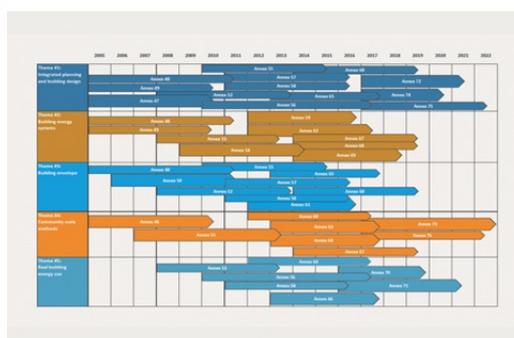


## Overview Article

### Activities of the IEA Energy in Buildings and Communities Programme

The aim of the International Energy Agency (IEA) Energy in Buildings and Communities (EBC) Technology Collaboration Programme is to carry out scientifically based research in the field of energy use of buildings and communities. On the basis of its current Strategic Plan, EBC has evolved over the past few years by steadily increasing the number of its Research & Development (R&D) projects, known as Annexes, which form the basis of the Programme.

[Read the new annexes](#)



## News

### BUILD UP Webinar

#### Technologies & tools for energy-efficient shopping centres

Do you want to know how to improve the energy efficiency of retail buildings? To know more on the available technologies to achieve this?

[Register to the BUILD UP webinar on September 19th !](#)

## 'Clean Energy package' top topic for EU Energy Council

The European Commission's '[Clean Energy for All Europeans](#)' package was the main theme of the meeting of the European Energy Council which brought together EU energy ministers, European Commission Vice-President Maroš Šefčovič, and European Commissioner for Energy and Climate Action Miguel Arias Cañete.

[Read the main results](#) of the Council as a whole or get more information on the [Energy Performance of Buildings Directive](#) and on the [Energy Efficiency Labeling Regulation](#)



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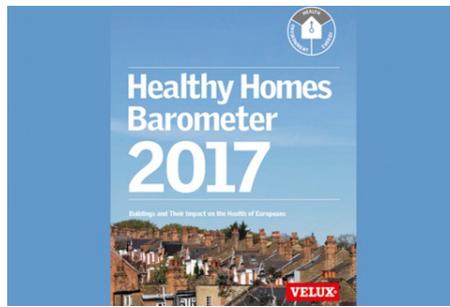
### New from our partner

## Opening the door to smart buildings - driving the transition with EU Directives

This policy paper by the Buildings Performance Institute Europe (BPIE) recommends how the Energy Performance of Buildings Directive, the Energy Efficiency Directive, the Renewable Energy Directive and the Electricity Directive should be strengthened to ensure buildings can take up a leading role in the energy transition.

[Read more](#)





## Case of the month

### Casa Bunyesc: Passive house in Lleida, Spain

The Casa Bunyesc Project began as a challenge to discover the comfort behavior of a single-family house. After construction, a family of 4 moved into the house and their energy behaviour was monitored in order to assess the energy design and systems.

[Read more](#)



## See you in August

Due to the holiday, BUILD UP will not release any News Alert until mid-August.

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## Events

11 July 2017, Salford (UK)

## Unlocking the potential of Building Information Modelling

The BIM Conference 2017 will see leading experts discuss recent developments and provide valuable insights into the future of Building Information Modelling (BIM). [Read more](#)

7 September 2017, Brussels

## Cost-competitive deep renovation of shopping centres: technologies and drivers for EU policies

The EU-funded project CommONEnergy aims to re-conceptualise shopping malls through deep retrofitting. This is the closing year of the project and best practices of recently retrofitted shopping centres will be showcased and awarded. [Read more](#)

27 September 2017, Brussels

## Affordable solutions to overcome the challenges in urban housing

This event, organised by the Association of European Gypsum Industries (Eurogypsum), intends to promote affordable and modern ways to increase available housing, a better quality and more sustainable living, and an optimised cost of investment. [Read more](#)

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