

MANAGING AUTHORITY OF EUROPEAN TERRITORIAL COOPERATION PROGRAMMES

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2nd EUROPEAN TERRITORIAL COOPERATION CONFERENCE

**LAUNCHING THE PROGRAMMING
PERIOD 2014-2020**

The challenge of synergies

**Makedonia Palace Hotel
Thessaloniki • Greece**

**June
22nd-23rd
2015**



DAY 1

09:00 - 10:00	Arrival of Participants - Registration
10:00 - 10:15	Official Welcome - Opening Remarks Ms. Evgenia Fotoniata, <i>Special Secretary for ERDF & CF Funded Sectoral OPs, Ministry of Economy, Infrastructure, Shipping & Tourism</i>
10:15 - 11:00	Welcome Speeches Mr. Vicente Rodriguez Saez, <i>European Commission (DG REGIO)</i> Mr. George Emmanuel, <i>Head of MA of ETC Programmes</i> Special Speech <i>From the single genius to collective knowledge</i> Dr. Stavros Vergopoulos, <i>Ass. Professor, Aristotle University of Thessaloniki</i>
11:00 - 12:30	Launching the Programming Period 2014-2020 Presentation of the Cross-border Cooperation Programmes Greece is managin Ms. Katia Sagona, <i>MA of ETC Programmes (moderator)</i> Greece-Italy (Mr. Giorgos Simos, <i>MA of ETC Programmes</i>) Greece-Bulgaria (Mr. Dimitris Liatsis, <i>MA of ETC Programmes</i>) Greece-Cyprus (Ms. Katerina Themeli, <i>MA of ETC Programmes</i>) Greece-Albania (Mr. Vassilis Charitantis, <i>MA of ETC Programmes</i>) Greece-the Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia (Mr. Nikos Chatzisavvas, <i>MA of ETC Programmes</i>) <i>Discussion to follow</i>
12:30 - 13:30	Break
13:30 - 16:00	Launching the Programming Period 2014-2020 Presentation of the multilateral Cooperation Programmes Mr. Alexandros Samaras, <i>MA of ETC Programmes (moderator)</i> ADRION (Ms. Rossana Pruni, <i>ADRION MA</i>) MED (Mr. Kyrillos Dimanopoulos, <i>MED JTS</i>) MED ENI (Mr. Aldo Puleo, <i>MED ENI MA</i>) Black Sea Basin (Mr. Dimitrios Gertsos, <i>MA of ETC Programmes</i>) INTERREG EUROPE (Ms. Magdalini Anagnostou, <i>INTERREG EUROPE JTS</i>) Balkan-Mediterranean (Ms. Nikoletta Tatari, <i>MA of ETC Programmes</i>) Rapporteur Searching possible synergies among ETC Programmes Ms. Eleni Katsiyianni, <i>MA of ETC Programmes</i> <i>Intervention by the Programmes - Discussion to follow</i>

Closure of 1st Day

DAY 2

10:15	Arrival of Participants
10:15 - 10:20	Welcome
10:20 - 11:45	Round Table on Synergies among Programmes and the Added Value of Macro-regional Strategies Mr. Giannis Firbas, <i>Ministry of Economy, Infrastructure, Shipping & Tourism</i> Mr. Vassilios Tselios, <i>Ministry of Foreign Affairs</i> Mr. Gabriel Alvarez, <i>INTERACT Point Turku</i> Mr. Athanasios Sofos, <i>European Commission (DG REGIO)</i> Mr. George Emmanuel, <i>Head of MA of ETC Programmes</i> Moderation by Ms. Eleni Katsiyianni, <i>MA of ETC Programmes</i>
Closure of the Conference	
11:45 - 12:45	Break
12:45 - 15:30	Transnational workshops on the design of the 1st Calls for Project Proposals Greece-Italy 2014-2020 Greece-Bulgaria 2014-2020 Greece-Cyprus 2014-2020 Greece-Albania 2014-2020 Greece-the Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia 2014-2020 Balkan-Mediterranean 2014-2020



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