



Group of high-level specialists on the future of Cohesion Policy

Agenda – 22 & 23 January 2024

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Topic

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Time

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22 January - 13h30 – 17h30

23 January - 09h30 – 16h30

Place

European Commission building

Conference Centre Albert Borschette – Room 4.D (22 January)

Conference Centre Albert Borschette – Room 0.B (23 January)

Rue Froissart 36, 1040 Etterbeek

Introduction to the meeting

The tenth meeting will focus on the discussion on the final report.

22 January (13h30 – 17h30)

13:00	<i>Arrival & registration</i>	
13:30	Welcome Speech	Themis Christophidou – Director-General DG REGIO
13:40	Introduction of the meeting	Chair: Andrés Rodríguez-Pose – Professor, London School of Economics
13:50	Discussion on the final report I	Chair: Andrés Rodríguez-Pose – Professor, London School of Economics
15:15	<i>Coffee Break</i>	
15:30	Discussion on the final report II	Chair: Andrés Rodríguez-Pose
17:15	Concluding remarks	Chair: Andrés Rodríguez-Pose

23 January (09h30 – 16h30)

09:00	<i>Arrival & registration</i>	
09:30	Welcome Speech	Themis Christophidou – Director-General DG REGIO
09:40	Introduction of the meeting	Chair: Andrés Rodríguez-Pose – Professor, London School of Economics
09:50	Discussion on the final report III	Chair: Andrés Rodríguez-Pose – Professor, London School of Economics
11:15	<i>Coffee Break</i>	
11:30	Discussion on the final report IV	Chair: Andrés Rodríguez-Pose
13:00	<i>Lunch break</i>	
14:00	Discussion on the final report and next steps	Chair: Andrés Rodríguez-Pose
16:00	Concluding remarks	Chair: Andrés Rodríguez-Pose

List of Reflection Group Meetings

First meeting	31 January 2023	Developing the European Growth Model
Second meeting	09 March 2023	Enhancing resilience of regions against emerging challenges
Third meeting	27 April 2023	Tailored support / flexibility to support different development needs of regions
Fourth meeting	23 May 2023	Role of place-based policies and development strategies
Fifth meeting	04 July 2023	Reinforcing territorial cooperation and addressing challenges on European integration
Sixth meeting	14 September 2023	Anchoring financial support from the policy in reforms, in the context of European Semester and in synergy with other EU policies
Seventh meeting	10 October 2023	Increasing policy effectiveness through renewed conditionality mechanisms
Eighth meeting	13-14 November 2023	Revisiting the delivery mode/ mechanics taking into account priorities
Ninth meeting	14-15 December 2023	Enhancing the policy capacity to respond to sudden shocks and crises
Tenth meeting	22-23 January 2024	Discussion on the final report