# **Together for EU Tourism stakeholders meeting**

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# The Ile-de-France Region's pledge

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# **The Ile-de-France Region**

### 2019 : 50 millions visitors and 511,000 jobs

# Regional tourism strategy 2022 - 2028

4 main key drivers safety, quality, accessibility and innovation

#### 4 strategic axes structure this new strategy

1-Supporting the recovery and transformation of the regional tourisme economy

2-Strengthening and expanding the positioning of the destination: regaining a dynamic and ambitious balance between IIe-de-France, French, European and distant customers

**3-Binding the destination to climate change adaptation** 

4-Taking advantage of hosting major international sporting events



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# TOPICS

#### **REGULATION AND PUBLIC GOVERNANCE**

Topic 2: Regulatory support for multimodal travelling Topic 3: Improving statistics and indicators for tourism Topic 4: Comprehensive tourism strategies development or update Topic 5: Collaborative governance of tourism destinations

#### **GREEN AND DIGITAL TRANSITION**

Topic 6: Sustainable mobility Topic 7: Circularity of tourism services Topic 9: Data-driven tourism services Topic 12: Research and innovation projects and pilots on circular and climate friendly tourism Topic 15: R&I for digital tools and services in tourism Topic 16: Support for digitalisation of tourism SMEs and destinations

#### RESILIENCE

Topic 20: Awareness raising on changes in tourism demand and the opportunities of twin transition for tourism Topic 21: Educational organisations to engage in developing and renewing tourism education Topic 22: Pact for skills in tourism Topic 25: Enhancing accessible tourism services Topic 26: Tourism services for visitors and residents alike

#### FUNDING

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Topic 27: Support visibility of funding opportunities for tourism actors



# **Green Transition**

### **Topic 2: Regulatory support for improved multimodal travelling**

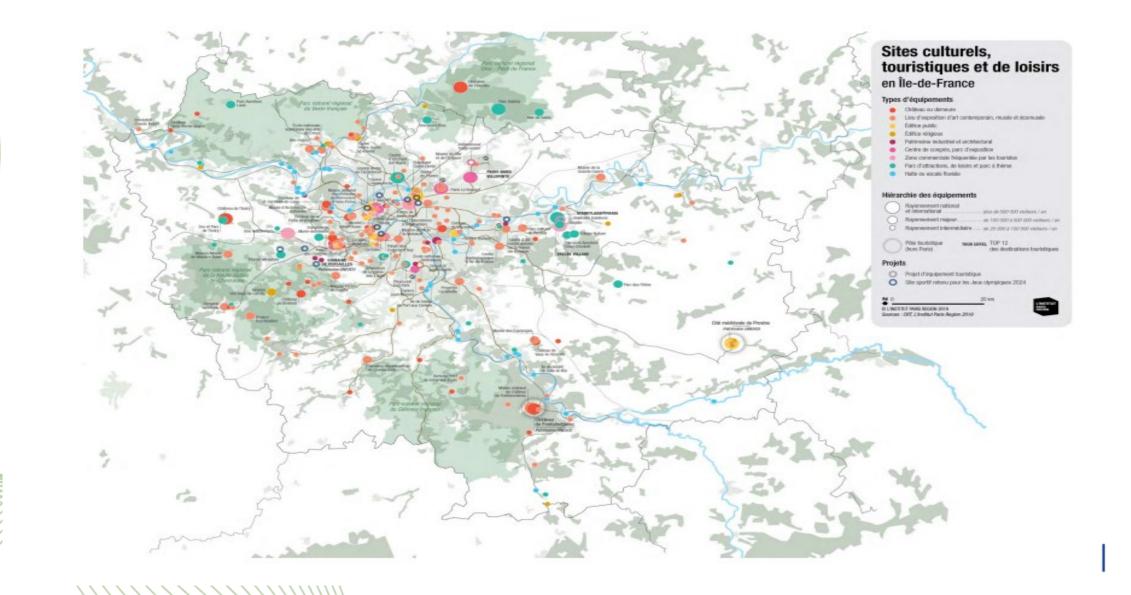
Making tourist sites accessible from railway stations by developing a new mobility offer for residents and visitors

- Strengthening the services offered by the transport operators and public transport information - 2022/2023
- Strengthening actives modes 2022
- Launching call for projects "Last mile" for territories 2024
- 400 M€ between 2018 and 2024 to improve the reliability and accessibility of passenger information
- Accessibility of the transport network : 268 accessible railway stations by 2024
- Developing transports projects : **Grand Paris express** : 200km of automated metro lines 72 new stations €32b invested by **2030**
- → Facilitate access to the touristic sites by sustainable modes of transport 2022-2028





### Localisation of the cultural, touristic and leisure sites



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# Green Transition Topic 6 : Sustainable mobility

#### Strategy for developing the leisure cycling offer:

- RER V : 800 km regional cycling infrastructure –
  14 cycle 300 M€ 2030
- 7 national and European cycling routes 2022-2023
  + New services for cyclists at or near the main railways' stations and tourist sites 2022-2023





# Hiking





## **Digital Transition**

**Topic 9: Data-driven tourism services** 

The approach Île-de-France Smart Services !



#### Innovative digital facilities and services



# Ambition to become the 1st Smart Region of Europe

- The <u>Île-de-France Smart Services data platform</u>, launched in October 2019, regularly offers new useful digital services, including a participatory map of all the cycling paths and services available in the Ile-de-France region
- "<u>My nature in Ile-de-France</u>" page offering walks and nature activities throughout the region, how protect biodiversity as well as information on local producers and restaurants
- Apps developed to help in discovering the region (for example *Bougeott*; *Paris Region Aventures*)

#### Data collection is done on a regular basis



## **Digital Transition**

Topic 16: Support for digitalisation of tourism SMEs and destinations

# Mobilisation to accelerate the digital transition of tourism and encourage the emergence of start-ups and innovative Very Small Enterprises in the region

- The <u>Regional Tourism Fund:</u> support the development of any type of innovation, as long as this innovation adds value to the existing offer: innovation in service, use, protection or health reassurance, etc., and in particular if it allows for a form of tourism that is more respectful of sustainable development requirements.
- <u>The regional Innov'Up scheme</u> will be activated to encourage the emergence and promotion of innovative tourism start-ups.
- Other general or thematic incubators, such as the Welcome City Lab

### → Support mechanisms to rebound from the Covid-19 crisis Tourism budget : 20 M€ in 2022





# Funding

Topic 27: Support visibility of funding opportunities for tourism actors

To accelerate the implementation of the 4 strategic axes of the 2022-2028 regional Tourism and Leisure strategy, the Region will :

- rely on national policies, regional and European programmes
- continue to work with Necstour, to mobilize European funds (ERDF, Erasmus+, Creative Europe or Single Market programs)





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