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AGENDA

Conference under the Polish CBSS presidency

INTERREG changes the Baltic Sea Region. Stories that inspire

Venue: European Solidarity Centre in Gdańsk, 23-24 May 2016

PROGRAMME - 23 MAY 2016

9:00-10:30	Registration	
10:30-12:00	Opening session	
	10:30-11:30	Introductory speeches: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Welcome address – Ms Anita Ryng, Director of Territorial Cooperation Department, the Ministry of Economic Development of Poland ✓ Welcome address – Mr Adam Hamryszczak, Undersecretary of State, the Ministry of Economic Development of Poland ✓ Welcome address – Mr Mieczysław Struk, Marshal of the Pomorskie Voivodeship ✓ Significance of the INTERREG in the Baltic Sea Region from the EU perspective – the European Commission – Mr Vicente Rodriguez Saez ✓ INTERREG in the Baltic Sea Region in the EUSBSR context and the priorities of the Polish CBSS presidency – Ms Joanna Wojtkowska, EUSBSR National Coordinator, the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Poland
	11:30-12:00	Presentation of the INTERREG Baltic Programmes: Baltic Sea Region – Ms Susanne Scherrer, Director of the Managing Authority and the Joint Secretariat South Baltic – Mr Thorsten Kohlisch, Head of the Joint Secretariat Central Baltic – Ms Merike Niitepõld, Head of Managing Authority
12:00-16:00	Panel discussions	
	12:00-13:00	Environment , special focus: the significance of the pan-Baltic cooperation Moderator: Mr Philipp Schwartz, Interact
13:00-14:00	Lunch	
	14:00-15:00	Transport , special focus: examples of multilateral project Moderator: Mr Bartłomiej Wierzbicki, INTERREG Baltic Sea Region
	15:00-16:00	Entrepreneurship and innovation , special focus: impact on target groups Moderator: Ms Aleksandra Rapp, Interact
16:00-18:00	Networking coffee - thematic hot spots	





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PROGRAMME - 24 MAY 2016

8:00-8.30

Registration

8:30-10:30

Joint session of the INTERREG Baltic Programmes: South Baltic, Central Baltic, Baltic Sea Region

How to develop a good INTERREG project?

This is a plenary cross-programme session involving South Baltic, Central Baltic and Baltic Sea Region. This session is designed to give participants strategic advice as to how to develop a good and sustainable INTERREG project.

10:30-10:45

Coffee break

10:45-14:00

Joint outdoor activity of the INTERREG Baltic Programmes: South Baltic and Baltic Sea Region

Exploring the spirit of INTERREG in Gdańsk by bike/bus!

En-route lectures by experts on sustainable mobility and risk prevention.

Lunch boxes will be provided for all participants.

14:00-14:30

Coffee break

14:30-17:00

INTERREG South Baltic Programme's session

14:30-15:30

South Baltic intervention logic

This session is designed to make the Programme intervention logic comprehensible for potential applicants.

15:30-17:00

South Baltic round table "Building skills to cooperate across borders"

This session is designed to serve all stakeholders (small actors and proxies) who are interested in building up local capacities to cooperate across borders within the Priority Axis 5 – Increasing cooperation capacity of local actors. Project ideas can be jointly discussed.



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