Green New Deal Strategy from Central European Perspective



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???Green New Deal????

Going together with Sustainable Development Strategy?

Supporting the idea of SD – putting in the practice?

Replacement of Sustainable Developemnt Strategy?

Global Green New Deal - very beginning

November 12, 2008 - the leaders of the G20 countries gather in Washington for a special summit on the global financial crisis,

Gary Gardner and Michael Renner, issued a detailed proposal a "Global Green Deal."

The challenge is not merely to kick start the global economy, but to do so in a way that creates jobs and stabilizes climate, increases food output using less water and pesticides, and generates prosperity with greater equality of incomes," write Gardner and Renner.

A Green New Deal concerned the issue of co-occurrence of three crises:

- economic crisis, driven by credit bubbles,
- boosting **climate changes**
- drop in the **oil production** with the increase of its price.

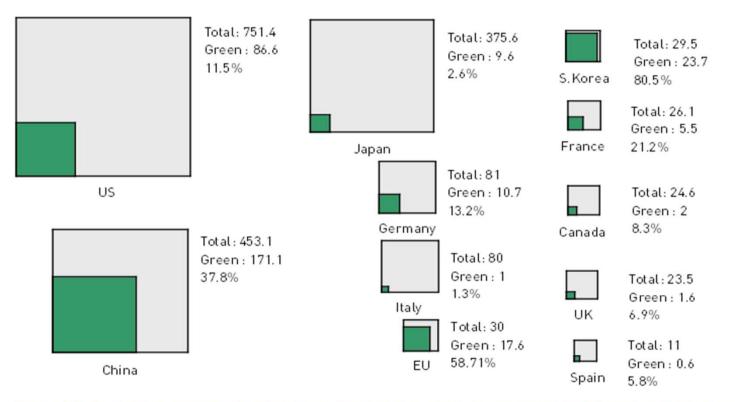
Green New deals were developed by governments around the world to provide stimulus funding for projects such as homeinsulation, wind and solar installations, and new public transit schemes.

2009 A Global green New deal for EUROPE

"Green New Deal" Economists at the United Nations call for a Green New Deal—a deliberate echo of the energizing vision of President Franklin Roosevelt during the Great Depression of the 1930s.

Green New deal = Green economy and Green growth basedon green technology and investment

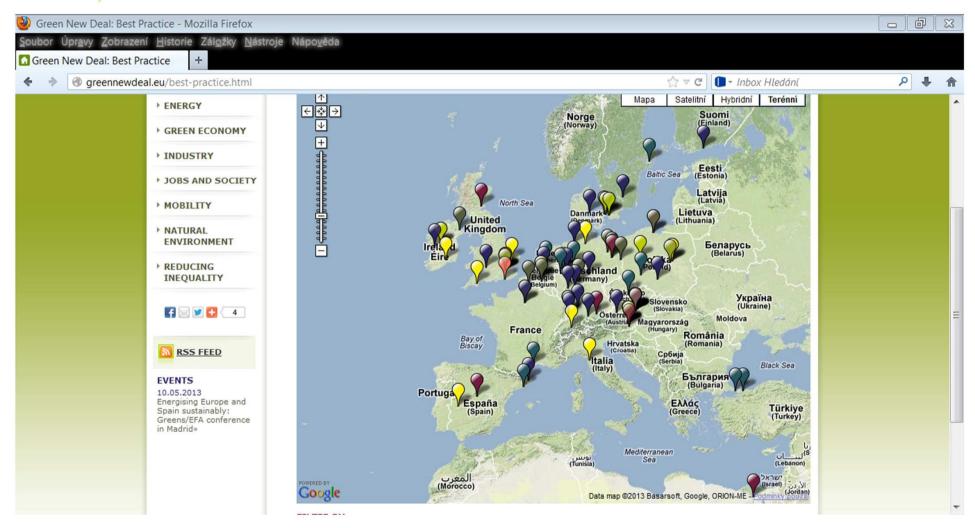
Green economy and Global green New deal is a green way for 21th century







