

## Workshops and their structure

Name	Presentation	Who is the presenter?	When & Where
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Workshop 1: Managing urban-rural relations</b></p> <p><i>The growing importance placed on the regions for socio-economic development has opened up for new institutional arrangements and processes of development. This session highlights this development from the local/regional level to the European level.</i></p> <p>Moderator: Steen Schønemann</p>			
Karen-Margrethe Hansen Bager	Engendering Regional Development – The case of Bornholm’s Growth Forum	Karen-Margrethe Hansen Bager is head of the Secretariat for Bornholm’s Growth Forum.	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Thursday 10.30-12.00</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>The fireside Lounge, Siemens Gaard</b></p>
David Freshwater	The Intersection of Urban and Rural: A New Policy Context	David Freshwater is Head of the Rural Development Programme at the OECD	
Ryan Gibson	Regional governance and rural-urban interaction	Memorial University of Newfoundland	
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Workshop 2: Innovation the rural way (1)</b></p> <p><i>At the core of enhanced regional development and competitiveness lies the ability to create supportive and nurturing environments for innovation and entrepreneurship. This session addresses some of the crucial issues and unique possibilities involved when doing this ‘the rural way’.</i></p> <p>Moderator: Karin Topsø Larsen</p>			
Ken Stevens	Cyber bridges, ICT and Rural Development	Ken Stevens is a Professor of Education at Memorial University of Newfoundland, where he was appointed to a chair in e-learning.	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Thursday 10.30-12.00</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Svanekegaarden</b></p>
Anders Hedetoft	Firm financing in Rural Denmark	Anders Hedetoft (ph.D., cand.agro) is a consultant at The Centre for Regional and Tourism Research.	
To be confirmed	Successful innovation in rural areas – what does it take?		

### **Workshop 3. Methods of measuring regional growth**

*As the European Union increasingly encourages (inter)-regional development in order to ensure economic, social and territorial cohesion, it has become pivotal for regional and national authorities to develop new models, indicators and standards for measuring and evaluating the development in and between the regions. This session presents cases from Denmark and from the European level.*

Moderators: Godfrey Baldachinno, Rose & Dimitri Ioannides

Bjarne Madsen	Urban and rural economies in Denmark – monitoring and modelling local economies and labour markets.	Bjarne Madsen is a senior researcher at CRT, a doctor of Science in Regional Economics.	<b>Thursday 10.30-12.00</b> <b>The Blue House</b>
Mikkel Toudal & Ioannis Spilanis	The Euro-islands project; territorial cohesion and impact assessment measures	Mikkel Toudal is a senior consultant at the CRT. Ioannis Spilanis is an economist and scientific director of the Laboratory for Local and Islands' Development at the University of the Aegean in Greece.	

**PLENARY WORKSHOP 4: The New Cultural Economy and rural development**

*This plenary session will bring to fore the growing importance of culture and social capital in revitalizing economic development, governance and residents' involvement in rural areas*

Moderator: Hans-Jørgen Jensen

Jørgen Hammer	The Lighthouse Strategy of the Local Action Group on Bornholm: Applying the bottom-up method to promote local enterprise	Jørgen Hammer : Chairman of the Local Action Group on Bornholm.	<b>Thursday at 13.30-15.00 Gudhjem Mill</b>
Irene Novaczek	Social and cultural enterprise in rural communities on the small islands of Prince Edward Island (Canada) and Chiloe (Chile)	Irene Novaczek is Director of the Institute of Island Studies at the University of Prince Edward Island, Canada.	

**PLENARY WORKSHOP 5: Energizing the urban-rural future**

*Environmental and energy issues are undoubtedly the most critical challenge facing urban and rural areas alike. How can the knowledge, innovation and strategic initiatives generated in these areas be brought into synergetic interplay and enhance our understanding and strengthen necessary actions. This session discusses these crucial questions from the viewpoint of the Öresund Region and Bornholm.*

Moderator: to be confirmed

Jacob Juul Gade	Øresund Environment Academy – a sustainable energy plan for the Øresund region – urban and rural	Jacob Juul Gade: Managing Director of Oresund Environment Academy.	<b>Thursday at 16.00-17.30 at Natur Bornholm</b>
Jannik Møller	Energy Strategy for Bornholm, including examples of urban-rural knowledge interaction for developing Bornholm into an Energy-lab	Jannik Møller is Energy Coordinator for Bornholm Growth Forum's Energy Strategy	
Vivi Granby & Louise Lyng Bojesen	Transplan – a sustainable Energy Strategy for Bornholm	Louise Lyng Bojesen: Coordinator of Transplan and Vivi Granby, project consultant; Technical and Environmental Services, Region Municipality of Bornholm.	

### Workshop 6: Transregional cooperation in knowledge mobilization

*Many peripheral areas around the globe face the same challenges :struggling to provide its population with access to qualified higher education and the resources of knowledge institutions. In some cases this can be achieved through 'outsourced' campuses by colleges/universities based in metropolitan areas. However, in most cases what can be offered are courses/modules of a temporary nature. This session presents ideas and examples of how peripheral/rural areas can work in innovative ways to mobilize knowledge.*

Moderator: To be confirmed

Sheila Downer	Developing a North Atlantic Knowledge Network	Sheila Downer is Executive Director for SmartLabrador Inc., a cooperative strategic development agency in Labrador, Canada.	<b>Friday 10.30-12</b>
Tage Petersen, Lene Rømer & Karin Topsø Larsen	What's the "Y" in MOLLY?	Tage Petersen, Lene Rømer & Karin Topsø Larsen are researchers and consultants at the Centre for Regional- and Tourism Research.	
John Tibbett	PASCAL network on knowledge mobilization	John Tibbett is CEO of the PASCAL knowledge network	

### Workshop 7: Innovation the rural way (2)

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Moderator: Peter Billing

Godfrey Baldacchino	Islands and Beers: Island breweries and their contribution to social-economic development	Godfrey Baldacchino: Canada Research Chair (Island Studies), University of Prince Edward Island, Canada	<b>Friday 10.30-12.00</b>
Jesper Manniche	Trends in geographical organization of the Danish Food Economy: New positions and opportunities of rural areas?	Jesper Manniche: Researcher at the Centre for Regional and Tourism Development	
Ilan Kelman	Innovation for ethical island livelihoods in Norway	Researcher, Centre for International Climate & Environment Research (CICERO), Oslo, Norway.	