

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

The following document is the deliverable D7.7 “*First national workshop*” of the WP7 “*Communication instruments and dissemination of the project*” which provides an overview of the DigiPLACE project results and framework.

Deliverable 7.7 “First national workshop” is part of the three national workshops (Lead by UL(P11), DEC, PU) that will be organized during the development of the project. The first national event, according to the project specifications, was expected to take place in Hannover (Germany), but due to the Covid-19 restrictions, was held online. The online information session took place on 29th of April 2020, using web conference tools to promote a diffused involvement all around Europe. It gathered over ninety participants from the construction field, including ERA and CECE members and the DigiPLACE partners. The goal of the national workshops is to engage the local stakeholders from MS that are not directly involved in the consortium. This will be done in support to WP2 activities.

This document contains and explains the programme of the online meeting, starting from the vision of the DigiPlace project to its contribution on the construction context. It is also explained the Gantt chart and the state of art of the project, including the members involved, the methodology and results achieved developing some of the task and deliverable of specific work package that characterised the DigiPlace structure.

Through a comparison analysis at Digital level is highlighted the global vision of the level of digitalisation of the Construction sector, in particular: the level of implementation of digital technologies and industrial hubs/platforms in the EU construction sector and in other industrial sectors; the comparative analysis of existing platforms in the construction sector and in other sectors and the impact analysis and success factors for the identification of possible points of knowledge transfer.

In this meeting is also outline the DigiPLACE work in progress about the development of the Reference Architecture Framework (WP5), identifying several key use cases scenarios.

In conclusion is underline the importance of the project in the construction chain and its impacts in the construction context and the need to join the DigiPLACE Community of Stakeholder in order to actively contribute to develop the future European Digital Platform for the construction sector.