

BESTbelt Pan-European Conference 2024 Preliminary Agenda

Monday, 14 th October 2024 – Day of Arrival & EGBA Board meeting	
Time	Topic
16:00-18:00	Board meeting of the European Green Belt Association e.V. only EGBA Board members
16:00-19:00	Registration
19:00	Welcome dinner for all conference participants
Tuesday, 15 th October 2024 – Conference Day 1	
Time	Topic
8:30-9:30	Registration
9:30-10:00	Opening and welcome
10:00-11:00	Keynote(s)
11:00-13:00	Session 1: BESTbelt - More power for the European Green Belt <ul style="list-style-type: none"> BESTbelt – More power for the European Green Belt: Presentation Presentation of funded projects of BESTbelt Call 2022 + 2023 + 2024
13:00-14:00	Lunch break
14:00-15:30	Session 2: Exchange of experiences & Best practices Presentations in plenary or working groups on activities along the European Green Belt (with potential for replication or upscaling)
15:30-16:00	Coffee break ☕
16:00-17:30	Session 3: Poster Session Poster session on activities along the European Green Belt
17:30-18:30	Session 4: Activities along the European Green Belt Optional space (depending on timing) for presentations in plenary or working groups, also based on topic inputs during pre-registration

18:30-20:00	Dinner
20:00	European Green Belt Fair Traditional food and drinks from along the European Green Belt
Wednesday, 16th October 2024 - Conference Day 2 (Field trip)	
Time	Topic
09:00-18:00	Session 5: Working groups on the road Parallel fieldtrips including lunch and coffee breaks
19:00	Dinner
20:00	Evening programme (tbd)
Thursday, 17th October 2024 – Conference Day 3 / Day of Departure	
Time	Topic
9:00-9:30	Session 6: Review of BESTbelt Conference Wrap-up of fieldtrip and main findings of the first conference day
9:30-13:00	Session 7: Tools and next steps to further develop the European Green Belt as pan-European ecological network Presentations and working groups
13:00-13:30	Wrap-up and closing of conference
14:00	First transfer to airport (lunch bag)
14:00	Lunch (for European Green Belt Association General Assembly participants)
15:00-18:00	General Assembly of the European Green Belt Association e.V.
19:00	Dinner
Friday, 18th October 2024 – Day of Departure	
Time	Topic
08:00	Transfer to airport for EGBA members