Record Nr. UNINA9910777746303321 Public investment management in the new EU member states : : **Titolo** strengthening planning and implementation of transport infrastructure investments / / [edited by] Thomas Laursen, Bernard Myers Washington, D.C.:,: World Bank,, c2009 Pubbl/distr/stampa **ISBN** 1-282-01262-2 9786612012624 0-8213-7895-3 Descrizione fisica viii, 31 pages; ; 26 cm World Bank working paper, , 1726-5878 ; ; no. 161 Collana Altri autori (Persone) LaursenThomas MyersBernard Disciplina 388/.049 Soggetti Public investments - European Union countries Transportation - European Union countries Project management - European Union countries Lingua di pubblicazione Inglese **Formato** Materiale a stampa Livello bibliografico Monografia Note generali Description based upon print version of record. Nota di bibliografia Includes bibliographical references. Contents; Acknowledgments; Executive Summary; Introduction; 1. The Nota di contenuto Role of Strategic Planning in Defining Priorities for Public Investment; 2. The Role of the Budget Process in Implementing Government Priorities; Box 1. Lessons in Budgeting for Transport Investment; 3. The Impact of Project Appraisal on Project Selection; Box 2. Planning of Project Management; Box 3. Private Finance is an Option in the Right Circumstances; 4. Institutional Arrangements for Quality Assurance; 5. Project Implementation and Monitoring Arrangements; Box 4. Early Contractor Involvement 6. Building Capacity to ManageBox 5. Building Capacity to Appraise and Manage Projects; 7. Conclusions and Recommendations; Recommendations This paper describes the characteristics of public investment Sommario/riassunto management (PIM) in seven EU countries as it applies to a single sector-transport infrastructure. The report highlights some of the common challenges that four relatively new EU member states-Poland,

Slovakia, Slovenia, and Latvia-face as they plan and execute their

transport infrastructure projects. It recognizes theimportance that EUmandated processes and procedures have in shaping national systems in the new member states (NMS), but the report finds that actual practices often fall short of EU goals due to capacity constraints,