

OPEN GOVERNMENT & SMART COMMUNITIES

International Conference

Schio (Vicenza), Italy, 26th May 2022

14:30 Registration

Welcome and registration of participants

15:00 Greetings and opening

- ⇒ **Valter Orsi**, Mayor of Schio (IT)
- ⇒ *Representative of Veneto Region (IT) TBC*
- ⇒ **Laura Locci**, CEO Pasubio Tecnologia
- ⇒ **Alessandro Perelli**, Vice President ALDA, The European Association for Local Democracy

15:30 Panel 1: European Challenges and Tools

- ⇒ **Assya Kavrakova**, Executive Director of ECAS (European Citizen Action Service)
Digital democracy as a tool to engage citizens in Europe? The recommendations of the Conference on the Future of Europe
- ⇒ *Representative of Region Veneto "Digital Agenda" TBC*
The "Innovation Lab and Digital Training Centres" Program
- ⇒ *Representative of DG Connect, European Commission TBC*
The new "Digital Program" of the European Commission
- ⇒ Free interventions from participants, questions & answers
- Moderator: Elisabetta Uroni**, Head of Communication Dept. ALDA- European Association for Local Democracy

16:30 Panel 2: Digital experiences from the ground

- ⇒ **Carmine Pacente**, President of the Commission "EU funds and Recovery Plan" of the Municipality of Milan (IT), Member of the Committee of the Region COTER Commission
Localising EU strategies for Smart Communities. The experience of Milan.
- ⇒ *Representative of East-West Management Institute (Albania)*
New technological tool in the field of decision-making process
- ⇒ *Representative of Goteo & Platoniq (Spain)*
Decidim: the experiences of Spanish cities
- ⇒ Another experience from EU participants TBC
- ⇒ Free interventions from participants, questions & answers
- Moderator: Marco Boaria**, CEO ALDA+ and Director Program and development ALDA

17:15 Conclusions

- ⇒ **Paolo Gurisatti**, University of Ca' Foscari in Venice, Director Fondazione Palazzo Festari IPA Alto Vicentino

