



## "From local to European"

success stories and main findings from local, cross-border and transnational citizens' dialogues

CoR-Bertelsmann Stiftung outreach event  
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# Agenda

**11:00-11:05 Welcome by the moderators**

**Adrienn Nagy**

CoR

**Christian Huesmann**

Bertelsmann Stiftung

**11:05-11:10 Keynote speech**

**Apostolos Tzitzikostas**

President, CoR

**11:10-11:30 Success stories: Presentation of results from the citizens' dialogues**

- ***French-German regional Citizen Dialogue on the Future of Europe***  
(Bourgogne-Franche-Comté (Europe House) and Rhineland-Palatinate (City of Kaiserslautern))
- ***Cross-Border Citizens Dialogue. European Neighbours talk on Environment, Climate and Regional Development***  
(Region of Western Macedonia: Florina (GR), Amynteo (GR), Kozani (GR), For the Region of Central Macedonia: Thessaloniki (GR), For the Republic of North Macedonia: Valandovo (NMK), Skopje (NMK))
- ***Six Regions' Dialogue on cross border-cooperation***  
(Region Grand Est, Baden-Württemberg, Saxony, Lower Silesia, Karlovy Vary, Usti)
- ***The future of rural areas - Citizens' views on the opportunities and challenges***

**Julien Pea**

Director, Maison de l'Europe en Bourgogne-Franche-Comte, Regional Agency, Europe Direct Network

**Konstantinos Filippidis**

President, Association of Active Youths of Florina- Europe Direct of Western Macedonia (GR)

**Daniela Lörch**

civil servant, State Ministry of Baden-Württemberg, department for European policy

[Video from the Citizens' dialogue in Cantabria/Asturias](#)

**11:30-11:45 From local to European. Findings, insights and learnings from 23 citizen's projects**

**Anna Renkamp**

Senior Project Manager, Bertelsmann Stiftung

**Conclusions and next steps**

**Wolfgang Petzold**

Deputy Director, CoR

**11:45-11:55 Q&A**

**11:55-12:30 Interactive panel discussion: What's next after the Conference on the Future of Europe?**

What is the future for citizens' participation in Europe beyond the CoFoE?

**Kata Tüttö**

CoR delegate to the CoFOE, Member of a Local Assembly: General Assembly of Budapest (HU)

**Mark Speich**

CoR delegate to the COFOE, Secretary of State for Federal, European and International Affairs, North Rhine-Westphalia (DE)

**Diana Finkelstain**

CoR YEP (Young Elected Politician), Local Councillor, Iasi Municipality (RO)