

# Bericht aus Brüssel

Freistaat  
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des Freistaats Thüringen  
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7. Netzwerktreffen „Smart Cities/Smart Regions“  
Weida, 28. Juni 2023



- SMC = Small and Medium Sized Cities
- 1./2. Juni 2023 in Brüssel
- City-Team Ansatz
- Thüringen:
  - City Teams Apolda/Weimarer Land – nachhaltiger und digitaler Tourismus
  - City Team Weimar – Bauhaus.Mobility.Hub als European Digital Innovation Hub



# SMC-Workshop - Städtethemen



## Break-out Session 2

### Workshop 4: Local energy transition

**Emmen:** Designing and implementing a future-proof local energy system

### Workshop 5: E-mobility value chains

**Salo:** Electrification of mobility and building batteries value chain

**Sundsvall:** Upscaling to Support of the EU Strategic Battery Value Chains

### Workshop 6: Solutions for sustainable and digital tourism

**Apolda:** "Brand-defining terrain furnishing with permanent CO2 storage effect"

**Thuringia/University of Jena:** Co-design for digitisation and cultural heritage

## Break-out Session 1

### Workshop 1: Sustainable neighborhoods

**Assen:** New Urban Development in Europe

**Turku:** Integrating New European Bauhaus in city district development

### Workshop 2: Climate adaptation technology

**Stavanger:** Use of drones in climate adaptation

**Prato:** NBS and digital innovation to protect critical infrastructures

### Workshop 3: Local and regional innovation systems

**Weimar:** European Digital Innovation Hub Network supporting cities in developing digital skills and fostering digital innovation in the fields of mobility, logistics and energy

**Stavanger:** Smart Specialisation Innovation Policies  
How can small and medium sized city-regions design smart specialisation or regional innovation policies, which balance the need for 'smart diversification', with the need to involve all actors in the innovation system?

## Break-out Session 3

### Workshop 7: Skills for the Green transition

**Cities of Northern Sweden:**  
The demand for skills in European cities in light of the green transition

### Workshop 8: Public-private collaboration for sustainability

**Solingen:** "1.5 Degree Lifestyle - how to involve the private sector achieving the SDGs in medium-sized cities"

**Växiö:** Learnings from collaborative and sustainable innovations between public and private sector

### Workshop 9: Climate change adaptation, biodiversity

**Kaarina:** Climate change adaptation, stormwater management and biodiversity changes in urban development projects

**Porto Metropolitan Area:**  
METROCLIMA - Project for adaptation to climate change in AMP



Nachbesprechung am 5. Juli, 10:00 -  
11:30 in der Stadtverwaltung Weimar

Interessenten sind herzlich  
eingeladen.

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Workshop-Unterlagen:

