€
 - Digital sector interest to develop interoperable international solutions
 - Determination and perseverance
 - Small country

Gaia-X & Smart Cities and Communities

- WG start shaping in beginning of 2021, complementing local hubs
- Quick commitment of just right & interested stakeholders
- Main tasks & ambitions
 - Build from strong initiatives and ecosystems already existing
 - Integration to Gaia-X organization
 - Laying foundations for European data space for SCC and other instruments
 - Network for collaboration & bridging between demand & supply & policy
 - Position paper
 - Relations between Smart Cities IT domain and Gaia-X
 - Use-cases
 - Solution -> Problem -> Main technology/GAIA-X components
 - 5 countries and more to come

- Result



Join us!

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