



for the ECONOMY for the EUROPE for the ENVIRONMENT
 Not only an high-speed rail link.

About us

The Transpadana Promoting Committee was formed in March 1990 with the aim of raising the awareness of the public and of the relevant Italian, French and EU authorities of the strategic importance of a fast, high capacity rail link, with the potential to transport goods and passengers between Western and Eastern Europe, through the Po Valley, linking the most industrialised regions of our country and the ports of Genoa, Venice and Trieste with the new European rail network.

Our aims

The aim of the Committee is to promote, facilitate and accelerate the implementation of a system of corridors for high speed / high capacity rail transport towards and across the Europe via Lyon-Turin-Milan and Genoa-Venice-Trieste-Ljubljana:

- to **improve** the transportation of goods and passengers in complete safety and in an environmentally-friendly way,
- to **increase** the efficiency of Italian transport systems by rebalancing them in favour of rail, in accordance with international quality and technical standards,
- to **place** the Italian economy at the cutting-edge of a technological field with substantial potential for future development,
- to **reduce** the negative consequences to the environment, economy and safety that result from transporting freight by road.

What we do

Our Association seeks to achieve the following objectives:

- **ensuring constant coordination** between the various public and private individuals and bodies involved in the project,
- **promoting an international working approach** in coordination with our foreign counterparts and with the General Transport Directorate of the European Commission,
- **promoting an "intermodal" project vision**, of planning and encouraging the interconnection of new high-capacity networks with the other modes of transport,
- **organising public events and disseminating information** - also online via our website - through publications, studies and research so that the project progressively becomes part of the heritage of all citizens.

European projects

Alpine Space

- **PLAT.F.O.R.M.** - PLATform to Form Opinions Related to Mobility
- **POLY 5** - Polycentric Planning Models for Local Development in Territories Interested by Corridor 5 and its Ten-T ramifications

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- **INTERALPES** - Transport Intermodal Transalpin



Associative network

The associative network of Transpadana is composed by Confindustria (Italian Industrial Federation), Local Chambers of Commerce and Unions of Chambers of Commerce, local authorities (Regions, Provinces, Metropolitan Cities), Port Authorities and Lending Institutions of the Northern Italy. Foreign organizations with similar statutory purposes are also associated to Transpadana: Transalpine, Fermed, Central European Initiative.



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