

PROGRAMME Interreg Annual Event
Santiago de Compostela
25-26-27 October 2023
 Physical format

WEDNESDAY 25 OCTOBER

8.00 – 9.00	<i>Fontan building</i> Welcome coffee
9.00 – 9.15	<i>Plenary room (Auditorium)</i> Welcome address Slawomir TOKARSKI, Director for the European Territorial Cooperation, Macro-regions, Interreg and Programmes Implementation I - DG REGIO Carmen HERNÁNDEZ MARTÍN, Sub-Director for European Territorial Cooperation, Directorate-General of European Funds, Ministry of Finance and Civil Administration
9.15 – 11.00	<i>Plenary room (Auditorium)</i> Plenary session 2021-2027 Key Implementation questions Albert SORROSAL, Moderator of the session Simona Pohlova, Deputy Head of Unit – DG REGIO 1, European Commission Grzegorz GOLDA, Interact, Moderator of the session Merike NIITEPÖLD, Head of Managing Authority, Central Baltic programme Edmunds SNIKERIS, Tesim Annika BLOMSTER, Programme Director, Interreg Northern Periphery and Arctic Nathalie VERSCHELDE, Deputy Head of Unit – REGIO D1, European Commission Nebojsa NIKOLIC, Interact Alexandre COLOMBANI, Head of Unit, Development and Communication, JS of the North-West Europe programme Anca GUTT, Communication Officer, Regional Office for cooperation, Romania-Ukraine programme David HACKLING, Information and Communication Officer, DG REGIO, European Commission
11.00 – 11.30	<i>Fontan and CINC buildings</i> Coffee break
11.30 – 13.00	Parallel working sessions <p>Workshop 1: “Interreg for energy transition and energy communities” – Sala de Eventos, Fontán building Stanislas d'HERBEMONT, Development Manager, REScoop.eu Ana Belen LÓPEZ TÁRRAGA, Communication and Marketing officer EGTC Duero-Douro and Efiduero Katharina KRELL, Interreg Europe, Thematic Expert, Greener Europe Nicolas GARNIER, Interact Programme José Luis PASCUAL CRIADO, Director of EGTC Duero-Douro and of EfiDuero Energy</p> <p>Workshop 2: “Unlock Interreg’s potential to promote skills” – CINC building, first floor <u>Moderators:</u> Mercedes Acitores & Laura Belenguer (Interact) and Rosario Sapienza & Karine Leroy (Tesim) Julianna MÁTÉ, Director, Via Carpatia EGTC Brunella BUSCEMI, Director I.I.S. Erasmo da Rotterdam, Interreg France-Italy (ALCOTRA) Veronika VAREP, Director, Johannes Mikhelson Center Marica BERIC, Head of Strategic Planning Department - Development Agency of the Republic of Srpska Eduard RODES, Director of Escola Europea - intermodal transportal Vladimir TODOROVIC, Science Technology Park Novi Sad José RUIBÉRRIZ, SSE Focal Point in ACPP (MEDRisse project) Antonella NOTARANGELO, IVY volunteer at the National Confederation of Craft and Small and Medium Enterprises – Bari</p> <p>Workshop 3: “Decarbonisation of transport: Interreg in motion against missing links” – Room 10, Fontán building Thorsten Kohlisch, Interreg Europe, moderator Jonathan WORTH, Founder - Trains for Europe & #CrossBorderRail Nikoletta HORVATH, Head of CB departments Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Trade, Hungary Hanna KROLL, Project Manager, Aachener Verkehrsverbund GmbH Gabriel BÖLSKE, Programme Officer Interreg Sweden-Finland-Norway (Botnia-Atlantica/ Nord / AURORA) Jeroen VAN OEL, Policy analyst, European Commission</p> <p>Workshop 4: “A better cooperation governance” – CINC building, ground floor Bernhard SCHAUSBERGER, Interact, Moderator of the session Olivier BAUDELET, Programme Manager, European Commission Olivier BAGARRI, Director of the JS, Interreg France-Italy (ALCOTRA) Sophie SCARVELIS, EURO-MED, Head of projects JS Katalin ILLÉS KÁDEK, Rába-Duna-Vág EGTC Project manager</p> <p>Workshop 5: “Working on border obstacles: Focal Point, solutions, tools” – CINC building, ground floor Ricardo FERREIRA, Border Focal Point coordinator, European Commission Martin GUILLERMO, AEBR - Secretary General Dirk PETERS, Senior Expert, European Commission Jean-Philippe ODEURS, Head of the MA programme Meuse-Rhine (NL-BE-DE) Roberto CARRERO, Regional head of cross-border cooperation and head of the Portuguese-Spanish EGTC Rio Minho</p>

