

Climate budget training course offered by the Climate-4-CAST project Module 5: Practical application of decision support tool

1-2 September 2026 | Turku, Finland

Venue: Grand Börs 2-3, Scandic Hamburger Börs (Kauppiaskatu 6)

Agenda

Tuesday, 1 September 2026

- 09.00-12.15** **Site visits in Turku: Positive Energy District in Student Village and Skanssi Urban Biodiversity Park**
Meet up at Scandic Hamburger Börs aula at 8.50, bus transportation to and from the venue will be provided
- 12.00-13.30** *Lunch at Scandic Hamburger Börs*
- 13.30-13.40** **Opening words**
Agnieszka Ilola and Olena Zinchuk, UBC Sustainable Cities Commission
- 13.40-14.00** **Turku: Climate work and emissions monitoring**
Miika Meretoja, City of Turku
- 14.00-14.20** **About the Climate-4-CAST project and training module so far**
Donald Alimi, HafenCity University Hamburg
- 14.20-14.40** **Introduction to CADS Tool and how it was used for C4C city pilots**
Hanna Meriläinen, City of Tampere
- 14.40-15.10** **Walk-through of the CADS Tool: outside view – key charts and their meaning, mini scenario exercise (Climaville)**
Michael Mechenich, Kausal Ltd.
- 15.10-15.30** *Coffee break*
- 15.30-16.30** **Partner city reflections on CADS Tool user experience and key features**
- 16.30-17.00** **Joint discussion**
- 19.00** *Dinner at the Oobu restaurant (Läntinen Rantakatu 9, 20100 Turku)*

Wednesday, 2 September 2026

- 09.00-09.30** **Hands on session: using the CADS Tool** (admin portal-side: login, basic outputs, scenario changes, and visualizations)
- 09.30-10.30** **Practical clinic: guided mini-tasks in addressing climate-action challenges**
- 10.30-11.00** *Coffee break*
- 11.00-12.30** **Workshop on CADS Tool: Scope, Functionalities and Use Cases Review**
- 12.30-13.30** *Lunch at Scandic Hamburger Börs*
- 13.30-14.45** **Time for city-twinning, peer discussions and practical exchange**
- 14.45-15.15** *Coffee and departures*
- 15.30-17.30** *Optional visit to Art House Turku and guided old city tour*