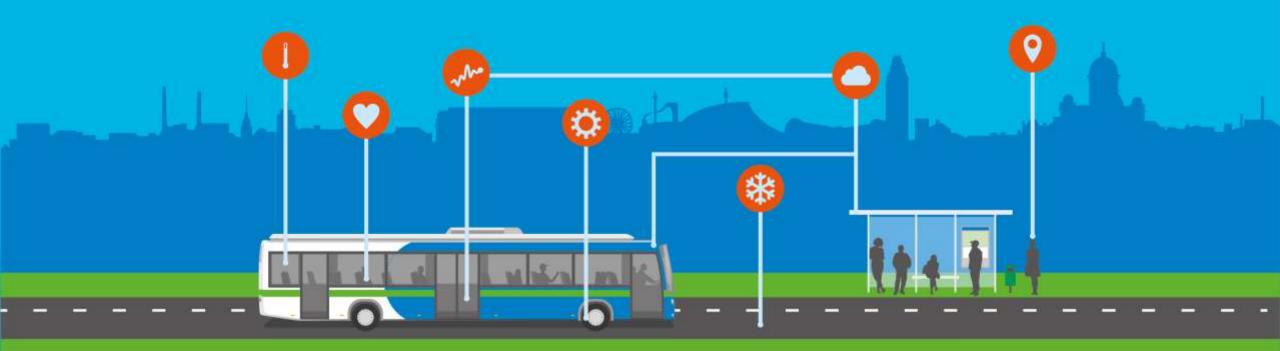
# **LIVING LAB BUS**

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#### THE GOAL

Enabling and supporting faster development of mobility services through a concrete, open test environment in a real public transport context.



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#### **BUSES AS A PLATFORM**

#### Real buses as concrete test platform

Electric buses deployed by end of 2016 in the Helsinki region and Tampere



#### VTT's test bus

Bus mule for prototypes and testing before deployment







### **DEVELOPMENT**

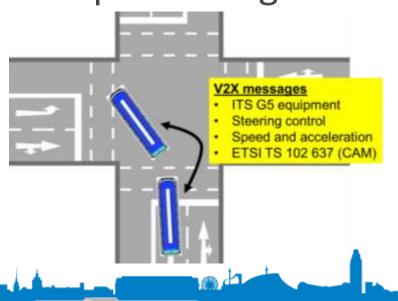
- Technology development and validation
- Data collection and contextual measurements from real use environment
- Service development and collaboration
- Service testing and user feedback



### **EXAMPLE: LINKKER FOLLOWING LINKKER**

 Increasing transport capacity when needed

Part of the fleet can be 'dummy'=> bus platooning





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#### **OBJECTIVES**

- Open platform for technology and service providers development, testing and demonstration of new technologies and services
- Quick prototyping and testing faster commercialization and credible verification and references
- Real context and real users user acceptance, feedback and development ideas
- Co-development ecosystem new mobility service value chains, and information exchange











## Living Lab Bus - Open innovation and test platform

Innovative electric buses serve as a test platform in real use environment.

Service and technology developers and providers are welcome to develop and test their solutions.

Real context and references - co-development and business ecosystem



## **THANK YOU!**

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