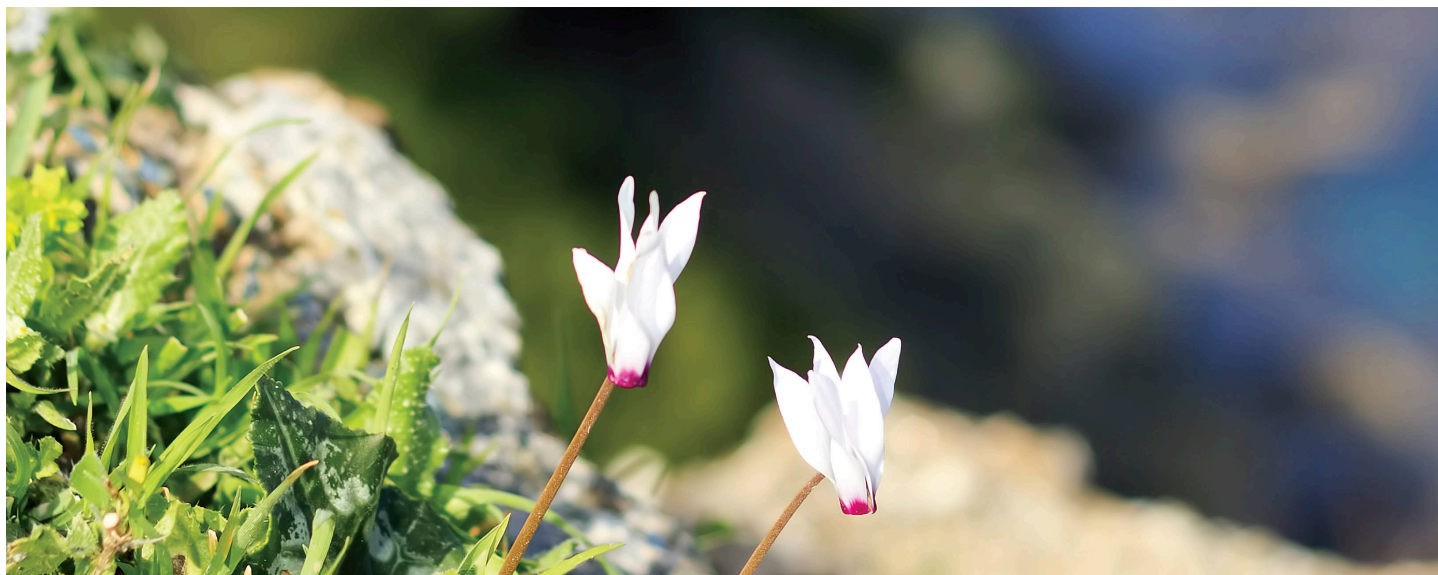




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OUR NEWS



The final Consortium Meeting of the TRANSIT project

The TRANSIT project has come to an end, and to celebrate its achievements, it organized a final consortium meeting in Valetta (Malta). Project partners -including the Cyprus Energy Agency-, together with International Advisory Board members, gathered in the Maltese capital from October 20 to 22, during the IEEE PES ISGT Europe 2025 Conference.

The gathering started with the participation of the project at the Conference, where an escape room for kids was organized on the morning of the 20th, called “Superheroes of Renewable Energy”. The activity encouraged kids to discover their own “superpowers” — Sun, Wind, Hydro, Wisdom, and Balance — while learning about renewables in a fun and interactive way. In the afternoon of the same day, the TRANSIT team led a tutorial on “Smart Grids and Renewables in the Energy Transition”, addressed to students and professionals.

The Consortium Meeting was held on October 22nd. During the meeting, project partners reflected on key milestones, examined the status of current deliverables, and shaped shared goals for the future. On the same day, and during the Conference, the TRANSIT Awards Winners on National Level in Malta were awarded.

To learn more, please click [here](#).



The Municipality of Athienou in the fight against Energy Poverty

Last month, Athienou Municipality and its Council for Social Volunteering (CSV) signed an Agreement with our Agency, for guidance on energy poverty and disability issues, within the framework of the EU project ASSERT.

These two are 1 of the 5 pairs made of Local Authorities and Organisations who support people with disabilities and other vulnerable citizens that will benefit from an eighteen-month long guidance to mitigate energy poverty within their territory/community.

To learn more, please click [here](#).



The Step-WISE project launches its Virtual Knowledge Office

Step-WISE, a tailored and dynamic Capacity Building Programme, co-financed by the European Union, with the aim of empowering the European Local and Regional Authorities to become autonomous early adopters of digitized and integrated Clean Energy Transition Plans, has launched its Virtual Knowledge Office, also known as VKO.

Active in four pilot areas (Bulgaria, Spain, Cyprus, Mediterranean islands), the project leverages a software toolkit aimed at the analysis of the local territory, to evaluate different energy scenarios, prioritize interventions in time, and monitor progress towards targets.

In the VKO provide you with technical tools, educational material, as well as a matchmaking platform, that all together make the process of Clean Energy Transition Planning easier, quicker, and more accurate!

To learn more, please click [here](#).

UPCOMING EVENTS & TRAINING COURSES

FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES

For funding opportunities addressed to households, enterprises, and Local Authorities, visit our website: www.cea.org.cy/en/funding-opportunities/

NEWS FROM AROUND THE WORLD



Renewable Energy Sources

Since 2010, Feldheim -a small village in Brandenburg (Germany)- has been making energy history and is recognized nationwide as the first place with independent electricity and heat supply from renewable sources.

The foundation of the electricity supply is the nearby wind farm, currently consisting of 52 wind turbines. The heat supply is provided by a biogas plant, while a battery storage system helps balance short-term fluctuations in the power grid. In the coming years, many of the wind turbines will be repowered. Plans are also in place for a hybrid park and further development of Feldheim as a visitor center.

Read more [here](#).



Sustainable Cities - Sustainable Mobility

According to Nizar Baraka, Morocco's Minister of Equipment and Water, and Abdessamad Kayouh, Morocco's Transport and Logistics Minister, the country has placed sustainable mobility at the core of its national planning & development vision - to build a modern, sustainable, and integrated transport system that supports economic and social development.

Within this framework and ahead of major international milestones, such as the 2030 FIFA World Cup, Morocco is undergoing deep transformations in transport and mobility, particularly in intercity connectivity and the movement of people and goods in land, air, and sea. The goal is to modernize its transport networks, develop efficient public transit systems, promote active mobility, and integrate new technologies that optimize traffic management and reduce its carbon footprint.

Read more [here](#) and [here](#).



Energy Efficiency

A new [study](#) by Economic Consulting Associates Ltd. and the Energy Institute Hrvoje Požar outlines the current status of using energy efficiency to address energy poverty in the Energy Community contracting parties, including in Georgia, Moldova and Ukraine, through building renovation and the application of the "Energy Efficiency First" principle.

According to the study, energy-efficient deep renovations in the Energy Community region could cut household demand by over 60%, improve health by reducing damp and respiratory illness, and generate 12-19 jobs for every €1 million invested, while delivering up to 3 times the value of direct savings through better wellbeing and productivity.

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