



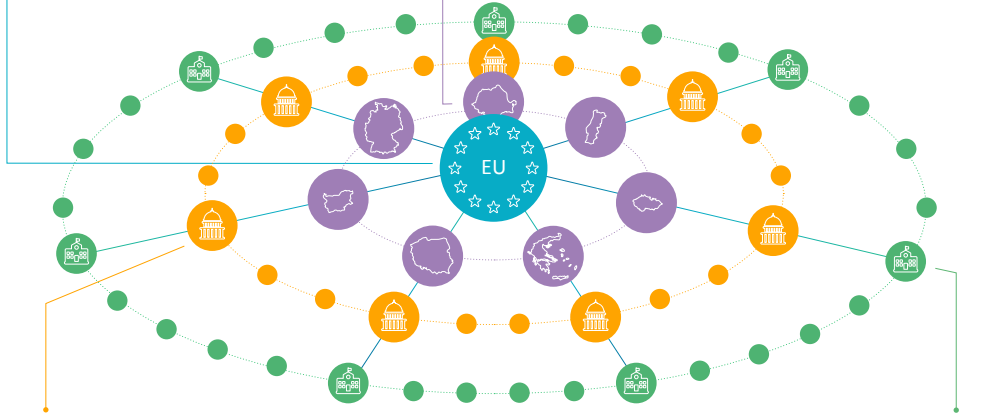
## EUROPEAN UNION

The aim of the BEACON project is to **strengthen bilateral and multilateral cooperation across Europe** and create common ambition to realise the Paris Agreement. Through joint learning, networking, and tailored advisory services, policymakers, municipal actors, and educators gain technical and process-related skills that help them develop, refine, and implement measures for reducing greenhouse gas emissions.



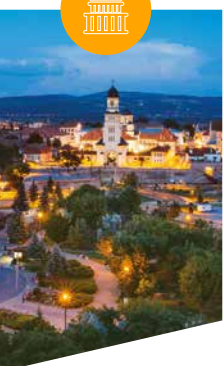
## NATIONAL

At the national level, emissions reductions and corresponding good practices in national climate protection policies and instruments from across the EU are analysed in **21 factsheets** and shared with relevant national stakeholders. The focus of this work includes the buildings, transport, small industry, and agriculture sectors. Workshops with national, regional, and local actors will be organised in selected partner countries to work jointly on specific challenges.



## MUNICIPALITIES

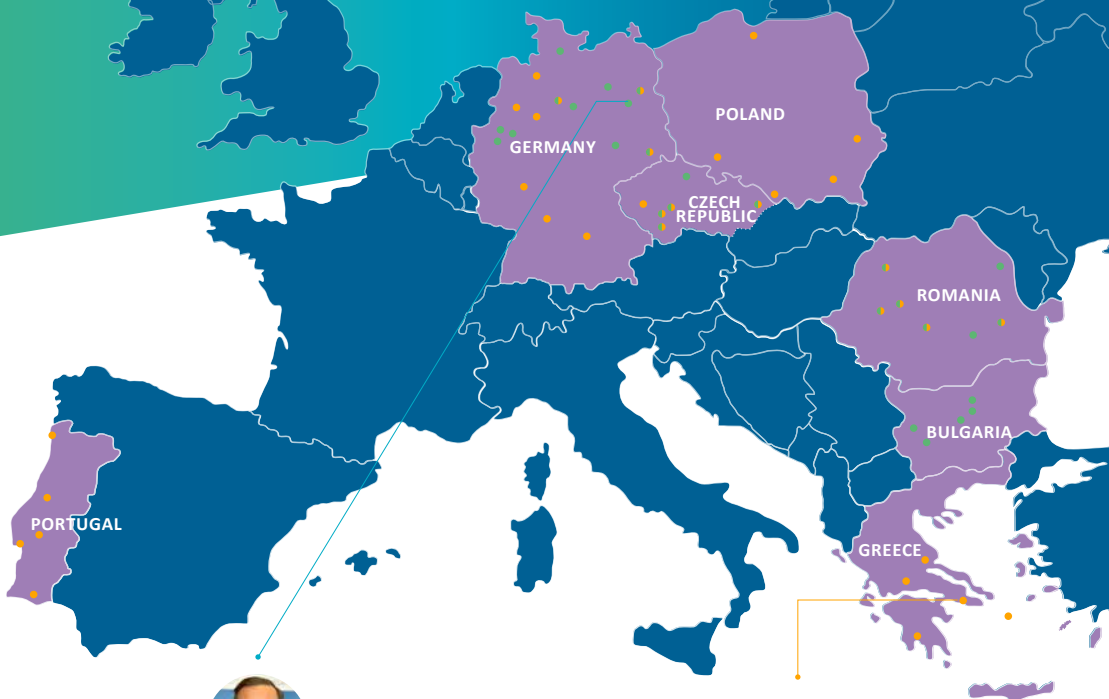
Good practices in local climate action will be identified and shared in a network of **34 municipalities** from the Czech Republic, Romania, Greece, Poland, Portugal, and Germany. At home, each municipality receives needs-based technical support and on-the-job coaching that can be applied and implemented in everyday work. Workshops at the regional level bring participating municipalities together to exchange information on topics of joint interest. The work with municipalities also includes the support of five municipal climate partnerships.



## SCHOOLS

To increase awareness about climate change and action on the individual level, **57 schools** in Bulgaria, the Czech Republic, Romania, and Germany are involved in the project. From developing incentive models for energy savings with government and school officials to measuring temperature and CO<sub>2</sub> concentrations with teachers and pupils, a wide range of activities targeting a variety of stakeholders take place in schools.





*"In highlighting successful climate mitigation measures and the associated benefits, we create understanding, acceptance and support for climate action."*  
 Moritz Schäfer, BEACON Project Manager (Navigant)



*"I believe that the partnership meetings with Bottrop generate new impetus to the climate change initiatives for both of our cities."*  
 Maria Androutsou, Mayor of Agios Dimitrios, Greece



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