

Capitalisation Network for

Institutional Capacity



19/20 March 2018

Kick-off event of the Interreg capitalisation network for Better Governance and Institutional development across borders (TO11) Holiday Inn Paris-Porte de Clichy, 2 rue du 8 mai 1945, 92110 Clichy Paris, France





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Outlines

The Interact Programme has established capitalisation networks dealing with some of the thematic objectives 5 (climate change), 7 (transport), 8-9-10 (inclusive growth), and 11 **institutional capacity (TO11).** Interreg programmes are a major contribution to the institutional development both in quantitative terms and qualitative terms. They invest into projects that support capacity building. Moreover, cooperation activities and initiatives also support the sustained exchange of experience across borders and thereby the institutional development in a multi-level governance framework. In this respect, it should also be borne in mind that institutional development is a cross-cutting theme and at the same time, institutional capacity can be seen as a pre-condition for project and programme implementation in Regional Policy.

The Interact Capitalisation Plan proposes the following activities for the capitalisation networks:

- Analysing past and current Interreg results in order to gain insight and improve project practices.
- Contributing to the shaping of future action and strategies at project, programme and at policy levels.
- Promoting the re-use and/or transfer of this knowledge and these results, in order to support performance and delivery, future policies and programmes' developments.
- Making programmes' and projects' achievements more visible, through a broader view (not only limited to priorities).
- Provide feedback to EU policy makers on how EU support makes a difference in the field and to identify ways to target such support in a better way.

Objectives

The meeting intends to take stock of programme activities that were undertaken under the thematic objective 11 "enhancing institutional capacity of public authorities and stakeholders and efficient public administration" in Interreg and other cooperation activities, such as Macro-regional strategies. The meeting aims at establishing an exchange of experience across cooperation programmes (and others) and their management authorities with regard to the topic mentioned above and thereby lead to a discourse on how cooperation programmes can contribute to capacity development. It also intends to develop the thematic knowledge of participants via the exchange with academia, policy makers, and mainstream policies. In the course of the network's development, the thematic objective will be broken down into sub-topics in order to enable in-depth discussion.



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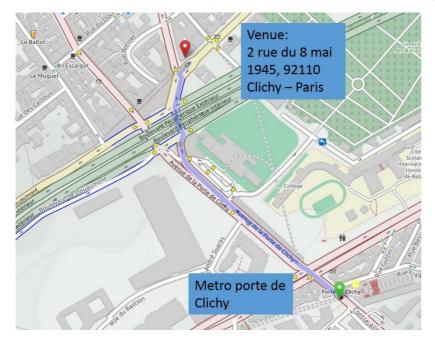
Day one	Monday, 19 March 2018
12.00-13.00	Registration and Welcome Lunch
13.30-14.15	Welcome and tour de table
14.15-14.30	Introduction and objectives of the meeting
	Jörg Mirtl, Interact Programme
14.30-15.30	Group work: Project presentations & discussion (Interreg)
15.30-16.00	Coffee break
16.00-16.20	Presentation of the b-solutions project
	Max Maurenbrecher, European Association for Border Regions
16.20-16.40	Activities of Urbact in the fields of capacity building and capitalisation
	Clémentine Gravier, Urbact Programme
16.40-17.00	Cross-border multi-level governance – point of view of the Mission Operationelle Transfrontalière (MOT)
	Alexandra Lafont, MOT
17.00-17.30	Introduction to the macro-regional perspective
	Claudia Singer, EU Strategy for the Danube Region
	Staša Mesec, EU Strategy for the Adriatic and Ionian Region (tbc)
Day two	Tuesday, 20 March 2018
09.00-09.30	Presentations and Discussion of the Observatory for Public Sector Innovation (OPSI)
	Kevin Richman, OECD
9.30-10.00	Capacity Building across borders - presentation of the ESF PAG platform and options for more transnational cooperation
	Vladimir Kvaca, AEIDL
10.00-10.40	Communication aspects of Interreg projects related to TO11
	Ulf Wikström, Interact Programme
10.40-11.00	Coffee break
11.00-12.00	Discussion of next steps and operational issues
12.00-12.30	Conclusion of the meeting
12.30	Goodbye lunch



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Venue

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HOW TO FIND US

exit Porte de Clichy



Metro line 13 - Porte de Clichy or Mairie de Clichy stations. RER line C - Porte de Clichy station

Easy access from the Paris ring road,

- Bus routes 54, 74, 138 (Victor Hugo or 8 Mai 1945 stops)
- Gare du Nord (bus route 54) Gare Saint-Lazare (Metro line 13) Gare Montparnasse (Metro line 13)
- Roissy CGD 35 min. by taxi 24 km Orly – 25 min. by taxi – 26 km

OTHER DESTINATIONS

- Stade de France: 10 min. by taxi 5.5 km Palais des Congrès: 9 min. by taxi – 4.9 km
- Villepinte: 22 min. by taxi 25.1 km Champs Elysées: 15 min. by metro