

Workshops 2 and 7

- **Conditions for Digitalisation: A.** Infrastructure; **B.** Human Skills **B.** Access to Technology.
- **Empower Communities** – Develop and Support ‘**Local Digital Innovation Ecosystems**’ (Digital Brokers, Community Hubs, FabLabs, Co-Working, Research Villages....)
- **Rural Specializations** can Lead to Fragile Communities, but **Diversity** and **Diversification** within Communities Builds Resilience.
- **Resilient** and **Diverse Communities** are Connected and Networked at **Local, Regional and National Levels**, and within the **EU**.

Valued, Empowered and Digitally Aware Rural Communities are Diverse and Resilient