

## **PRIVACY POLICY**

Pursuant to the General Data Protection Regulation 2016/679

Pursuant to art. 13 of EU Regulation 2016/679, the following information is provided, in accordance with the principle of transparency, to make the interested party aware of the characteristics and methods of data processing.

### **1. Data Controller**

The “Data Controller” of the treatment is the Legal Representative of the Urban Climate Change Research Network – European Hub APS, Mattia Federico Leone, contact e-mail: mattialeone@gmail.com

### **2. Purpose of the processing, legal basis**

The Data Controller, to allow the registration of the interested party on its website, where the possibility of registering is foreseen, and/or the sending of information requested by using the contact forms and/or the subscription to the newsletter, needs to collect some Personal Data, as requested in the registration form and in the contact form of the website.

The Personal Data provided by the interested party through the website are collected and processed for the following purposes:

A. to allow to register in the reserved area of the site and access specific contents such as, for example, educational materials and tutorials.

B. to process requests sent via the site's "Contact Form" and provide feedback to specific requests in the contact form.

The legal basis that legitimizes the data processing referred to in paragraphs 2A) and 2B) is the consent freely given by the interested party. If the data controller intends to further process the Personal Data for a purpose other than those for which they were collected, the information regarding this different purpose and any further pertinent information will be provided the interested party before their processing,.

### **3. Nature of the data transfer**

With respect to the purposes referred to in paragraph 2A) the provision of data is optional, but any refusal will make it impossible for the Data Controller to process the request for access to the reserved area of the site, where available. With respect to the purposes referred to in paragraph 2B) the provision of data is also optional and it should be noted that the use of such data is conditional on the release of an explicit consent by the interested party. Any refusal will make it impossible for the Data Controller to process the data of the interested party.

#### **4. Recipients and any categories of recipients of Personal Data**

The data are processed by the Data Controller and by authorized subjects under the responsibility of the Data Controller for the purposes indicated above in compliance with current legislation. The data collected, if it is necessary or instrumental for the execution of the indicated purposes, may be processed by subjects who will be appointed as Data Processors pursuant to and for the purposes of art. 28 of the Regulation, or Joint Data Controllers pursuant to art. 26 of the Regulation: a) professionals, sole proprietorships, third-party companies, associations or professional firms that provide support and consultancy services to the Data Controller; b) companies, bodies, associations that perform services connected and instrumental to the execution of the purposes indicated above.

#### **5. Data transfer to third country**

If for technical and/or operational reasons it is necessary to make use of subjects located outside the European Union, we hereby inform that these subjects will be appointed as Data Processors pursuant to and by effect of art. 28 of the Regulation or Joint Data Controllers pursuant to art. 26 of the Regulation and the transfer of Personal Data to these subjects, limited to the performance of specific Processing activities, will be regulated in accordance with the provisions of Title V of the Regulation. All necessary precautions will therefore be taken to guarantee the most complete protection of the Personal Data of the interested party by basing this treatment: a) on adequacy decisions of the third country recipients expressed by the European Commission; b) on adequate guarantees expressed by the recipient third party pursuant to art. 46 of the Regulation; c) on the adoption of binding corporate rules. In any case, the interested party may request further details from the Data Controller if the data are processed outside the European Union, requesting evidence of the specific guarantees adopted.

#### **6. Processing methods and data retention period**

The data collected will be processed using electronic and IT tools, or by manual processing with logic strictly related to the purposes for which the Personal Data were collected and, in any case, in such a way as to guarantee their security in any case. The Personal Data referred to in paragraphs 2A) and 2B) will be processed by the Data Controller limited to what is necessary for the pursuit of the purpose. In particular, the Personal Data will be processed for a period of time equal to the minimum necessary, as indicated by Recital 39 of the Regulation, i.e. until the termination of the contractual relationship between the data subject and the Data Controller, subject to a further period of conservation which may be imposed by law as also provided for by Recital 65 of the Regulation. The interested party also has the right to withdraw the consent at any time without prejudice to the lawfulness of the treatment based on the consent before the revocation.

#### **7. Profiling**

The owner does not use automated processes aimed at profiling.

## **8. Cookies and similar technologies**

Browsing the site, technical information relating to the hardware and software used by visitors may be collected. This information does not provide personal data of the interested party, but only data of a technical/IT nature which are used in an aggregate and anonymous manner for the sole purpose of improving the quality of the service and providing statistics concerning the use of the Site. For more information, consult the section dedicated to cookies.

## **9. Rights of the interested party on data processing**

It should be noted that, with reference to Personal Data, the interested party may exercise the following rights:

1. right of access to Personal Data;
2. right to obtain the rectification, cancellation or limitation of Personal Data;
3. right to oppose the treatment at any time;
4. right to data portability (law applicable only to data in electronic format);
5. right to lodge a complaint with the Supervisory Authority where the interested party believes that the Personal Data have been processed unlawfully.

Regarding the methods of exercising the aforementioned rights, the interested party can write to [uccrneuropeanhub@gmail.com](mailto:uccrneuropeanhub@gmail.com). Before responding to the request, we may ask the interested party for details for verifying personal identity. The request will be answered by the Data Controller within thirty (30) days.

## **10. Changes to the Privacy Policy**

Any changes we make to our Privacy Policy in the future will be posted on the website [www.uccrn-europe-org](http://www.uccrn-europe-org). Where appropriate, we will notify users or ask them to provide consent. Please check the website for any updates or changes to our Privacy Policy.