13.00 – 14.30	<i>Museo building</i> Lunch
14.30 – 18.00	Project visits
18.00 – 19.15	Visit of the Cathedral of Santiago de Compostela
20.00 – 23.00	Concert by Interreg band Drink and walking dinner in the center of Santiago de Compostela <i>Hotel Monumento San Francisco, Campillo de, Costa de San Francisco, 3, 15705 Santiago de Compostela, A Coruña, Spain</i>

THURSDAY 26 OCTOBER

8.30 – 9.00	<i>Fontan building</i> Welcome coffee
9.00 – 9.45	<i>Plenary room (Auditorium)</i> Opening by Elisa FERREIRA, European Commissioner for Cohesion and Reforms María Jesús Montero Cuadrado, Spanish Minister for Treasury and Public Function Alfonso RUEDA VALENZUELA, President of Xunta de Galicia
9.45 – 11.30	<i>Plenary room (Auditorium)</i> Post 27 reflection in plenary session Karl-Heinz LAMBERTZ, President of the Parliament of the German-speaking community in Belgium Elisa FERREIRA, European Commissioner for Cohesion and Reforms
11.30 – 12.00	<i>Fontan building</i> Coffee break
12.00 – 13.30	<i>Plenary room (Auditorium)</i> Project Slam “Cooperation for skills”
13.30 – 14.00	<i>Plenary room (Auditorium)</i> Closing Slawomir TOKARSKI, Director for the European Territorial Cooperation, Macro-regions, Interreg and Programmes Implementation I - DG REGIO
14.00 – 15.00	<i>Museo building</i> Light lunch and goodbye drink
15.00 – 18.00	Networking time (on a voluntary basis) <i>Meeting of Heads of MA and Heads of JS of Interreg transnational programmes – Sala de Eventos, Fontan building</i> <i>Meeting of Interreg transnational programmes – CINC building, ground floor</i> <i>Meeting of Interreg outermost regions programmes – Room 10, Fontan building</i> <i>Meeting of Interreg NEXT and Interreg ENI CBC programmes CCG meeting – CINC building, first floor</i> <i>Meeting of Interreg IPA programmes – CINC building, ground floor</i>

FRIDAY 27 OCTOBER

8.00	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>For the sporty ones</u> Meeting point in Santiago City Centre at 08h00 Departure by Bus at 08h15 from Santiago de Compostela to Arca From 08h45: last stretch of St James Way from Arca (O Pino).</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Length: 20.2 Km Estimated Duration: 5h10min Arrival at the Cathedral: 14h20/15h.</p>
12.00	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Shorter option</u> Meeting point in Santiago City Centre at 12H00/12h15 Departure by Bus at 12h30 from Santiago de Compostela to Monte do Gozo Itinerary: Monte do Gozo – Obradoiro This group wait for the first group arriving from Arca.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Length: 4.7 Km Estimated Duration: 1h 10min Arrival at the Cathedral : 14h20/15h</p>
13.00	<p style="text-align: center;">Meeting of the different walking groups in Monte del Gozo and final stretch together to Santiago's cathedral</p>
14.20 – 15.00	<p style="text-align: center;">Arrival at the Cathedral and pilgrims' lunch</p>