



Visions and strategies in new reality: adaptive spatial measures for European regions and cities

Today Europe faces significant crisis and is entering uncharted situation – how regions and cities can prepare for that? How spatial approaches can help to react and prepare for unknown, meanwhile, not to hinder long-term sustainability goals and green, just, digital transition? Nowadays more than ever global community needs to work together and find ways out of global crisis. Solidarity and collaboration on immediate adaptations to strategies, actions and patterns taken so far across various governance levels, sectors and borders can help tackling those challenges and uncertainties.

Workshop will demonstrate adaptive spatial planning and territorial cooperation measures that could be taken on board at various governance levels as response to the new geopolitical dynamics, meanwhile ensuring the successful transition towards green, just, more digital and resilient Europe, its regions and cities. Workshop will serve as an inspiration for future cooperation and spatial policies.

Time frame: 13 October 2021; 11:30-13:00 (CET) / 12:30-14.00 (EET)

Workshop agenda:

CEST	Agenda item
11:30	Opening the workshop Opening & welcoming by moderator Jens Kurnol Welcoming by Daniel Meltzian, Chair of VASAB CSPD/BSR
11:40	Thematic insight pitches: <i>ESPON - Inspire Policy Making with Territorial Evidence</i> Wiktor Szydarowski / Director of ESPON EGTC <i>TA2030 Pilot Action "Understanding how sector policies shape spatial (im)balances"</i> Patrycja Artymowska / Polish Ministry of Funds and Regional Policy <i>Interreg BSR Programme 2021-2027</i> Elena Kolosova / Advisor for External Cooperation <i>VASAB Vision 2040</i> Daniel Meltzian / Federal Ministry for Housing, Urban Development and Building <i>French-German cross-border spatial planning simulation</i> Christina Bezes – Feldmeyer / French National Agency for Territorial Cohesion
12:30	Q & A session among participants and presenters
12:55	Wrapping up & closing by moderator
13:00	End of the workshop