

Lesson 7 Introduction of the FairShares Platform

Learning objectives

To be able to make participants familiar with the Platform and to register themselves

Description of the content of the lesson

In this lesson we will use two short presentations:

- 1) To explain what the FairShares Platform is;
- 2) To describe the key functions offered by the FairShares Platform.

Trainers should be able to explain why it is more than a website and support the registration of new users on the platform.

Resources Required

(Online) Video, presentations and sample learning activities in your own language (or with subtitles) to coach people on using the FairShares Platform.

(Face to Face) Projector with an internet-connected laptop for the trainer, flipchart paper (or whiteboard) and pens.

Content

Download the learning materials from fsi.coop/courses and undertake the tasks.

Task 1 (5 mins)

- Watch the short introduction video about the Platform on the Moodle Learning platform

Task 2 (50 mins)

- Create a presentation based on “Lesson 07- 01 – Platform Overview” (Sample presentation provided)
- Include screenshots and explanations on the most important activities undertaken on the FairShares Platform (Registration, OpenStreetMap, Surfing the menus)
- Study the presentation ‘Lesson 07 – 02 – Platform Key Functions’ and develop a learning activity using ‘Learning Activity – FairShares Platform (Template)’ to learning activities for people in your FairShares Lab.
- Create an activity to explore ‘key functions’ by providing exercises (optional suggestion - add supporting ScreenCast videos) so that users of your lab can use to learn about navigating the FairShares Platform.

Evaluation of the lesson

- Was this lesson helpful for you?
- Do you feel able to explain the importance and use of the Platform to others?

Expectations of the FairShares Trainer

The trainer learns how to explain the relevance and the use of the Platform and design learning activities for platform users.

Time

1 hr

Recommendations

The responsible admin person should delete any test projects created by trainees from their Country Training Lab.

Additional resources

- Platform User Manual: <https://fairsharesplatform.eu/user-manual/>
- The FairShares Platform: <https://fairsharesplatform.eu/>
- Presentation with screenshots about the most important activities on the Platform
- Link: Country Lab