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Increasing Circularity: The Role of Public Policy - Slovenia

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Strategic documents in Slovenia



Slovenia
Development
Strategy 2030

Slovenian
Industrial Strategy
2021-2030



National Energy
and Climate Plan
2030



Main instruments / public calls



Project with Climate KIC: Deep Demonstration of a Circular, Regenerative and Low-Carbon Economy in Slovenia

Reaching climate targets and national objectives requires a more radical approach.

Transitioning to a circular economy is no longer a choice.

It is one of the prerequisites for tackling climate crisis.



55% CO₂ reduction [2030]
Net zero emissions [2050]

• Core principles

A multi-year partnership with the Slovenian government and EIT Climate -KIC with a pragmatic and transformative intent to accelerate decarbonisation and climate adaptation.



Demand led

Based on the specific needs of Slovenian stakeholders, building on existing initiatives and processes.



Involves multiple interventions

Acting on different levers of change based on jointly created portfolios of innovation actions.



Embraces learning while doing

Continuously evaluating what works and what does to support decision-making.



Done in collaboration with all actors

Enabling cross-sectoral collaboration to overcome organisational silos and identify opportunities for collective action.

• Programme goals

Establish a frame of reference for Slovenia's circular economy portfolio

Support the decarbonisation of the key value chains of the Slovenian economy

Spark innovation and the development of new systemic solutions in entrepreneurship, education, policy and finance

Enable cross-sectoral collaboration to overcome organisational silos and identify interlinked priority areas

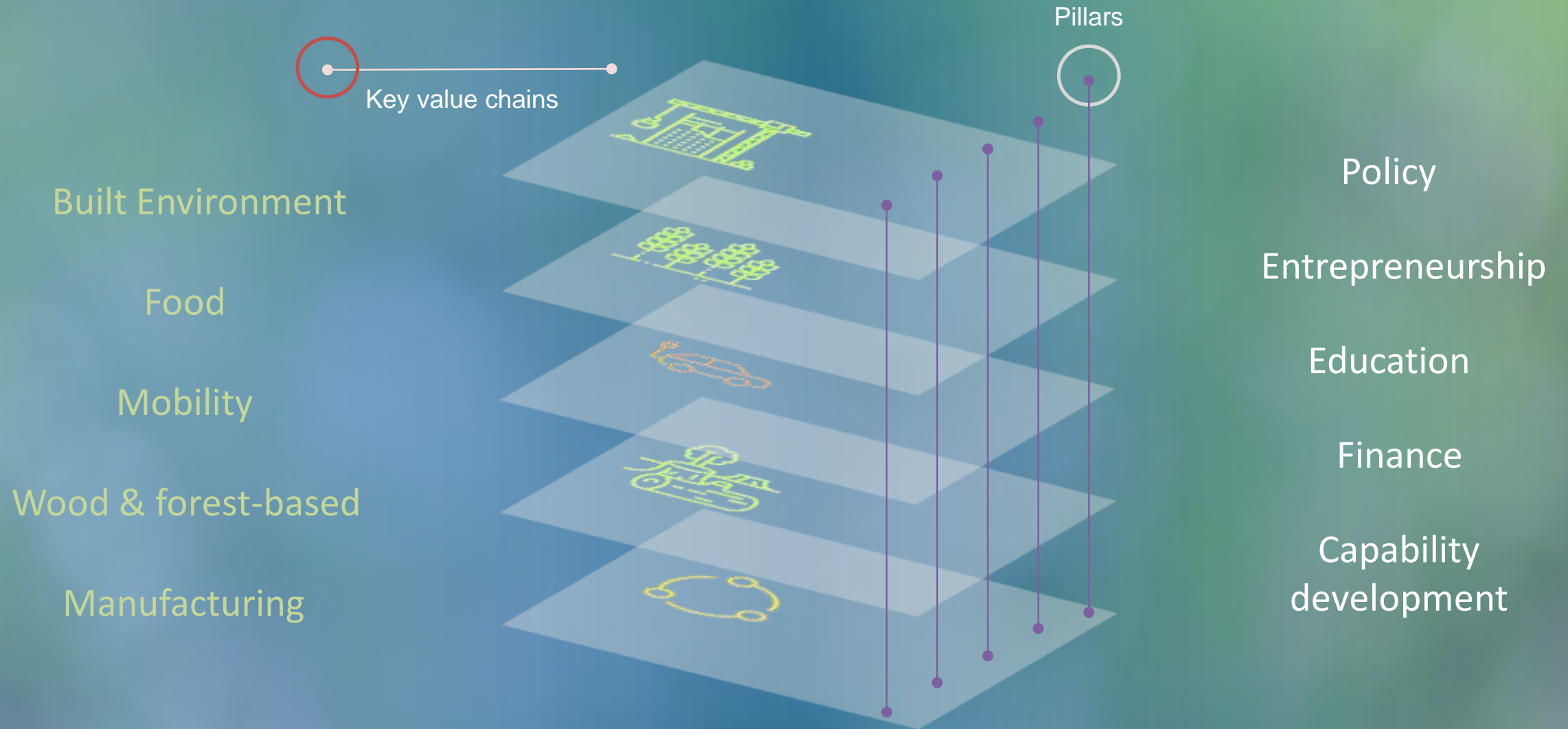
Systemically engage a wider range of stakeholders in decision-making and policy processes

Support local stakeholders to extract learnings and intelligence to ultimately make transformative decisions

• Key stakeholders



• Portfolio approach



Policy innovation:
Transformation journey in
response to climate change

• Old Policy

New Policy

..... ● Status quo oriented
Public institutions creating processes
to maintain current order

Future oriented ●
Public institutions responsible for
creating conditions for transformation

..... ● KNOWING

UNDERSTANDING ●

..... ● Divided into
fields/departments
Separated/distant from other
type of institutions

Interdisciplinary
and synchronized ●
Working in groups on solving
real challenges

Hiding what we
don't know ●
Always a little bit behind

..... ● Sharing what we
don't know
Always a little bit ahead

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Thank you!

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