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The Future of Cohesion Policy

Greens/EFA priorities

Registration for this event is now closed.

Simultaneous interpretation will be available in German, English, French and Lithuanian

09:00 - 09:30

Registration of the participants

09:30 - 10:00

Welcome and keynote speech

- *09:30 - 09:45* - Opening remarks by **MEP Monika VANA**, Greens/EFA coordinator for regional affairs
- *09:45 - 10:00* - Keynote address by **Nicola Francesco DOTTI**, Researcher in Regional Economics and Policy Studies

10:00 - 11:15

Panel 1: A Cohesion policy that works for citizens & local communities

Chairs: **MEP Monika VANA** & **MEP Bronis ROPÉ**

- **Giedrius SURPLYS**, Lithuanian vice-minister of interior
- **Daniela URSCHITZ**, Expert from the EU-Strategy for the Danube Region

Q&A session

11:15 - 12:45

Panel 2: Local development & the circular economy

Chairs: **MEP Davor SKRLEC** & **MEP Terry REINTKE**

- **Slaven DOBROVIC**, Croatian MP and former minister of environment and energy
- **Börje WICHERT**, Director Regional Business Development Wirtschaftsförderung Metropole Ruhr

Q&A session

12:45 - 13:00

Concluding remarks

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