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Palazzo delle Stelline (www.stelline.it)  
Situating in the center of Milan at walking distance from S. Maria delle Grazie church and the Castello Sforzesco.

How to reach Hotel Palazzo delle Stelline:

- o From Malpensa Airport:  
From Malpensa Terminal 1 Malpensa Express Train direction Cadorna Station – Two trains every hour (at '23 and '53 minutes) – 40 minutes travel time.  
From Milano Cadorna Station to "Palazzo delle Stelline" 5 minutes walking distance.
- o From Linate Airport  
Taxi: approx. price € 25,00  
Bus: n° 73 to San Babila.  
Metro Red line 1 to Cadorna stop.
- o From Railway Central Station (Stazione Milano Centrale):  
Metro Green line 2 direction Famagosta (6 stops) to S. Ambrogio stop.  
From S Ambrogio to "Palazzo delle Stelline" 7 minutes walking distance.
- o By Bus: lines 94, 50 e 58 – by Tram: lines 24, 27, 19, 1



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Local endogenous development and urban regeneration of small alpine towns

AlpCity  
SCIENTIFIC MEETING

27-28 JUNE 2005

PALAZZO DELLE STELLINE  
CORSO MAGENTA 61  
MILAN - ITALY

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The AlpCity Trans-national Scientific Meeting is organised in the framework of the AlpCity project (Interreg IIIB/Alpine Space Programme) by the 3 Project Partners - Regione Lombardia, Regione Veneto and Regione Autonoma Friuli Venezia Giulia - with the overall support of Regione Piemonte (AlpCity Lead Partner).

This trans-national meeting represents a key project's event during which AlpCity project (2004-2006) will be widely presented in terms of strategies, activities and concrete results. A special focus will be on the project's case studies which will be also exploited through a dedicated posters' session.

The ambition of this meeting is to set-up a platform for discussions and exchange of information, experiences and lessons learned in order to provide an added value and some concrete inputs to the overall successful project's implementation, development and follow-up.

The Participants are all the Project Partners as well as the Institutions involved in the AlpCity case studies (Universities, NGOs, Research Institutions and some case studies' local counterparts). Representatives of key institutions such as the Interreg IIIB Alpine Space Managing Authority and JTS, CIPRA, Alpine Convention and ISCAR have been invited and hopefully will attend the meeting.

A special guest of this event is a representative of the UN Habitat 'Best Practices and Local Leadership Programme' who will present the strategy and results of this 10 years UN programme which is the reference programme at an international level in the field of 'Best Practices' in the area of sustainable urban development.

The AlpCity Scientific Steering Committee will present at the first plenary session an overview on the 'Status and challenges of the small Alpine towns' conceived as the basic framework for the project's strategy and action.

The working groups' session focused on the project's areas (Economic development – Services/Quality of life – Urban environment and Co-operation among towns) will be led by the WPs Co-ordinators and the Experts of the Project Scientific Steering Committee who will act as moderators/facilitators.

Further information concerning this event (logistical issues, Agenda and future proceedings) at the AlpCity web site: [www.alpcity.it](http://www.alpcity.it)

Working Groups	Coordinators	Facilitators
14.30 16.00 Economic Development Services and quality of life	Ms Maria Luisa Dagnino (Regione Lombardia)	Mr Luigi Gaido Mr Paolo Corvo
16.30 18.00 Urban environment	Mr Hubert Trauner (Niederösterreich)	Ms Loredana Alfaré Mr Michael Tyrkas
Co-operation among towns	Mr Pierpaolo Suber (FVG)	Ms Marie Hélène de Sede Mr Gian Paolo Torricelli
	Ms Colette Gras Plouvier (Rhône-Alpes)	Ms M. Christine Fourny Kober Mr Manfred Perlik

## 27TH JUNE 2005

### MORNING PLENARY SESSION ( 9.00 H /13.00H )

9.00 - 9.30	Registration to the meeting
9.30 - 9.45	Welcome and introduction of participant guests <i>Regione Piemonte, Lead Partner</i> <i>Regione Lombardia</i>
9.45 - 10.00	AlpCity Project in a nut <i>Regione Piemonte</i>
10.00 - 10.30	Scientific Steering Committee's presentation 'A challenging framework: crisis and resources of the small Alpine/mountain Towns' <i>Scientific Steering Committee</i>
10.30 - 11.00	AlpCity Case Studies: status of art and activities' "Red line" Economic development <i>Regione Lombardia</i> Services/Quality of life <i>Niederösterreich</i>
11.00 - 11.30	Break – Posters' session
11.30 - 12.00	AlpCity Case Studies: status of art status of art and activities' "Red line" Sustainable urban environment <i>Regione Friuli Venezia Giulia</i> Co-operation among towns <i>Région Rhône-Alpes</i>
12.00 - 12.30	AlpCity Best Practices' framework <i>Regione Piemonte</i> <i>UN Habitat – Best Practices and Local Leadership Programme</i> <i>Observatory on Sustainable Cities, Polytechnic of Turin</i>
12.30 - 13.00	Open discussions
13.00 - 14.30	Lunch

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### AFTERNOON WORKING GROUPS' SESSION ( 14.30 H /18.30 H )

14.30 – 16.00	Focus/Working Group: Economic Development Services and quality of life <i>WPs Co-ordinators</i> <i>SSC Experts</i>
16.00 – 16.30	Break
16.30 – 18.00	Focus/Working Group: Urban environment Co-operation among towns <i>WPs Co-ordinators</i> <i>SSC Experts</i>
18.00 – 18.30	Conclusions <i>LP and Meeting's Organisers</i>
18.30 – 19.30	'Aperitivo'

## 28TH JUNE 2005

### CLOSING SESSION ( 9.30 H /11.30 H )

9.30 - 11.00	Presentation of the Working sessions' conclusions and Round Table <i>Partners' Co-ordinators</i> <i>Scientific Steering Committee</i>
11.00 – 11.30	Closing session <i>Regione Piemonte and Meeting's Organisers</i>