



JASPERS-CoR dialogues on the implementation of the Urban Agenda for the EU

Location: Vienna, Czech Embassy to Austria, Penzinger Str. 11-13, 1140 Wien

Date and time: 9.5.2017, 9h00-18h00

Final agenda

- (9:00 – 9:30) Welcome and Introduction by
Czech Ambassador Jan Sechter (venue host),
EIB Vice President Vazil Hudak
Petr Osvald, CoR Member for the city of Plzen,
Moderator: Daniela Patti, Eutropian
- (9:30 – 9:40) Brief introduction by Antonio Almagro, Director of JASPERS
- (9:40 – 9:50) Brief presentation of the EU Urban Agenda and the thematic partnerships through Eva Nussmüller, Team Leader, Implementing & Financing Urban Policy, Urban and Territorial Development Unit, DG Regional & Urban Policy
- (9:50-10:50) Urban development challenges, available ESI funding and EU/JASPERS assistance expectations from the perspective of mayors and/or city council members (panelists of the subsequent public debate)
- Plzen, CZ, Petr Osvald, City Council Member of Plzen responsible for EU funding & Lucie Viktorova, Head of the Communications Department, Pilsen urban transport company (PMDB)
 - Prešov, SK, Andrea Turčanová Mayor
 - Novo Mesto, SI, Gregor Macedoni, Mayor
 - Budapest, HU, Dr. Péter Szegvári, Senior Advisor of the Mayor of Budapest
 - Q&A
- (10:50–11:20) JASPERS informative session on its actual and potential contribution to core aspects of the EU Urban Agenda (smart urban development, transport, energy)
- Eugenia Kazamaki Ottersten, Head of Smart Development Division (Smart Development Division)
 - Ralf Goldmann, Head of the Energy and Solid Waste Division (Energy & Solid Waste)
 - Neri di Volo, Deputy Advisor of the Rail, Air and Maritime Division (Rail, Air & Maritime)
 - Q&A
- (11:20–11:40) Coffee break



(11:40-12:30) Breakout session 1: Discussion in three sub-groups on challenges in cities & regions:

- (1) Multi-Stakeholder Engagement;
- (2) Integrated & Sustainable Planning & Development;
- (3) Programme Delivery & Capacity-Building

Moderators: Brian Field, SDD; Jochen Schneider, NCC¹; Jan Sliva, Cabinet of VP Hudak

(12:30–14:00) Networking lunch break

(14:00–14:30) Presentation of findings from Breakout session 1 – through municipal delegate/s and/or JASPERS – questions to panelists

(14:30-15:30) Breakout session 2: Discussion in three sub-groups on potential solutions to address challenges identified in the morning and how JASPERS could support cities & regions:

- (1) Smart Development;
- (2) Sustainable Urban Mobility;
- (3) Energy Efficiency

Moderators²: Jeroen Bakker, SDD; Jochen Schneider, NCC; Ralf Goldmann, ESW

(15:30–16:00) Presentation of findings from breakout session 2 – through municipal delegate/s and/or JASPERS – questions to panelists

(16:00-16:30) Coffee break and arrival of interested stakeholders and the interested public

(16:30-17:30) Open debate with the audience & presentation of the Reflecting on Europe campaign

(17:30-17:45) Moderator: Wrap Up

(17:45–18:00) JASPERS, Norbert Hahn, Head of NCC: Potential follow up, Closing of the dialogue

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² Facilitation from JASPERS Vienna Office: Jose Izquierdo, RAM; Katka Maj Vrabelova, RAM; Paul Riley, RAM