

knowledge and innovation for climate friendly transport in the Øresund Region

Øresund EcoMobility

The Øresund Region is the largest hub in Scandinavia for transport of goods and people by sea, road, air and railway. Efficient and cheap transportation is a key factor for regional growth. However, transportation also accounts for 30% of CO₂ emissions in Sweden and 25% in Denmark, and it is necessary to act in order to reduce CO₂ emissions while increasing mobility and accessibility.

The *Øresund EcoMobility project* is a Swedish–Danish cross-border initiative that unites universities, companies and authorities in an effort to increase competence within climate friendly transport of both goods and people. The project builds on a unique network of over 40 experts in areas such as cleantech, environmental science, infrastructure, city and transport planning, logistics and supply chain management. These experts jointly constitute the Øresund EcoMobility Knowledge & Innovation Centre which will gather, create and spread knowledge about climate friendly mobility.

The project builds on three stages:

1. Cross-science Triple-Helix **Thematic Knowledge Exchange Networks** which gather knowledge on climate friendly transportation of goods and people.
2. **Øresund EcoMobility Knowledge & Innovation Centre**, which carries out knowledge dissemination, innovation and competence building.
3. **Øresund Competence Building and Knowledge Sharing** activities, such as publications, websites, workshops, conferences and courses for professionals, university students etc.

Facts about the project:

Partners:

- City of Copenhagen
- Copenhagen Business School
- Lund University (Lead partner)
- Malmö University
- Roskilde University
- Technical University of Denmark
- Trivector AB

Budget: 4 million €, whereof 50% comes from the *EU Interreg IV A – Øresund program*

Duration: 3 years - 2009-2012

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