



## *How can the post 2020 Cohesion Policy meet EU Islands challenges?*

24.04.2018, 09:00 – 12:00

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### **09.00-09.10 Welcome address**

- Mr Tonino PICULA, MEP, Vice-Chair of the Intergroup in charge of Islands

### **09.10-09.20 Keynote Speech**

- Ms Isabelle THOMAS, MEP, Vice-Chair of the Intergroup, Co-Rapporteur on the EU Budget

### **09.20-10.00 SESSION 1: IMPLEMENTATION OF COHESION POLICY IN EUROPEAN ISLANDS: WHAT RESULT?**

**Moderation** by Mr Younous OMARJEE, MEP, Member of the Intergroup, Vice-President of REGI Committee

- Ms Christiana KALOGIROU, Regional Governor, North-Aegean, Member of the CPMR
- Mr Francesco PIGLIARU, President of Sardegna, Member of the CPMR Islands Commission
- Mr Filip REINHAG, Vice-Mayor of Gotland, Member of the CPMR Islands Commission
- Mr Felix PABLO PINDADOS, Director General for European Funds, Government of the Balearic Islands, Member of the CPMR Islands Commission

### **10.00-11.20 SESSION 2: COHESION POLICY IN EU ISLANDS AFTER 2020**

**Moderation** by Eleni MARIANOI, Secretary General of the CPMR

#### **10.00-10.10 The territorial dimension of Cohesion Policy**

- Mr Gilles SIMEONI, President of Corsica, President of the CPMR Islands Commission

#### **10.10-10.20 Keynote Speech**

- Corina CRETU, Commissioner for Regional Policy

#### **10.20-11.20 Round Table on post 2020**

**Moderation and scene setting** by Mr Nicolas BROOKES, Director for Cohesion Policy, CPMR

- Mr Andrey NOVAKOV, MEP
- Ms Michela GIUFFRIDA, MEP, Vice-Chair of the Intergroup in charge of Social Issues
- Ms Tajana HUZAK, Assistant Minister of Regional Development and EU Funds of Republic of Croatia
- Ms Marie-Antoinette MAUPERTUIS, Member of the Committee of the Regions
- Mr Stefano MALLIA, Member of the European Economic and Social Committee

**11.20-12.00 Reaction and comments by MEPs: Miltiadis KYRKOS, Alfred SANT, Renato SORU, Ricardo SERRAO SANTOS, Demetris PAPADAKIS**

**Conclusion** by Mr Tonino PICULA