

EWRC workshop agenda

Regional and intermediate policy makers, drivers for maritime cooperation

10 October 2017, from 14.30 to 17.00
Regione Puglia offices, 62 rue du Trône, B-1050 Bruxelles

14.30-14.40 **Welcome by moderator**

- **Mr Kaarel Kose**, policy advisor, Planning and Development department, Harju County Government / PASSAGE partnership

14.40-14.50 **PASSAGE project presentation**

- **Mrs Carolyn McKenzie**, Head of Sustainable Business and Communities, Kent County Council / PASSAGE partnership

14.50-15.25 **Cross-border cooperation on maritime borders, what benefits for inhabitants?**

25 minutes:

Short introduction and questions to the panellists by moderator:

- **Mr Kaarel Kose**, policy advisor, Planning and Development department, Harju County Government / PASSAGE partnership

Panellists:

- **Mrs Carolyn McKenzie**, Head of Sustainable Business and Communities, Kent County Council / PASSAGE partnership
- **Mrs Lena Andersson Pench**, Director, Directorate General for Regional and Urban Policy – European Commission
- **Dr. Philipp Schwartz**, Interact "Knowledge of the seas network"
- **Mrs Åsa Bjering**, Executive secretary of Baltic Sea Commission, Conference of Peripheral Maritime Regions (CPMR)
- **Mrs Alexandra Lafont**, Transfrontier Operational Mission (MOT)

10 minutes:

Debate: the moderator opens the debate with the floor, taking questions and comments from the audience and inviting speakers to answer.

15.25-16.00 **Interreg programmes, the Holy Grail of cross-border cooperation in maritime border regions?**

25 minutes:

Short introduction and questions to the panellists by moderator

10 minutes:

Debate: the moderator opens the debate with the floor, taking questions and comments from the audience and inviting speakers to answer.

16.00-16.55 **Post-2020: what future for cooperation in maritime border regions?**

40 minutes:

Short introduction and questions to the panellists by moderator

15 minutes:

Debate: the moderator opens the debate with the floor, taking questions and comments from the audience and inviting speakers to answer.

16.45-16.55 **Wrap-up question to the speakers**

16.55-17.00 **Concluding remarks**