



Unlocking Opportunities for Post-2027 Europe: EUSAIR, Interreg, and Cohesion Policy in Joint Action

Friday, 7 February 2025,
Thessaloniki (Greece)

09:00 - 16:30 (Athens, CET+1)

Venue

Museum of Byzantine Culture - "Stephanos Dragoumis" Amphitheatre

2 Stratou Avenue
54640 Thessaloniki, Greece

For the "On line" Participation

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Participants

Managing Authorities, Planning Authorities, Line/Ministry representatives, Academic Community, Consultants & Researchers, EUSAIR Representatives from the participating countries, EUSAIR National Coordinators, EUSAIR Pillar Coordinators, Managing Authority of INTERREG 2021-2027 Joint Secretariats of MA Interreg 2021-2027, European Commission, EUSAIR Governance Point Lead Partners, EUSAIR FACILITY POINT project partners, EUSAIR TSG representatives, Regional and local Authorities, EUSAIR Youth representatives, Interreg project partners

DRAFT AGENDA

7 February 2025	
09:00 – 09:30	Registration
09:30 - 10:15	Setting the scene - Welcome Addresses & Greetings



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	<p>Argyro Zerva Director of Special Service for the Coordination of Planning, Evaluation & Implementation General Directorate of Strategy, Planning and Implementation of the PA, Ministry of Economy & Finance</p> <p>Maria Nezeriti Head, Managing Authority INTERREG 2021-2027</p> <p>Gilles Kittel (online) Team Leader of the South East Europe and EUSAIR, European Commission, DG Regio</p>
<p>10:15 - 10:35</p>	<p>Consultation outcomes on Cohesion Policy Post 2027 Future</p> <p>Maria Kostopoulou Head of Unit A – Strategy and Policy Monitoring, Special Service for the Coordination of Evaluation, Planning and Implementation, Ministry of Economy & Finance</p>
<p>10:35 - 10:55</p>	<p>Post-27 outlook on Interreg Programmes</p> <p>Sundblad Schaefer Helena (online) Policy Officer in South East Europe and EUSAIR Team, European Commission, DG Regio</p>
<p>10:55 - 12:20</p>	<p>Survey Insights on Cohesion Policy, EUSAIR, and Interreg Beyond 2027 - Post 2027 Consultation Methodology</p> <p>Symi Pasaolidou Communication Officer, MA Interreg 2021-2027</p> <p>Interreg Greece-Albania Consultation Results</p> <p>Georgios Papadopoulos Coordinator, Joint Secretariat of the INTERREG VI-A IPA GREECE-ALBANIA 2021-2027 Programme</p> <p>Interreg Greece-Italy Consultation Results</p> <p>Gianfranco Gadaleta</p>



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	<p>Coordinator, Joint Secretariat of the INTERREG VI-A IPA GREECE-ITALY 2021-2027 Programme</p> <p>Interreg Greece-North Macedonia Consultation Results</p> <p>Themistoklis Chatzikonstantinou</p> <p>Coordinator, Joint Secretariat of the INTERREG VI-A IPA GREECE-NORTH MACEDONIA 2021-2027 Programme</p>
12:20 – 12:40	Coffee Break
12:40- 13:00	<p>Consultation Results ADRION</p> <p>Lodovico Gherardi (tbc)</p> <p>Coordinator, Managing Authority of the INTERREG IPA ADRION Programme (Emilia-Romagna Region)</p>
13:00 - 14:00	<p>Cooperation in Action: Leveraging the Past, Shaping the Future</p> <p>Moderated Group Discussion: Project Beneficiaries in the context of the EUSAIR Thematic Priorities/Pillars</p>
14:00 - 14:20	<p>Interreg, EU macro-regional and Sea basin strategies - frameworks unlocking mutual benefits</p> <p>Baiba Liepa</p> <p>Project manager, Interact, Macro-regional strategies, Programmes supporting MRS</p>
14:20 – 14:40	<p>Survey on Cohesion Policy Post 2027 & EUSAIR</p> <p>Eva Kos</p> <p>EUSAIR Lead Project Manager, Ministry of Cohesion and Regional Development of the Republic of Slovenia</p>
14:40 - 15:40	Lunch Break
15:40 - 16:00	Beyond the routine: the value of citizens' involvement in macro-regional strategies



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	<p>Miklos Barabas Director, European House Budapest Coordinator, Danubiana Network, EESC Member (2004-2010)</p>
16:00 - 16:10	<p>EUSAIR YOUTH COUNCIL (Representative TBC)</p>
16:10- 17:00	<p>Discussion - Conclusions - Closure Mathilde Konstantopoulou EUSAIR National Coordinator for ESI Funds, Ministry of Economy and Finance</p>



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