



LDT4SSC Matchmaking Event 2026

Building Strong Consortia for the Third Round of Open Calls

Online – 11 June 2026 | 10:30–12:30 CET

Concept

The LDT4SSC Matchmaking Event is an interactive online session designed to support potential applicants in preparing strong proposals for the Third Round of Open Calls (Work Strands 1, 2 and 3).

The event aims to foster meaningful connections among cities, regions, technology providers, research organisations, SMEs and other stakeholders interested in Local Digital Twins for Smart and Sustainable Communities.

Through structured pitches and a dedicated matchmaking session, participants will be able to present their expertise, explore complementarities and initiate discussions for consortium building.

This event represents a key step in strengthening collaboration across Europe and accelerating the development of interoperable, scalable and AI-enabled Local Digital Twins.

Why join?

- Gain a clear understanding of the Third Round of Open Calls (WS1, WS2 & WS3)
- Identify potential partners aligned with your technical focus and strategic objectives
- Present your organisation's expertise, needs or project ideas through a short pitch
- Explore collaboration opportunities in a structured matchmaking setting
- Take concrete steps toward building competitive consortia before the 13 July 2026 deadline

Whether you are a city operating an existing Local Digital Twin, a community planning to deploy a new one, or a technology provider developing advanced AI solutions, this event will help you connect with the right partners!

Pitch your Pilot Project Proposal

During the Matchmaking Event, you will have the opportunity to deliver a short pitch (max. 5 minutes) focused on your **pilot proposal**.

Use this moment to clearly present:

- The core idea of your pilot project
- The specific partners or expertise you are looking for
- The concrete role they would play in your consortium

This is a practical, solution-oriented pitching session designed to accelerate consortium building and help you find the right match.

A dedicated pitch template will be shared with registered participants who wish to present, ensuring clarity, consistency and an efficient session for everyone involved.

Please note that, due to timing limitations, pitch presentations will be allocated on a first-come, first-served basis, with a maximum of 10 pitches.



Registration form

To register for the Matchmaking Event, please use the following form:
<https://us06web.zoom.us/meeting/register/kYY7aVaARW-vgVZg5cu6BA>.

Deadline to register

Registration closes on 08 June 2026 EOD

Agenda

Time	Item
10:30 – 10:40	Welcome & Introduction
10:40 – 11:00	Open Call 3 in a nutshell (WS1, WS2, WS3)
11:00 - 11:10	Instructions for the matchmaking
11:10 – 12:20	Applicants' pitches & Matchmaking
12:20 – 12:30	Wrap-up & Next Steps