http://greennewdeal.eu/what-is-the-gnd.html



http://greennewdeal.eu/best-practice.html



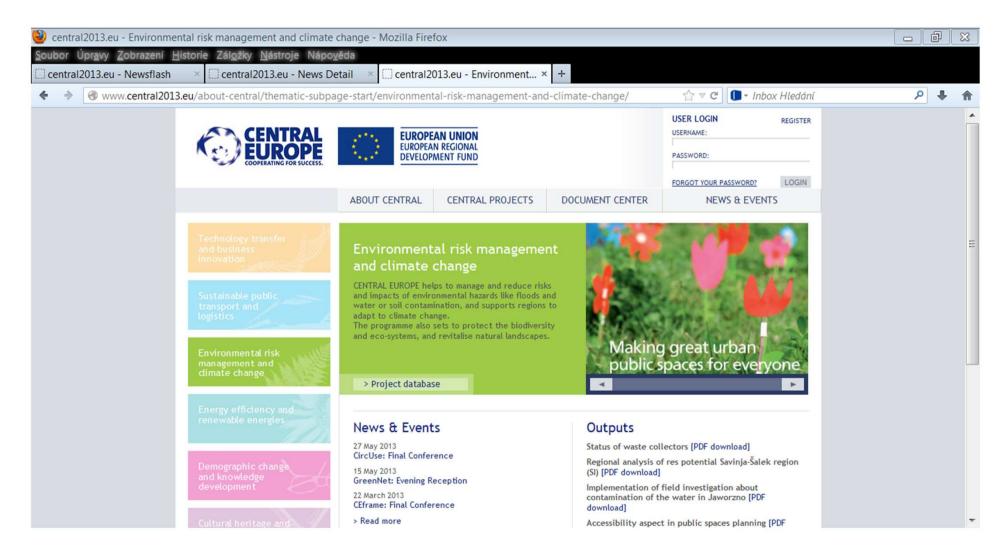


What is the CENTRAL EUROPE programme?

CENTRAL EUROPE is a European Union programme that **encourages cooperation among the countries of central Europe to improve innovation, accessibility and the environment and to** enhance the competitiveness and attractiveness of their cities and regions.

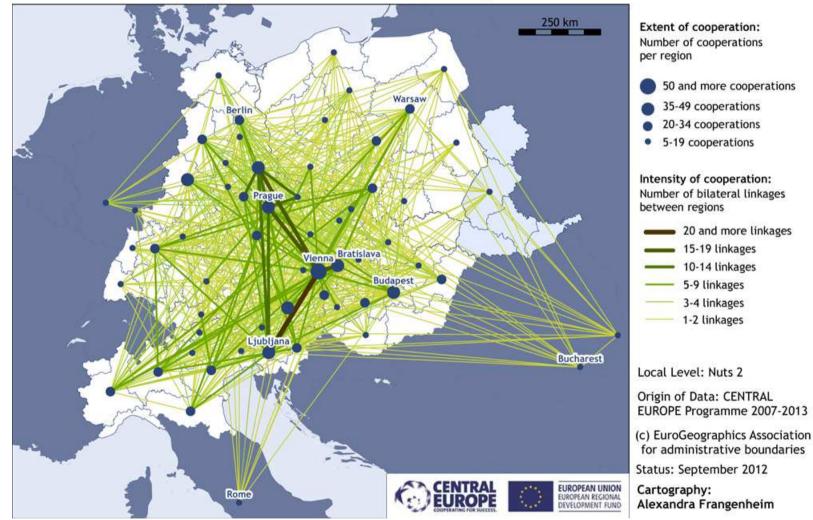
CENTRAL EUROPE invests €231 million to provide funding to transnational cooperation projects involving public and private organisations from Austria, the Czech Republic, Germany, Hungary, Italy, Poland, the Slovak Republic, Slovenia and Ukraine.

The programme is financed by the European Regional Development Fund and runs from 2007 to 2013.



http://www.central2013.eu/about-central/thematic-subpagestart/environmental-risk-management-and-climate-change/

Cooperation links in fields of "environmental risk managment and climate change" in the CENTRAL EUROPE Programme



Quetsions connected with Green New deal on academic ground are very general and do not differ from country to country



Moving a Global Green Deal agenda is not the work of a single leader or even a small group of governments.

Instead, it will require an overhaul of **global governance at** least as great as the one that occurred after World War II, when the **United Nations and the Bretton Woods financial and economic institutions** were founded

to establish a new era of global stability.

Green NEW DEAL Four years later..... World and European perspective

"Whatever happened to the Green New Deal?"

What are the present main challenges?

Earth Summit Rio June 2012

6 challenges to lay the foundations for systemic change:

Develop a national transition plan that puts countries on paths to operate within planetary boundaries

Don't start from a growth perspective !!!!!

Agree to develop and implement new measures of economic success;

Recapture the financial sector for the public good.

