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**Press Release**

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**DELTA LADY FINAL CONFERENCE**

*Results and the Lessons Learned from the exchange of experience process*

The **Final Dissemination Conference** of the Delta Lady project was heldon **26-27 January 2023** in the city of **Leeuwarden in Friesland**, the Netherlands. The final conference was held in a hybrid mode, as part of the participants attended the event online via Teams. In total 22 people attended the final conference, from which 15 were in person and 7 online. The conference was **attended** by the representative of the Interreg Europe secretariat, **the policy officer** of the **Delta Lady project**, who presented the state of play of Interreg Europe programme, including information about the new programme. The conference **focused on the results** of the project.

On the first day, the partners presented their **progress in relation to the implementation of the Action Plans** and held the **panel discussion** around the issues and lessons learnt during the lifetime of the project. **The Pilot Action** of the Province of Friesland (**a web-based application**/tool **using Policy-Enhanced Sustainable Cost-Benefit Analysis** for **assessing the impacts of the projects** and policy initiatives) was presented on the first day as well. The Pilot Action was presented by 5 students from the University of Groningen who were involved in the development of the tool. The tool can be accessed at: <https://sustainabilityevaluation.org/>

The second day was dedicated to the presentation of the Province of Friesland about the effects of 25 years of Interreg projects on Cultural Heritage and Sustainability in the Province of Friesland, which was followed by guided tour in Leeuwarden to visit locations of some of the projects.

Delta Lady finalizes the project by 31st of May 2023. All partners are mobilized to submit their results regarding the implementation and monitoring of Action Plans and improvements of the addressed policy instruments.

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