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## The opening of rural areas to renew rural generations, jobs and farms

The RURALIZATION consortium announced the project final conference last 20 April 2023 in Brussels. Hosted by the European Committee of the Regions, this onsite meeting with experts and stakeholders provided a space for presenting the main outputs of the project, considering all the lessons learned throughout the four years of the project. If you missed the conference, you may watch the streaming 📺👉





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### A new online handbook dedicated to local governments

The Access to Land Network is releasing a new handbook to provide guidance for officials and staff of local governments on how to make a difference in the way agricultural land is used and shared, for the benefit of people and the planet.

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Quick glance at how local authorities can act on farmland [👁️👉](#)



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We are developing a **policy agenda to change current regional situations to accommodate the fulfilment of rural dreams** and support new rural generations in getting jobs and farms.

We will be sharing soon a **series of leaflets with potential policies** that have been developed based on 20 selected regions representing a wide variety of rural situations. Stay tuned!

**What is the potential of the CAP policies to promote generational renewal in rural areas?**

This is exactly what we are trying to find out. **Our project partners are assessing the proposed interventions in the CAP strategic plans from 11 member states based on their ability to promote generational renewal.** The outcomes and the feedback collected will be shared in upcoming RURALIZATION's events, so don't miss them!









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## Rural Experiments with the Management of Basic Resources. Key Characteristics of European Ecovillages Aiming at Partial Self-Sufficiency in Water, Food and Energy

**Autor:** Robert Skrzypczyński

The goal of this paper is to provide a preliminary analysis of European ecovillages considered as rural grassroots experiments with the sustainable management of the Water-Energy-Food Nexus.[...] [Continue reading](#)

## Not Only in Cities: Creative Activities in Rural Areas with a Case Study of Lower Silesia

**Author:** Krzysztof Janc, Andrzej Raczek and Sylwia Dołzbłasz

The objective of the present study is to identify rules governing the distribution and thematic structure of creative activities, using the region of Lower Silesia in southwestern Poland as an example.[...] [Continue reading](#)



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## Land policy for rural development in the European Union and its impact on access to land

**Author:** Willem K. Korthals Altes

The concentration of farmland has potentially a negative impact on planning for local rural development as it impedes access to land for other rural initiatives. [...]. [Continue reading](#)



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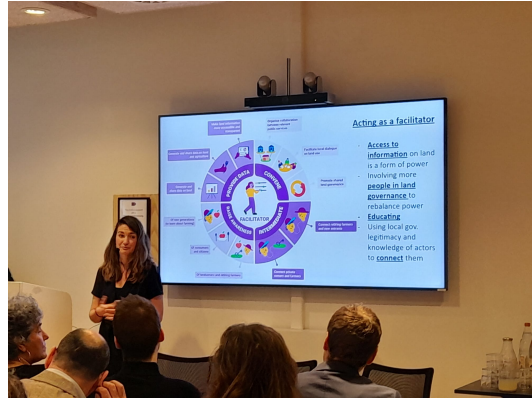
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