Commit to reduce income and wealth inequalities between and within nations;

Put fiscal policy and public expenditure centre stage in managing economic transition

EUROPE 2020 A strategy for smart, sustainable and **inclusive growth**

The 5 targets for the EU in 2020

1. Employment

75% of the 20-64 year-olds to be employed

2. R&D / innovation

3% of the EU's GDP (public and private combined) to be invested in R&D/innovation

3. Climate change / energy

greenhouse gas emissions 20% (or even 30%, if the conditions are right) lower than 199020% of energy from renewables

20% increase in energy efficiency

4. Education

Reducing school drop-out rates below 10%

at least 40% of 30-34-year-olds completing third level education

5. Poverty / social exclusion

at least 20 million fewer people in or at risk of poverty and social exclusion

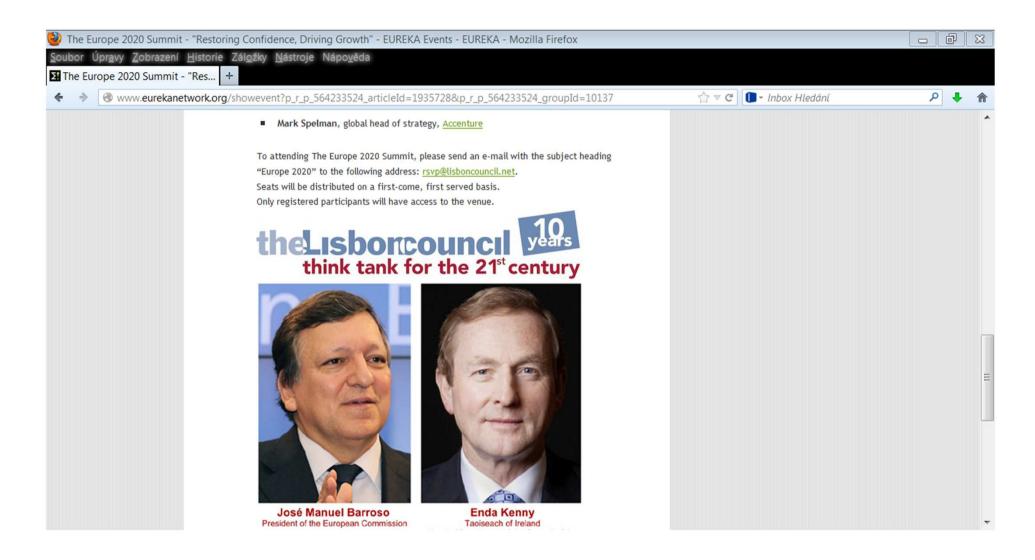
The Europe 2020 Summit - Unleashing Growth and Creating Jobs

Film - http://www.lisboncouncil.net/initiatives/eu2020.html

The Europe 2020 Summit will focus on developing a successful growth and jobs strategy as an antidote to the economic crisis – and the concrete actions that should be taken now to kick-start employment and stimulate innovation.

The Danish EU Presidency has been about creating growth and new jobs. Unemployment, absent growth and financial instability are the great challenges of Europe right now

The Europe 2020 Summit - "Restoring Confidence, Driving Growth" Mar 7, 2013 to Mar 7, 2013 Brussels (Résidence Palace) / Belgium



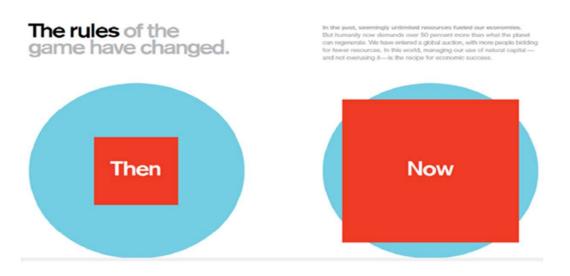
Our long way

from

Sustainable Development - Our Common Future- 1987

to Green Growth - Green New Deal Concept- 2008

to Unleashing Growth - EU Lisbon summit-2013



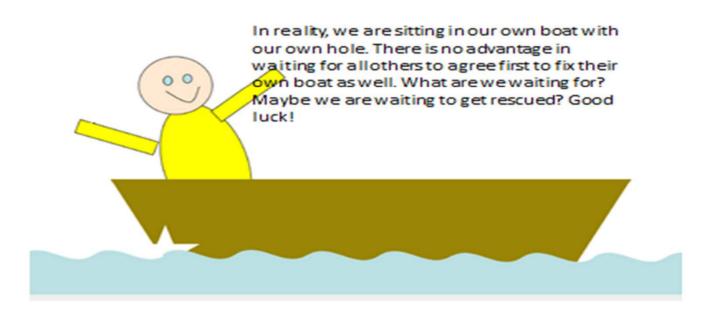
Remaining crucial questions

Growth or not to growth ?

What could be the growth replaced by? More equal distribution???

The advent of a new economic model would rather come about through the development of a social and cooperative economy

A journey where everything is to be (re)discovered



Rio plus 20 Wackernagel speach

http://www.isecoeco.org/wp-content/uploads/2012/07/Economics-of-Global-Auction-ISEE-June-2012-Mathis-Wackernagel-Boulding-lecture-2.pdf



"Anyone who believes exponential growth can go on forever in a finite world is either a madman or an economist".

Kenneth Boulding, economist

Thank you for your attention

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