



# SBE19 Graz

SUSTAINABLE BUILT ENVIRONMENT D-A-CH CONFERENCE 2019  
Graz, 11–14 September 2019



## SPECIAL FORUM

### CONDEREFF

#### *European project regarding construction & demolition waste* *Improve environment and resource efficiency and enhance reuse*

Land Steiermark - A14 Abfallwirtschaft und Nachhaltigkeit  
12 Sept 2019, 11.30am-01.00pm | Rechbauerstraße 12, 8010 Graz

## SUBJECT

In 2015, 10 million tons of construction and demolition waste have been generated in Austria. To foster a move towards circular economy and minimize this high amount, Styria is part of the EU project CONDEREFF. CONDEREFF is an interregional cooperation project, which brings together 8 partners from 7 countries to accelerate their policy work on improving resource efficiency at territorial level.

Furthermore, Styria has developed a guideline for the deconstruction of buildings to enhance the amount of recycled materials. The country aims to increase the volume of reused construction materials.

## PRESENTATION

Four presentations are planned, focusing on:

Presentation 1 – CONDEREFF: interregional cooperation project (Construction & demolition waste management policies for improved resource efficiency)

Presentation 2 – Guideline for construction and demolition waste: implementation of reuse

Presentation 3 – Reuse in Styria: state of the art

Presentation 4 – Implementation of recycling in planning phase

## DISCUSSION AND INTERACTIVE PARTICIPATION

During the discussion with the participants, following questions will be discussed:

- How to handle the separation duty, hazardous waste, appearing during demolition work, how to carry out the examination of contaminants and undesired substances and how to develop the recovery concept
- Practical problems occurring on-site
- Problem end of waste status and the transfer of construction materials to second parties
- Recycled construction materials/ recycling aggregate production, use and awareness raising activities
- How to implement reuse in public procedures and in regulatory framework
- How to implement reuse already in the planning phase
- Improvement of the construction and demolition waste management policy



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