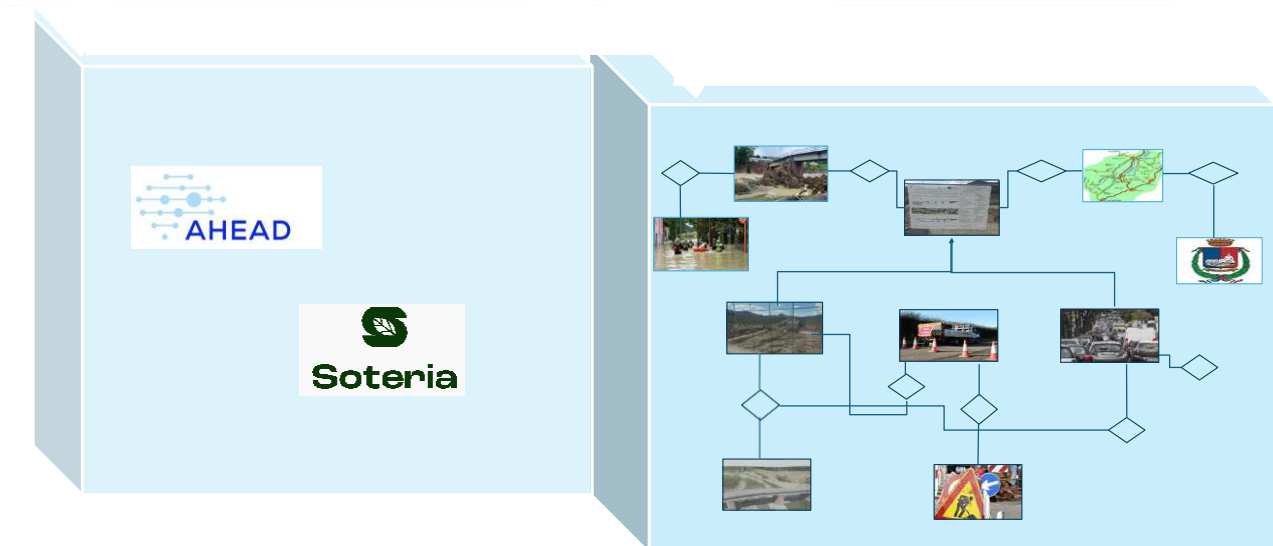


# Ahead Project Workshop

in collaboration with Soteria

27th and 28th January 2026

## Agenda

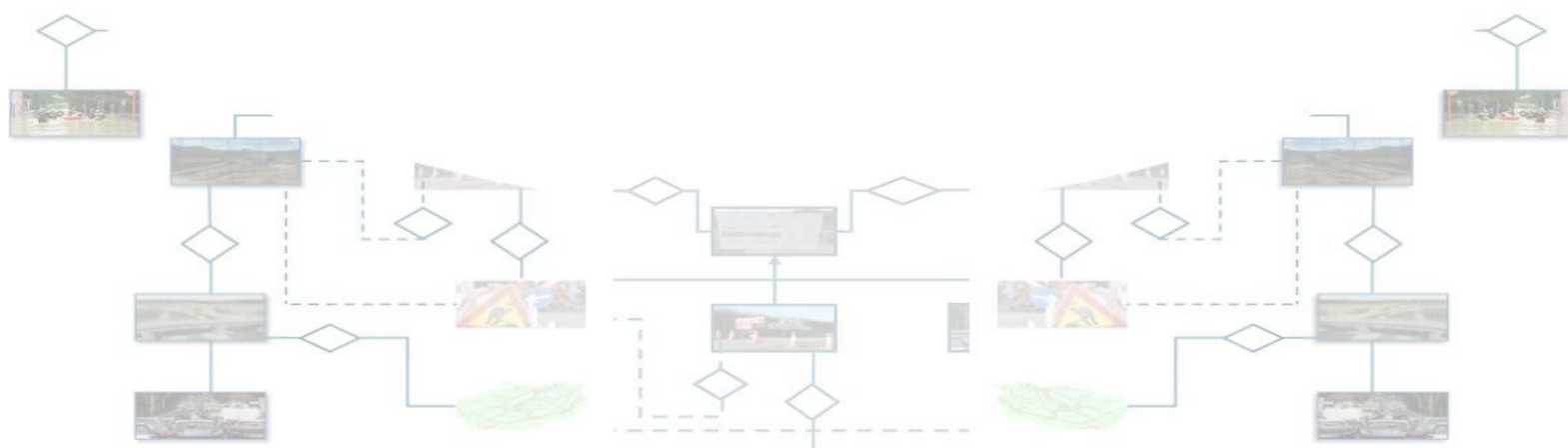


The **AHEAD project** is developing an Advanced Disaster Damage and Loss Data Information System for Enhanced Impact-based Knowledge with the aim of supporting a variety of use cases, including compensation, improvement of risk models, forensic investigation for building back better.

On **January 27<sup>TH</sup>** in the afternoon the preliminary results of testing and application will be shared with stakeholders to discuss opportunities and potential further development of the IS.

On **January 28<sup>TH</sup>** in the morning a joint session will be held with the **Horizon SOTERIA** project which explores Innovative Insurance Solutions for Climate Change Adaptation.

SOTERIA and AHEAD share the key topic of how to improve knowledge and data collection for designing improved and innovative climate adaptation and disaster risk reduction measures.



