

### Esperienze di Bologna in materia di adattamento urbano

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#### The BLUEAP project (LIFE11 ENV/IT/119)

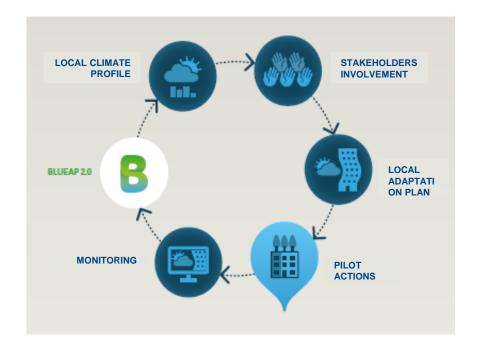
In october 2012 Bologna started **BlueAp LIFE project** for the definition of a Local Adaptation Plan.

On 4<sup>th</sup> June 2014 the City Council approved the **signing of "Mayors Adapt":** Bologna was the first Italian city to join the initiative.

In october 2015 the City Council approved the **Local Adaptation Plan**.

The Plan contains the actions to make Bologna resilient at the **reference year of 2025**.

The Plan has considered the international and **UNFCC reference documents on local adaptation actions** and valued the support of an international scientific commitee coordinated by CMCC in order to fix benchmarks and references for the work.



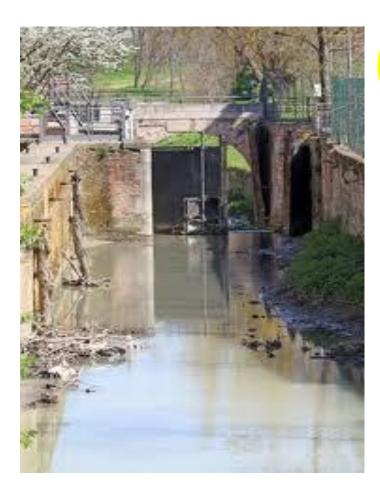


In August 2015 a delegation of France Senate visited Bologna for a workshop on BlueAp project experience.





#### **Main vulnerabilities**



**HEAT WAVES** 

Exposure: HIGH

Sensitivity: HIGH (population,

tourism, air quality)

WATER SCARCITY

Exposure: MEDIUM/HIGH Sensitivity: HIGH (population,

mobility, economy)

EXTREME RAINFALL EVENTS

Exposure: MEDIUM/HIGH

Sensitivity: HIGH

(population, hydrology)





## Vulnerability Prought and water scarcity Reduce the use of natural water resources Eliminate parasiting waters and the mixing of black and white waters Regulate the flow of Reno River Protect gricoltural production

# Withdrawals from groundwater < 45 million m3 / year Minimum water flow in Reno river 1.87 m3 / s Minimum water flow in Reno river 1.87 m3 / s Minimum water flow in Reno river 1.87 m3 / s A lower losses consumption < 130 l / inhabitant / day Consumption of drinking water for other uses < 5 Mil m3 / year





# Vulnerability Increase urban greening; protect and enhance urban green areas and urban agricolture. Increase insulation and greening in public and private buildings. Reduce vulnerability of population exposed to health risks linked to temperature increase.

#### Main objectives

+ 5000 trees



+ 5 hectars urban vegetable gardens



Greening interventions on 10 public buildings



Greening of 4 public spaces in historical center



Prevention of heath waves effects







### Extrem

Vulnerability

#### Extreme rain events and hydrogeological risks

#### Strategies

- Improve city hydrogeological response
- Make the territory more "resistant" to intense rain.
- Reduce water pollution carries by rain.
- Increase resilience of population and property at risk.

