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Applicable to the Strand 2 – Measure 2.3 "Civil Society Projects"

2 events have been carried out within this project:

Event 1 – Target Rural (Main event)

Participation: The event involved 71 citizens, including 66 participants from (Finland), 2 participants from Denmark, 1 participant from Slovenia, 1 participant from Estonia and 1 participant from Japan

Location / Dates: The event took place in (**Ähtäri, Finland**) from 22/08/2019 to 23/08/2019

Short description: The aim of the event was to better connect research with rural communities and see how partnerships are used in rural development. Several cases were presented in the workshops.

Event 2 - Circural Rural Hackaton

Participation: The event involved 28 citizens, including 15 participants from Sweden, 6 participants from Ukraine, 4 participants from Lithuania, 2 participants from Poland, 1 participant from Finland and 1 participant from Estonia

Location / Dates: The event took place in (Kalmar, Sweden), from 18/10/2019 to 19/10/2019

Short description: The aim of the event was to test with young researchers and rural developers the hackathon method in rural business development.