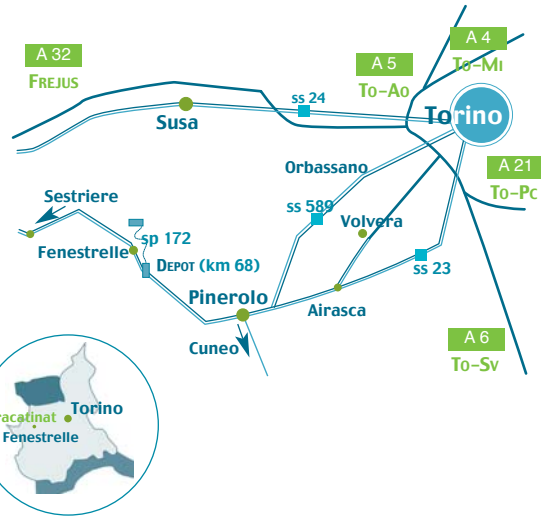


Info & directions to arrive and stay at Pracatinat

To arrive at Pracatinat - Fenestrelle we will arrange a free shuttles service from downtown Turin to reach Pracatinat and back (further details will be provided).

If, by any chance you will need to reach Pracatinat independently, you can check the following details:



by car:

from Turin ring road (Tangenziale) you can take the motorway towards Pinerolo. Go to the end (Volvera), then proceed on the state road called "S.R. n. 23" in direction of Sestriere until km. 68 (Depot). Then turn on your right taking the main road called "S.P. n. 172" of "Colle delle Finestre" up to the Consorzio Pracatinat's buildings.

You can easily reach Chisone's valley from France through Sestriere's hill also, by crossing Monginevro's pass or through Frejus's motorway tunnel.

by plane:

the distance from Turin Caselle Airport to Pracatinat is 80 km

by bus:

you can get a SAPAV Bus from Turin Porta Nuova Railway Station to Fenestrelle (to get to Pracatinat you will need a taxi/car)

One-way fare: € 4,30 • Journey time: approx. 2 hrs
Timetable and further details are available at www.sapav.it (in Italian only)

Information

To book your room at Pracatinat send an e-mail (in Italian/English/French) with your personal details (name/institution) at the following address

soggiorni@pracatinat.it

writing in the subject line: AlpCity

The room rates/per person (breakfast included) are the following:

single room: € 40,00
double room: € 48,00

Please, to avoid misunderstanding, in case of cancellation/absence do give notice at the above e-mail address at least 3 days in advance

For further details: AlpCity Office • tel. +39 011.4325915

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Final Conference

October 16th, 2006
Consorzio Pracatinat
Fenestrelle





The **AlpCity Final Conference** is organised in Pracatinat (Fenestrelle, Piemonte - October 16th, 2006) in the framework of the AlpCity Project (Interreg IIIB/Alpine Space Programme) by Regione Piemonte, the AlpCity Lead Partner.

This trans-national conference represents a key project final event during which AlpCity (2003-2006) will be widely presented in terms of concrete results towards the original project strategies and foreseen activities.

A special focus will be on the overall project experience in terms of challenges and lessons learned by the eleven Project Partners as well as Experts of the Scientific Steering Committee, consultants and different stakeholders involved in the project implementation.

The ambition of this meeting is to set-up a platform for presentations and discussions in view of a potential prosecution of the AlpCity Project.

Institutional bodies such as the Alpine Space Managing Authority, the Joint Technical Secretariat, the National Contact Points have been invited as key presence for the Conference. They will provide the audience with their contribution in terms of programme/project evaluation and relevant inputs for its future.

Other key Participants will be: all the Project Partners, the SSC Experts and Institutions involved in the AlpCity implementation (Universities, NGOs, Research Institutions and some case studies' local counterparts). Representatives of CIPRA, Alpine Convention and ISCAR will hopefully attend the meeting together with the representatives of the other Alpine Space Programme projects in synergy with AlpCity.

The main sessions of the Conference will be in line with the structure of the Final Project Report which presents the results of the project related to its core activities namely: 21 pilot cases, the best practices database and guidelines, and the final project recommendations at a strategic level.

Further information concerning this event (logistical issues, agenda, and registration form) is available at the AlpCity web

www.alpcity.it

Morning Plenary session

Moderator: Ms Daniela SENA
AlpCity Project Manager

- 9.30** Registration to the meeting
- 10.00** Welcome and official opening of the Conference
Ms Bruna SIBILLE, Councillor Regione Piemonte, AlpCity LP
- 10.15** The Italian participation in the Alpine Space Programme
Mr Fabio CROCCOLO, Italian National Coordinator of the Alpine Space Programme, Ministry of Infrastructure
- 10.30** The participation of Regione Piemonte in the Alpine Space Programme
Ms Tiziana DELL'OLMO, Representative of the Interreg IIIB - IIIC Programmes
Coordination Office • Regione Piemonte
- 10.45** AlpCity: from a project idea to innovative actions and proposals
Ms Maria CAVALLO PERIN • Regione Piemonte
- 11.00** Coffee Break
- 11.30** The development of small Alpine/mountain cities: challenges and problems of the AlpCity Project
Ms Marie Christine FOURNY KOBER, Scientific Steering Committee Coordinator
- 11.45** AlpCity Case Studies: achieved results and lessons learned • WPs Co-ordinators
Economic development
Ms Maria Luisa DAGNINO • Regione Lombardia
Services and quality of life
Mr Hubert TRAUNER • Niederösterreich
Urban environment
Mr Pierpaolo SUBER • Regione Friuli Venezia Giulia
Co-operation among towns
Ms Colette GRAS PLOUVIER • Région Rhône-Alpes
- 12.30** Open discussion
Invited to intervene
Official Representatives of the PPs-SSC EXPERTS
- 13.00** Lunch

Afternoon Plenary Session

Moderator: Ms Daniela SENA
AlpCity Project Manager

- 14.30** AlpCity Best Practices framework: achieved results and future scenarios
Mr Carlo SOCCO, OCS Co-ordinator
Ms Stefania GUARINI and Ms Elisabetta ROSA
OCS Researchers
Osservatorio Città Sostenibili
- 14.45** AlpCity project: an overall evaluation and lessons learned
Ms Loredana ALFARÉ and Mr Manfred PERLIK,
AlpCity Scientific Steering Committee
- 15.00** AlpCity final recommendations
Ms CAVALLO PERIN • Regione Piemonte
- 15.15** AlpCity experience and a new crossborder cooperation
Mr Andrea Ezio CANEPA • Regione Piemonte
- 15.30** AlpCity and the Alpine Space future programming period: 2007- 2013
Mr Ivan CURZOLO,
AlpCity Project Officer, Joint Technical Secretariat
- 15.45** Open discussion
Invited to intervene
Alpine Space NCPS, MA, JTS, CIPRA, ISCAR, UNCEM,
Alpine Convention, Alliance in the Alps, L'Alpe,
Italian Ministry of Economy
- 16.45** Coffee break
- 17.15** Closing session
Mr Sergio CONTI, Councillor Regione Piemonte,
AlpCity LP
- 20.00** Dinner