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RESEARCH ALLIANCES FOR CLIMATE-NEUTRAL, SUSTAINABLE AND EQUITABLE URBAN COMMUNITIES

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Location: CNR NATIONAL RESEARCH COUNCIL Headquarter
PIAZZALE ALDO MORO, 7 - ROME

26th and 27th open to the public (in person; language: english)
28th UERA members only

It is with great pleasure that Institute of Methodologies for Environmental Analysis of the National Research Council (CNR-IMAA), Italian National Agency for the New Technologies, Energy and Sustainable Development (ENEA), and Urban Europe Research Alliance (UERA) welcome you to the conference on Research Alliances for Climate-Neutral, Sustainable and Equitable Urban Communities.

In an era dominated by climate change, social inequality, and urban transitions, innovative and collaborative responses are more urgent than ever. These challenges demand technological solutions and diverse perspectives to create sustainable futures. The issues are global, transcending borders, and require integrated approaches addressing economic, environmental, and social dimensions.

Our mission is to explore how cross-disciplinary, cross-sector, and transnational collaborations can transform urban and vulnerable communities into resilient, sustainable spaces. Prioritizing climate neutrality, social inclusion, and equity, we aim to develop models balancing economic growth, environmental stewardship, and human well-being. This approach emphasizes local knowledge, cultural sensitivity, and grassroots initiatives while amplifying marginalized voices and addressing systemic inequities.

This event convenes experts from academia, government, industry, and civil society to foster interdisciplinary exchanges and strategize actionable solutions. Through workshops, panels, and case studies, participants will examine successful sustainability models, explore emerging technologies, and identify opportunities to scale localized solutions. Topics include circular economies, regenerative agriculture, smart cities, and renewable energy integration, offering practical insights to inspire new research and partnerships.

More than a conference, this gathering spark ongoing dialogues and partnerships. Together, we will craft a roadmap for a sustainable, equitable future, turning shared challenges into opportunities for a healthier planet and society.

We look forward to the inspiring conversations and breakthroughs that will emerge from our discussions!

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