

PARALLEL SESSION 3:

SMART APPROACH FOR A SUSTAINABLE AND ATTRACTIVE REGION

13 MAY, 09:00-10:45 H.

Chair: Dr Andrea Mairate, Head of Competence Centre, Macroregions and European Territorial Cooperation, Directorate General for Regional and Urban Policy

Moderators:

- Blanka Belošević, Head of Department for International Cooperation, Ministry of Tourism, Croatia (panel 1)
- Francesco di Cesare, Chairman Risposte Turismo (panel 2)

9.00-9.45 - Panel 1: EU policy framework and financial resources

Panellists

- Joanna Mouliou, Directorate General for Regional and Urban Policy (DG REGIO), European Commission
- Donatella Soria, Directorate General for Internal Market, Industry, Entrepreneurship and SMEs (DG GROW), European Commission
- Miroslav Veskovic, International, Inter Institutional and Stakeholder Relations, Joint Research Center (JRC), European Commission
- Maria Spyraki, Member of the European Parliament, REGI and ITRE Committees
- Sonia Popa, Director General of Tourism Development Ministry of Economy of Albania

9.45-10.45 Panel 2: Stakeholders and transnational project experiences

Panellists

- Marija Rajaković, Head of Sector for Competitiveness, Ministry of Economy, Croatia
- Roberto Perrocchio, Chairman, ICOMIA Marinas Group and Assomarinas
- Andrea Novaković CEO from the City of Dubrovnik Development Agency, Forum of the Adriatic and Ionian cities
- Johannes Volkmar, International Projects, Tourismusverband Mecklenburg-Vorpommern
- Pierre Frustier, Tourism Expert, Cultural Routes of Council of Europe
- Konstantinos Nikoloutsos, President of the Chamber of Commerce of Ilia (Greece) and member of AIC Forum

Rapporteur

Cinzia De Marzo, Legal advisor and expert on European sustainable Tourism