#### Main objectives

Limit increase of new waterproofed territory from 3500 to 3700 hectares.



new drainage systems on impermeable surfaces

> 11.5 ha



Pollution load due to spillways < 50%

Increase the resilience of infrastructures



Adequate maintenance of cultural heritage







#### Financing climate actions in Bologna

#### **Bologna Carbon Market**

I crediti di riduzione volontaria di CO2 del Comune di Bologna a disposizione della città

Il Comune di Bologna negli ultimi anni ha Grazie a questo meccanismo virtuoso il attivato diversi progetti per la sostenibilità Comune potrà implementare nuovi progetti ambientale che hanno contribuito a ridurre di riduzione di CO2. le emissioni di CO2 e possono essere trasformati in crediti volontari di riduzione.



Le imprese possono collaborare al benessere dei cittadini e dell'ambiente e aggiudicarsi crediti volontari di riduzione. I crediti volontari del Comune sono infatti a disposizione di quelle imprese che si vogliono impegnare per la tutela dell'ambiente e contribuire alla realizzazione di nuovi progetti ambientali sul territorio.

#### Life RainBo





#### **OBJECTIVES & SCOPE:**

The **RainBo** project aims to **improvement** of knowledge, methods and tools to respond to **extreme weather** events.

Particulary on the potential impacts of the catastrophic rains in river basins (the so-called **flash flooding**).

On medium term project objective is to build a possible **response system** (forecasting models, warning protocols) to emergencies caused by sudden and destructive weather events.

PARTNERS Lepida (coordinator), Agenzia Regionale Prevenzione e l'Ambiente dell'Emilia-Romagna (ArpaE), Comune di Bologna Meteorological and Environmental Earth Observation (MEEO) NIER Ingegneria SpA

Project duration:31/07/2016 - 31/07/2019











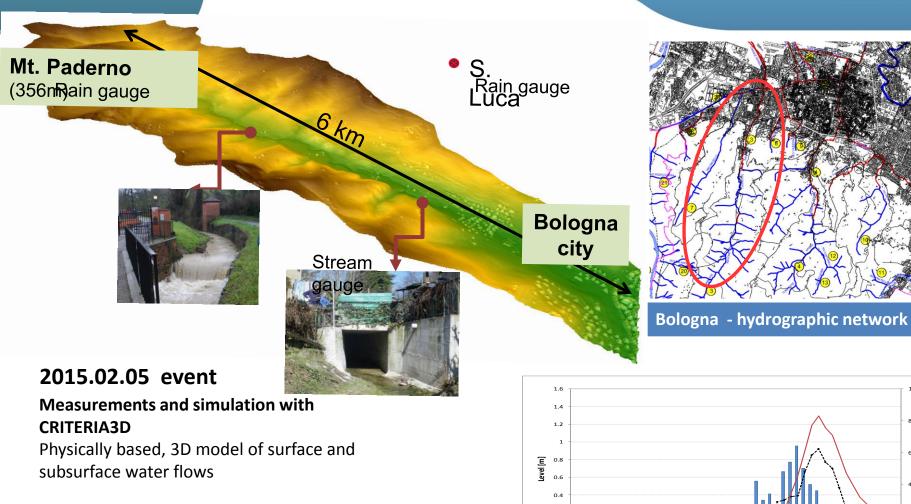
#### **Urban flooding in Bologna**



--+-- Obs. Level [m]

Criteria3D - 10 cm soil















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#### **Investing on infrastructures**

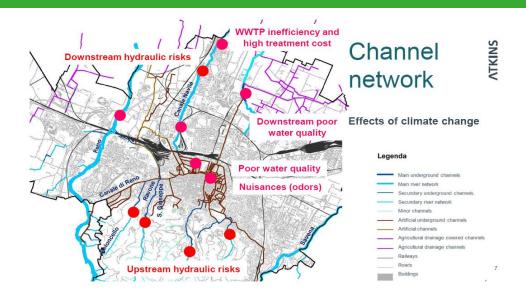
**The European Investment Bank** (EIB) is supporting initiatives to adapt to climate change

#### **Climate Change Adaptation and Resilient** Cities

Inception Report European Investment Bank

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