



## EPTA

### Enhancing Public Transport Authorities in Europe

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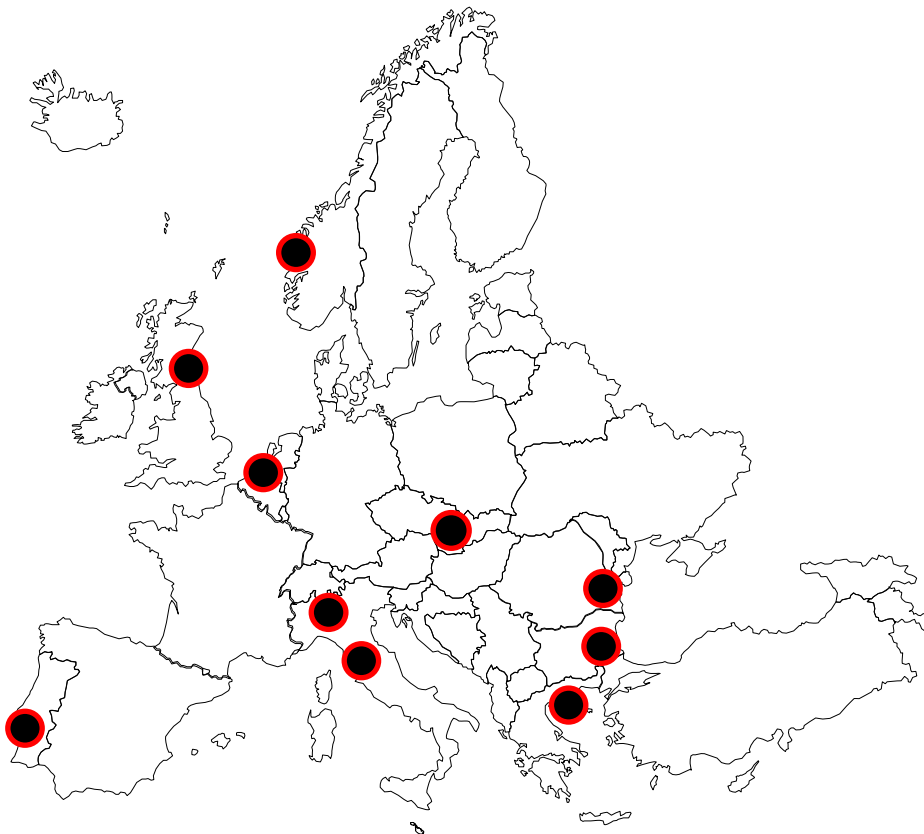


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# European model for Public Transport Authority.



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- SRM - Reti e Mobilità (IT)
- Emilia-Romagna Region (IT)
- Municipality of Almada (PT)
- Province of Rogaland (NO)
- University of Aberdeen (UK)
- POLIS (BE)
- Municipality of Razlog (BG)
- Municipality of Brasov (RO)
- SASTH Thessaloniki (EL)
- ALOT (IT)
- Municipality of Praha-Suchdol (CZ)

# EPTA background. How it was conceived.



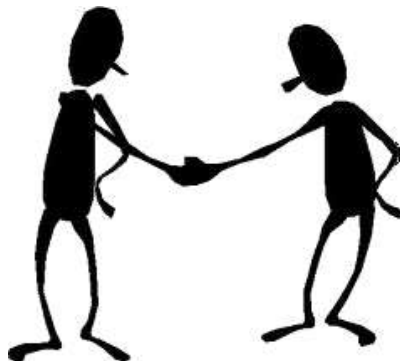
## 7 key functions

- Regulate, Plan, Tender/Award, Integrate, Promote, Manage, Control

## 1 hypothesis

- 7 functions concentrated in a single body supporting policy makers and relevant stakeholders

**Several good practices across Europe will be transferred into regional development policies, towards a MODEL for PTA.**



## 11 partners

**PTAs, Local Governments, University, Network**

**8 EU Regions and 1 from Norway**

# EPTA objectives. What we are doing.



- Exchange and sharing of experiences on how to develop and operate a PTA through a series of training courses and workshops;
- Consolidation and transfer of good practices among involved areas;
- Identification of a suitable MODEL to establish new PTAs;
- Promotion of policy tools and regulatory guidelines at local, regional, national levels for PTA establishment and organization;
- Dissemination among local governmental bodies, and interested stakeholders in partners' Regions and all over Europe.



# EPTA objectives. How we are doing it.



- Workshops for decision makers open to all stakeholders involved in transport and mobility field;
- Training Courses for technicians, focused on technical aspects and activities;
- Web site and e-learning on [www.eptaproject.eu](http://www.eptaproject.eu) it is possible to find useful material and all the event papers;
- Staff exchanges only for project partners;
- Press releases and publications;
- Newsletter and brochures.



# EPTA next workshops and courses. Free. Save the dates 😊.



- **Razlog – BULGARIA – 29<sup>th</sup>-30<sup>th</sup> October 2013**
- WS6 - “The service contract management: policies in action”
- TC5 - “Good Practices for the service contract management”
  
- **Prague – CZECH REPUBLIC – March 2014**
- WS7 - “Quality, efficacy and efficiency in transport”
- TC6 - “Monitoring, incentives, comparison tools”
  
- **Brussels - EPTA FINAL CONFERENCE – May 2014**
- “European Model for Public Transport Authority: good practices for the identification and the establishment”





**EPTA results.**  
**9 Feasibility**

**Brasov  
Regional  
Development  
Agency**

**ThePTA  
Thessaloniki  
Public Transport  
Authority**



**5 more  
Feasibility  
Studies to be  
completed**

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Bologna  
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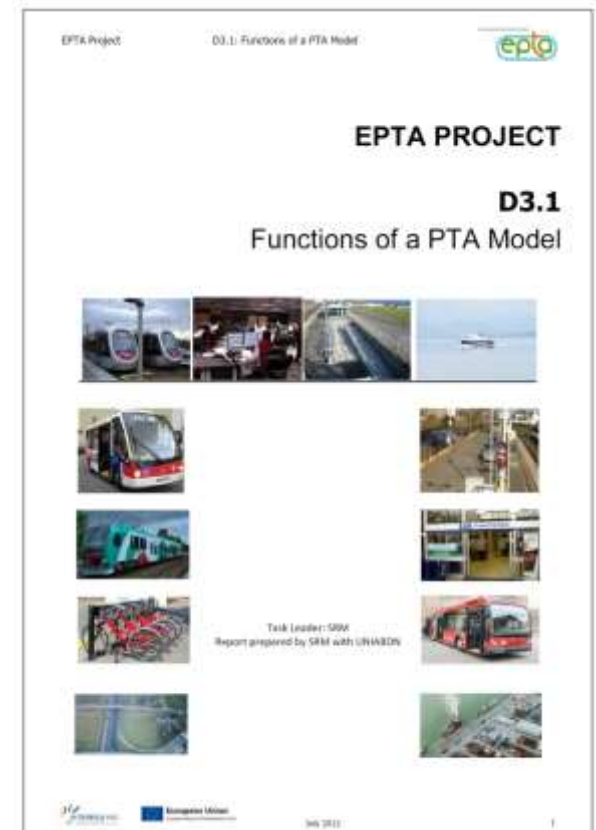
**ALOT  
East Lombardy  
Agency**



# EPTA results. Our commitment.



- EPTA Good Practices Collection
- 8 EPTA Implementation Plans (each area)
- Position Paper & Guidelines
- [www.eptaproject.eu](http://www.eptaproject.eu)





# Thank you!

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