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Towards a multimodal Adriatic-Ionian route connected to the Tyrrhenian sea

23 June 2021, from 3.00 to 6.00 pm

Link to register:
https://www.regione.abruzzo.it/registrazione-evento-verso-una-direttrice-adriatico-ionica

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Event organised by the Abruzzo Region within the European Year of Rail 2021:
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Opening and Moderation

Barbara Morgante
Director General Abruzzo Region

Panel 1 - Connecting Regions

Perspective of the Portuguese Council Presidency

Jorge Delgado
Secretary of State for Infrastructure

Key note speech

Herald Ruijters
Director, Investment, Innovative & Sustainable Transport, DG MOVE, European Commission

Speakers

Alberto Mazzola
Executive Director of CER (Community of European Railway and Infrastructure Companies),
Member of EESC/CCMI Committee

Vincenzo Macello
Head of Investment Dpt of RFI and Government Commissioner for some major railway investments

Sergio F. Garribba
European Adriatic-Ionian Macroregion (EUSAIR) - Coordinator for thematic steering group TSG.TSG 2
Connecting the region: Energy

Francesco Cocco
Secretary General of the Euroregion Adriatic Ionian (EAI)

Ugo Patroni Griffi
President of the Authority of Harbour System "Southern Adriatic Sea"

Pino Musolino
President of the Authority of Harbour System "Central-North Tyrrhenian Sea"

Q&A session

run by Katia Scolta
Journalist, Head of Press and Communication Office, Abruzzo Region

Panel 2 - Cooperating among Regions

Introductory remarks

Marco Marsilio
President of the Abruzzo Region

Mauro Alessandri
Councillor of the Lazio Region

Francesco Baldelli
Councillor of the Marche Region

Donato Toma
President of the Molise Region

Michele Emiliano
President of the Puglia Region

Key note speech

- ***The EUSAIR as a tool to improve Adriatic Ionian connection through cooperation***

  Jean-Pierre Halkin
  European Commission - DG REGIO, Head of Unit Macro-regions Transnational/Interregional/External Cooperation, Enlargement

Speakers

- ***Interregional cooperation: Activities carried out between the Italian Regions linked to the review of the TEN-T network***

  Emidio Primavera
  Director of the Infrastructure and Transport Dept of the Abruzzo Region

- ***Interconnection with public transport at local level and sustainable mobility (cycle and pedestrian paths)***

  Maxmilian Di Pasquale
  General Manager of the Trasporto Unico Abruzzese (TUA S.p.a.)

Panel 2 - Cooperating among Regions (contd.)

- ***Focus on freight/intermodal transport: Activities and figures of the logistics center***
  Mosè Renzi
  General Manager of the Interporto d'Abruzzo S.p.a.

- ***Programming and integration of themes and projects covered by the cohesion policy (ERDF)***
  Emanuela Grimaldi
  Director of the Precidency Dept of the Abruzzo Region

  Carmine Cipollone
  Managing Authority ERDF/ESF of the Abruzzo Region

- ***Hydrogen from renewable sources: Hydrogen train pilot project and public transport***
  Iris Flacco
  Land and Environment Dept of the Abruzzo Region

- ***Research in the field of local public transport***
  Gino D'Ovidio
  University of L'Aquila, Faculty of Engineering – Director CITRAMS

Q&A session
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Journalist, Head of Press and Communication Office, Abruzzo Region

Closing remarks
Alessandro Morelli
Deputy Minister for sustainable infrastructures and mobility

Marco Marsilio
President of the Abruzzo Region