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01. Organizers

The workshop and the roundtable was organized under the project Erasmus+ CBHE SUNRAISE - Sustainable Natural Resource Use in Arctic and High Mountainous Areas (<http://sunraise.sfu-kras.ru>) and Erasmus+ Jean Monnet Project TERRA - Transboundary European Regionalisation in Russia and Eastern Partnership: European Dimension and Environmental Drivers (<https://pskovsu.com/terra>)

02. Meeting objective

The workshop and roundtable are organized around following objectives:

- One is to take stock of innovation related to green and blue infrastructure (GBI) in Russian cities, and to understand the factors of success and failures of such innovation projects given a variety of biophysical and socioeconomic contexts across the country.
- Second is to understand what other innovation projects successfully implemented in the EU have their chance in Russia, what kind of projects would be useful and relevant in terms of sustainability transition in Russia, and what barriers need to be considered to ensure their success.
- The other one is to discuss of the summer school program in the city of Pskov.



03. Meeting description (input of the SUNRAISE participants)

The conference program included the following sections: The city and water, GBI innovation in the High North, Green and blue infrastructure for the delivery of ecosystem services and comfortable living, Sustainable energy, materials and planning, “Is it going to fly or not?” - express-evaluation of the feasibility of EU GBI

innovation in Russia. Full information is available on the website <https://pskovsu.com/gbi>

Speakers representing academic and non-academic institutions from across Russia, who have relevant GBI experience and reflections to share and EU partners involved in these innovative presented results of research and project. One of the important tasks of the conference was to analyze the implementation of GBI in the High North. On the second day, the programs and dates of the summer school were discussed between the partners of the *SUNRAISE participants*.



04. Results

The next summer school «SUSTAINABILITY TRANSITION OF BORDERLANDS» will take place in Pskov from July 24 to August 06. During the school two events will also be workshop and roundtable «Environmental governance systems in transboundary contexts» (26-27 July) and project meeting. Objectives of the meeting will be Evaluation of the TLM development; Presentation and discussion of current activities; Discussion and refinement of upcoming activities; Open problems or critical points should be discussed and solved.