

EVENT DESCRIPTION SHEET

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PROJECT	
Participant:	[1] - [Europäische Akademie Berlin e.V.] ([EAB])
PIC number:	[949726807]
Project name and acronym:	[ConnAct EU]

EVENT DESCRIPTION			
Event number:	[WP1]		
Event name:	[Berlin City Link Conference Sustainable Cities, United Efforts : A European Approach]		
Type:	[Conference]		
In situ/online:	[in-situ]		
Location:	[Germany, Berlin]		
Date(s):	[14.-15.07.2025]		
Website(s) (if any):	Europäische Akademie Berlin - Berlin City Link Conference Sustainable Cities, United Efforts: A European Approach		
Participants			
Female:	51		
Male:	28		
Non-binary:	1		
From country 1 [Czech Republic]:	4		
From country 2 [Germany]:	65		
From country 3 [Greece]:	1		
From country 4 [Italy]:	4		
From country 5 [Netherlands]:	3		
From country 6 [Portugal]:	3		
Total number of participants:	80	From total number of countries:	6
Description			
Provide a short description of the event and its activities.			

The kick-off with the project consortium was implemented as a half-day event just before the official kick-off conference. All project partners and experts met for a final coordination meeting. The afternoon offered space for networking, final conference planning, and sharing project updates. We concluded with break-out sessions for focused exchange and peer-feedback on the upcoming activities.

The „ConnAct for SustainAbility: Berlin City Link Conference | Sustainable Cities, United Efforts: A European Approach“ marked the official launch of the ConnACT EU project and brought together over 80 participants from across Europe including municipal representatives, civil society actors, researchers, and EU project partners.

The conference focused on the role of cities in addressing the climate crisis, fostering cross-border cooperation, and strengthening democratic and inclusive urban development. It created a platform for dialogue, learning, and exchange among stakeholders from six partner countries: Germany, Portugal, the Czech Republic, Greece, the Netherlands, and Italy. The event emphasized both political commitment and local innovation, underlining the importance of cooperation between municipalities, citizens, and expert institutions in shaping sustainable futures.