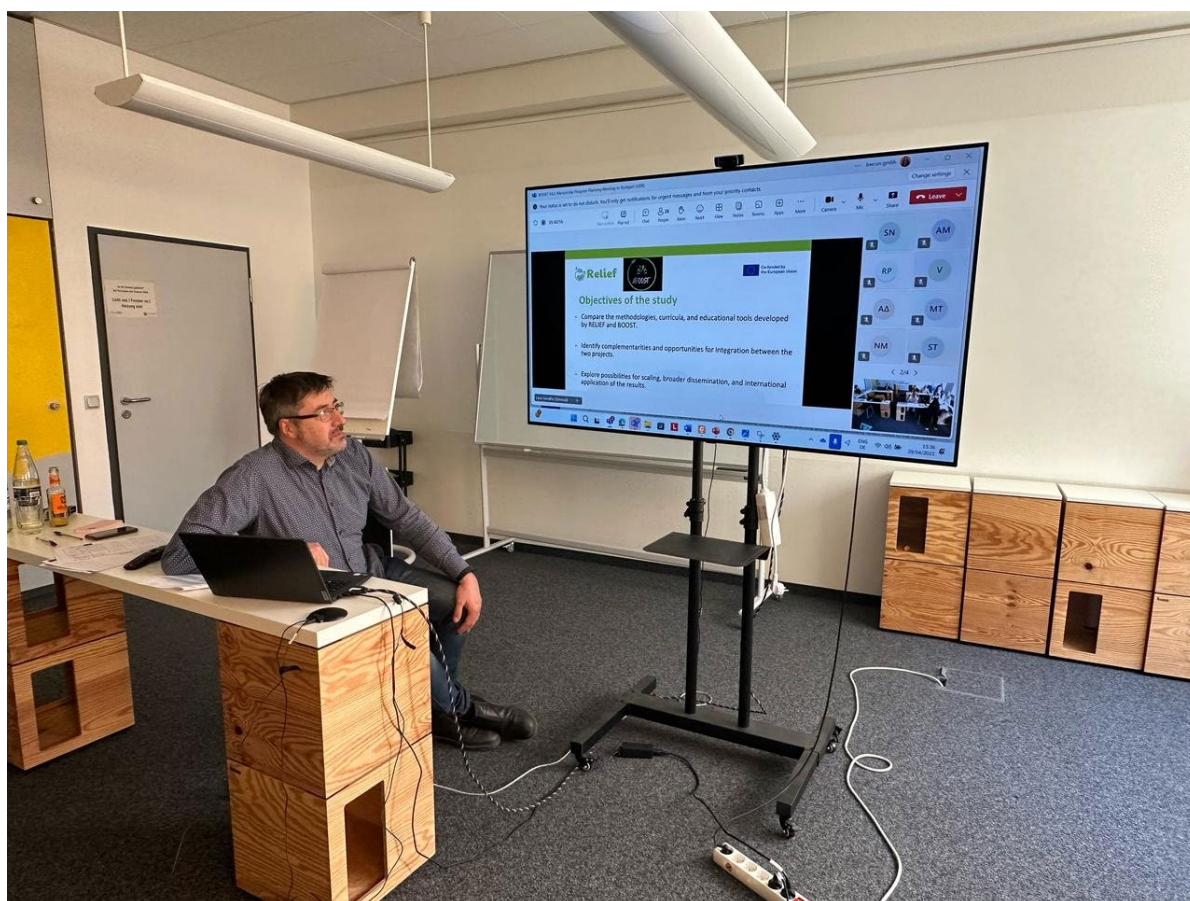


RELIEF at the 1st Scientific Conference of Sister Projects

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On 29 April 2025, RELIEF participated in the 1st Scientific Conference of Sister Projects, organized by the ERASMUS+ [BOOST](#) "*BOOSTing agribusiness acceleration and digital hub networking by an advanced training program on sustainable Precision Agriculture*" project in Stuttgart (Germany). The event, held in hybrid format, brought together key projects in the fields of Bioeconomy and Precision Agriculture, including I-RESTART, GAEA, and TANGO circular.

The RELIEF team was represented on-site by Leonardo Nibbi (University of Florence) and online by Lara Carvalho (Mälardalen University). The conference served as an excellent opportunity to present the project's outcomes and explore future collaborations aimed at enhancing the medium- and long-term impact of the participating projects.



A dedicated session of the conference focused on the analysis of synergies between RELIEF and BOOST, particularly in the field of Education and Training for Bioeconomy and Precision Agriculture. This joint reflection has led to the development of a co-authored paper by researchers from both projects, currently under review for publication in the *Agricultural Economics Review*.

The conference also provided a platform for the projects to share insights and strategies for advancing the upskilling of the agricultural workforce. This effort reflects a shared commitment to supporting the green transition through improved education and training.

RELIEF and BOOST share similar visions and approaches in their educational activities. Building on this complementarity, the two project teams agreed to strengthen their collaboration in the coming months, with the goal of amplifying their collective impact across Europe.

Alongside RELIEF and BOOST, three additional sister projects are contributing to the transformation of agriculture and rural development in Europe:

- [I-RESTART](#) - Inclusive REskilling and UPskilling Toward competitive Agrifood and veterinary sector: European agenda Strategy.
- [GAEA](#) - Granting Access to Employment & Entrepreneurship in Agriculture for women.
- [TANGO](#) - Training A New Generation Of farmers and agricultural entrepreneurs to implement the concept of Circular.

Together, these initiatives form a dynamic community of practice committed to supporting innovation, inclusion, and sustainability in agriculture through targeted education and capacity-building actions.

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