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# AHEAD project Workshop

27th January 2026, Tuesday  
Maison de la Poste, Rue Picard 7, Brussels

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**14.00 - 14.10 | Brief overview of the AHEAD project** - Scira Menoni, Polimi

**14.10 - 14.30 | Live discovery of the AHEAD IS** - Jacopo Bambini, AHEAD developer

**14.30 - 14.45 | Contributing to the JRC Risk Data Hub: creating a harmonized approach to disaster data** – Samuel Roeslin, JRC

**14.45 - 14.55 | The underlying methodology and approach of the AHEAD IS** – Veronica Gazzola, Polimi

**14.55 - 15.30 | Use cases explored in AHEAD** - Xavier Romão, Uporto; Frédéric Tatout, AFPCNT; Reimund Schwarze, DKKV; Valeria Liverani, Modigliana Municipality

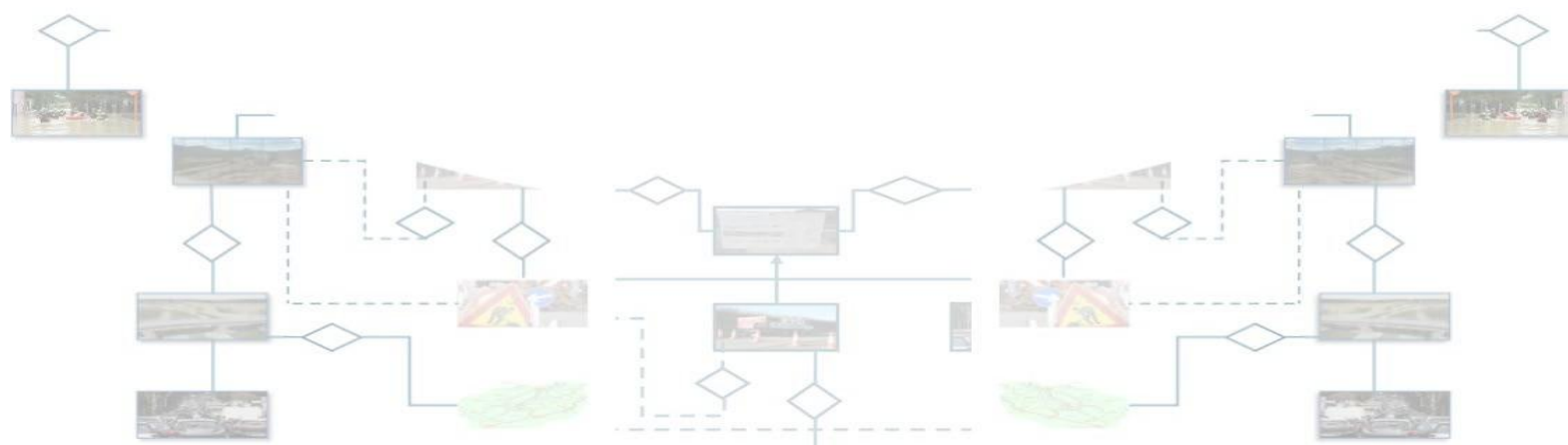
**15.30 - 15.50 | *Coffee Break***

**15.50 - 16.00 | Challenges met by a public authority managing damage data** - Carmela Melzi, Regione Lombardia

**16.00 – 17.00 | Round tables to collect ideas and observations by stakeholders** – Moderators: Ronja Winkhardt-Enz, DKKV and Alessandra Zanelli, Polimi

**17.00 – 17.30 | Wrapping up, end of workshop**

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# Open Day AGENDA

28th January 2026, Wednesday

LA TRICOTERIE | Space: SALLE DES ARCHES, Rue Théodore Verhaegen 158, Brussels

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**08.30 - 09.00 | Arrival and registration**

**09.00 - 09.15 | Opening by Soteria BC3 Coordinator**

**09.15 - 09.55 | SESSION 1 Data & Risk Management**

Part 1: Risk assessment SOTA: Presenting gaps and best practices & guidelines linking with losses - **AQUA**

Part 2: Framework for integrating and analyzing climate-related economic loss data - **SINTEF**

Part 3 "How in reality the tool assessment and the risk reduction measures has been used?" Gabrovo CS - **MITI**

**09.55 - 10.35 | SESSION 2 on Regulatory and behavioral CS**

Part 1: Regulation and the Conditions for Sharing Insurance Data - **BES**

Part 2: Behind the Barriers: Behavioural Factors Shaping Data Sharing and Climate Adaptation - **CRA**

Part 3: Gabrovo CS: Development of a sustainable insurance product with a focus on risk assessment and behavioural aspects - **DZI**

**10.35 - 11.00 | SESSION 3 Presentation of AHEAD and synergies with Soteria**

**11.00 - 12.30 | WORLD CAFE SOTERIA | AHEAD**

World Café Taster session to exchange ideas and experience on key knowledge and data for disaster risk reduction and climate change adaptation. Co-organized by **ICA** and **DKKV**.

Table 1: Applying behavioural approaches to loss assessment and insurance for adaptation

Table 2: How to choose the best insurance solution?

Table 3: How to evaluate innovative insurance solutions?

Table 4: Governance and legal aspect (for data)

Table 5: Development of IT system for enhanced data collection

Table 6: Use cases of damage and loss collected data

**12.30 - 13.30 | Lunch**

**13.30 - 14.45 | PANEL 1: Local Insights for Integrated Insurance Solutions**

**14.45 - 16.00 | PANEL 2: Climate Insurance for Farmers: Advancing Shared Resilience in Agriculture**

**16.00 - 16.15 | Coffee Break**

**16.15 - 17.15 | PANEL 3: Unlocking a prosperous and sustainable future through building resilience in Europe**

**17.15 - 17.30 | Closing remarks**