- Agenda
- Workshop descriptions of City  
Teams

# Hochschuldelegationsreise Juni 2023

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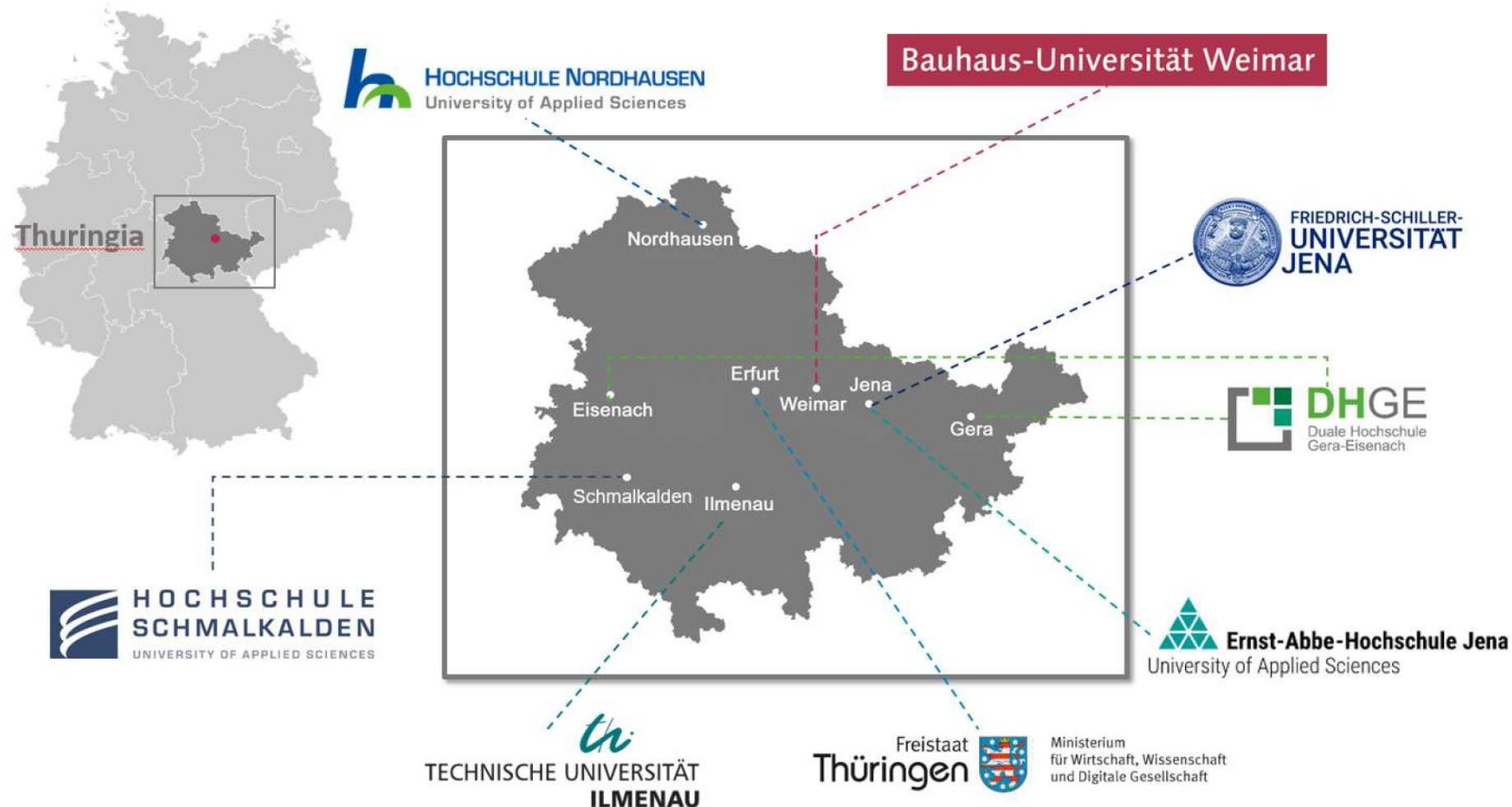


# Thema: Rolle der Hochschulen in regionalen Innovationsökosystemen

Participant's list for the delegation trip of Thuringian universities to Brussels  
"Universities as knowledge brokers in regional innovation systems"

12-15 June 2023

Representation of the Free State of Thuringia to the EU



# Startup Village Forum



The **SVF** is intended

- to be an **open and inclusive** space for rural stakeholders for sharing and learning from each other
- to better **understand the dynamics** that operate in rural areas in terms of **entrepreneurship and innovation**
- to strengthen territorial ecosystems and contribute to **accelerate the spread and adoption of innovation** in rural areas

← Home Capacity building for cities

Ongoing

🕒 Closing in 4 months 2 weeks 5 days



## City-to-City Exchanges EUI – Capacity Building

The Call for Applications for city-to-city exchanges is now open, providing support to urban authorities in addressing implementation challenges related to sustainable urban development.

<https://www.urban-initiative.eu/capacity-building/pilot-call-c2c-exchanges>





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## Co-developing pathways towards climate resilient regions in Europe

Discover how the Pathways2Resilience programme supports European regions and communities along their Regional Resilience Journey:

Express your  
interest in  
climate resilience

Check the open  
calls to receive  
support

Participate in  
the innovation  
practice groups

Participate in  
the finance  
innovation lab

Take part  
in training  
modules

Use the  
practical  
toolbox

- Insgesamt 21 Millionen Euro
- 100 auszuwählende Regionen und Gemeinden
- Max. 300.000 für ein Projekt

Vielen Dank für Ihre Aufmerksamkeit!

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