The material that you find in this package is a follow up on the YEP Programme workshops "Cohesion Policy: rebuilding EU solidarity" and "What gender equality means at local level and how to achieve it".

Cohesion Policy Topic – Further readings

European Committee of the Regions

- **Commission for Territorial Cohesion Policy and EU Budget (COTER):** COTER is the CoR Commission responsible for EU budget and MFF, Cohesion Policy Funds, Territorial Development, Economic, Social and Territorial Cohesion, Transport Policy and many other CoR files related to the Cohesion topic.
- **CoR Opinion "The renewal of the Leipzig Charter on Sustainable European Cities", adopted by the CoR Plenary Assembly on 14 October 2020, CoR Rapporteur ESPADAS CEJAS Juan, Member of Seville Municipal Council, Spain.**
- **CoR Opinion "Equivalent standards of living as a joint challenge for all levels of government in Europe", adopted by the CoR Plenary Assembly on 14 October 2020, CoR Rapporteur LANGE Bernd, Head of Görlitz district council, Germany.**
- **CoR Opinion "The REACT-EU package", adopted by the CoR Plenary Assembly on 14 October 2020, CoR Rapporteur STRUK Mieczysław, President of Pomeranian Region, Poland.**
- **Opinion on "Demographic change: proposals on measuring and tackling its negative effects in the EU regions", adopted by the CoR Plenary Assembly on 14 October 2020, CoR Rapporteur János Ádám Karácsony, Member of the Local Government of Tahitótfalu, Hungary.**
- **CoR Study "Territorial Impact Assessment: the State of the Cities and Regions in the COVID-19 crisis".**
- **"The European Grouping of Territorial Cooperation (EGTC)"**: the platform integrates, through the coordination of the European Committee of the Regions, political and technical representatives of all the existing EGTCs.
- **Territorial Impact Assessment (TIAs):** aim to provide the CoR rapporteurs with an analysis of the potential territorial impact of EU legislative proposals.

- **#EuropeansAgainstCovid19:** cities & regions responding to the Covid-19 emergency.

### European Commission

- EU Regional and Urban Development, Regional Policy: *The New Cohesion Policy: EU Budget 2021-2027*.
- EU Regional and Urban Development, Funding: *European Structural and Investments Funds (ESI)*.
- *ESI Funds OPEN DATA*.
- EU Regional and Urban Development: *Financial Support for regional and urban development projects*.
- *What happens in your country?*
- EU Regional and Urban Development: *Cohesion policy action against coronavirus*.
- *The URBAN Development Network*.
- EU Regional and Urban Development: *European Urban Initiative-post 2020*.
- EU Regional and Urban Development: *One Stop Shop for cities and urban development*.
- *FUTURIUM: Urban Agenda for the EU*.
- EU Regional and Urban Development: *Rural development*.
- EU Regional and Urban Development: *Mountains, Islands and Sparsely Populated Areas*.
- *EuroMontana and EC, DI REGIO:* "COHESION POLICY IN MOUNTAIN AREAS: How to increase the contribution from mountains and benefits for mountain territories?"

### European Parliament

- *Regional and Cohesion Policy*.
- *Committee on Regional Development (REGI)*.
- *Committee on Agriculture and Rural Development (AGRI)*.

### Other material:

- UDN webinar series "Six building blocks to sustainable urban development".
- A Handbook to boost your urban strategy.