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IV AEBR CROSS-BORDER SCHOOL

LESSONS LEARNED

- CROSS-BORDER SPATIAL PLANNING
- CROSS-BORDER CULTURE
- CROSS-BORDER LABOR MARKET
- CROSS-BORDER REGIONS IN COVID TIMES



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ONLINE CONNECTIONS

Topic: AEBR CB School

Time: Nov 4, 2020 10:00 Amsterdam, Berlin, Rome, Stockholm, Vienna

- 10.00 - Opening Session
- 10.20 - Cross-Border Spatial Planning
- 12.45 - Cross-Border Culture
- 14.20 - Cross-Border Labor Market
- 16.30 - Cross-Border regions in COVID times
- 18.10 - Closing Session

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PROGRAM

09:45–10:00 Registration and Sound Check

10:00–10:20

WELCOMING SPEECHES

ANN-SOFI BACKGREN, *AEBR President*

MARIA HEGNER, *Universität der Großregion*

I SESSION - CROSS-BORDER SPATIAL PLANNING

Moderated by: Sylvain Marbehant, University of Liège, Ana Nikolov, AEBR

10:20–10:35

GENERAL INTRODUCTION TO THE FIELD OF CROSS-BORDER SPATIAL PLANNING AND THE GENERAL ISSUES OF THE FIELD

SYLVAIN MARBEHANT, *University of Liège*

10.35–10.40 Questions and Answers

10.40–11.40

CASE STUDIES ON SPATIAL PLANNING

BUILDING ON THE BORDER: A CASE OF WINTERSWIJK, THE NETHERLANDS

JORIS BENGEOORD, *Mayor of Winterswijk, the Netherlands*

CROSS-BORDER PLANNING ON THE HUNGARIAN-UKRAINIAN BORDER

KITTI DUBNICZKI, *CESCI*

LUXEMBOURG IN TRANSITION & SPATIAL DEVELOPMENT CONCEPT FOR THE GREATER REGION

FREDERICK-CHRISTOPH RICHTERS, *Ministry of Energy and Spatial Planning, Luxembourg*

11.40–11.55 Interactive discussion about obstacles in spatial planning

11:55–12:10

GRASPING PLANNING CULTURES - INTERCULTURAL LEARNING ACROSS BORDERS

BEATE CAESAR, *TU Kaiserslautern*, TOM BECKER, *University of Luxembourg*

12.10–12.25

Ways forward



12.25–12.45 - COFFEE BREAK

II SESSION - CROSS-BORDER CULTURE

Moderated by: Ana Nikolov, AEBR

12:45-13:00

CROSS-BORDER CULTURE

RUDOLF GODESAR, *Head of the AEBR Task Force of Cross-Border Culture*

13:00-13:15

RAISE OF CROSS-BORDER COMMUNITIES

HYNEK BÖHM, *University of Liberec*

13:15-13:30

CROSS-BORDER CULTURE IN CARICATURES

DAVID NEWMAN, *Ben-Gurion University of the Negev*

13:30-13:45

CROSS-BORDER CULTURE AS A MOTIVATION TO GET THROUGH COVID RESTRICTIONS

LEONIDAS SKERLETOPOULOS, *Special Advisor, Evros Chamber of Commerce*

13.45–14.00 Interactive discussion

14.00–14.20 - COFFEE BREAK

III SESSION - CROSS-BORDER LABOR MARKET

Moderated by: Annika Jaansoo, AEBR

14:20-14:35

CROSS-BORDER LABOR MARKET

PETER HANSEN, *Head of the Task Force Cross-Border Labor Market*

14:35-14:50

CHALLENGES AND MOTIVATIONS IN WORKING ACROSS BORDERS

LEYRE AZCONA, *EGTC NAEN* and ANNICK ALLARD, *CESER*

14.50–15.25

GOOD PRACTICES

INTERREGIONAL LABOR MARKET OBSERVATORY OF THE GREATER REGION

MARIE FEUNTEUN-SCHMIDT, *IBA-OIE*

INFORMATION POINTS FOR CROSS-BORDER WORKERS

SONJA ADAMSKY, *Grensinfopunt EUREGIO*

CROSS-BORDER LABOR MARKET IN BOTHNIAN ARC AREA

HEIKKI AALTO, *Bothnian Arc*

15:25-15:40

**HOW TO STRENGTHEN LABOR MARKETS IN BORDER REGIONS BY
CB VOCATIONAL TRAINING: EXPERIENCES FROM THE GREATER REGION**

PETER DÖRRENBÄCHER, *Saarland University*

15:40-16:10 Lessons Learnt - Cross-Border Labor Markets and Labor Regions

16.10-16.30 - COFFEE BREAK

IV SESSION - CROSS-BORDER REGIONS IN COVID TIMES

Moderated by: Annika Jaansoo, AEBR

16:30-16:50

BORDERS IN GLOBALISATION

EMMANUEL BRUNET-JAILLY, *University of Victoria*

16:50-17:05

**ESPON STUDY ON THE GEOGRAPHY OF COVID-19 OUTBREAK AND FIRST
POLICY ANSWERS IN EUROPEAN REGIONS AND CITIES**

SEBASTIEN BOURDIN, *EM NORMANDIE & ESPON*

17:05-17:50

CASE STUDIES

KEEPING DE-NL BORDER OPEN THROUGHOUT THE FIRST WAVE OF COVID

MARTIN VAN DER VELDE, *Radboud University*

CBC DURING COVID ON FINNISH-RUSSIAN BORDER: CASE OF NORTH KARELIA

TIMO LEINONEN, *Manager, North Karelia*

GOOD PRACTICES ON GERMAN-FRENCH BORDER DURING COVID TIMES

FRÉDÉRIC SIEBENHAAR, *PAMINA*

THE SWEDISH-NORWEGIAN BORDER DURING THE FIRST WAVE OF CORONA

ERIK HAGEN, *Innlandet County*

BULGARIAN BORDERS DURING THE COVID TIMES

KOSYO STOYCHEV, *Sofia University*

17:50-18:10 Discussion on Cross-border regions in COVID times

18:10-18:20

CONCLUSIONS BY MODERATORS BASED ON THE DISCUSSIONS IN THE BLOCKS

18:20-18:25 What next / to enhance your knowledge
(books to read; Blogs and web-pages to follow)

18:25-18:35

CLOSING WORDS

MARTIN GUILLERMO-RAMIREZ, *AEBR Secretary General*



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