

## 3P4SSE NEWSLETTER\_ #3 contribution from LINKS

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During April, LINKS Foundation researchers were involved in several activities concerned the organisations of local workshops. These activities were about the preparation of communication materials (digital invitations, flyers, brochures, etc) and their dissemination through the official social networks of LINKS Foundation and through networking activities, and other activities were about location, speakers and participants management (management of the procurement process). The first seminar, titled "Social economy and territory - The Third Sector as a driver of territorial development", has been organised in collaboration with Città Metropolitana di Torino, on April 15<sup>th</sup>. The aim of this event was to encourage the sharing of ideas about the main topic and during the event, a number of good practices were presented by relevant national stakeholders, including public authorities, banking foundations (Fondazione Compagnia di Sanpaolo and Fondazione Cariplo) and cooperation federation (EURISCE and Fondazione Trentino Cooperazione).



LINKS Foundation researchers did the same preparation activities, about communication materials and the management of the procurement process, for the second seminar, organised in collaboration with the University of Turin on May 22<sup>nd</sup>, titled "Polycentrism and peripheralization - The role of the third sector on the territory".

In the same months, LINKS Foundation researchers have also participated in preparatory meetings concerning the design of A2.1 and A3.2; on the review and drafting activities of the template regarding the Action plan, as well as preparatory activities on the evaluation methodology and networking at the local scale for the preparation of the MoU.

The last workshop organised by LINKS Foundation, at its branch on September 24<sup>th</sup>, was entitled "Processi di trasformazione dell'economia sociale" (in English, "Transformation processes in the social economy"). The workshop, organised like a round table, was about the management of complex processes in the social economy, including territorial governance, the digitisation and partnership innovations promoted by social clusters and public administrations.

