Integration of Third Country Nationals through Urban Partnerships - INTEGRA

EU INTEGRA DAY
Sharing Challenges, Creating Solutions for Integration of Third-Country Nationals at Local Level
(Draft agenda)

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Session 1 - Venue: European Committee of the Regions, 101 rue Belliard, JDE 53

9:30 – 10:00 Registration and welcome coffee

10:00 – 10:25 Welcome address
Mr Botyo Botev, Sofia Municipal Councilor, Bulgaria
Mr Laurent Thieule, Director, Directorate for Legislative Works I, CoR
Mr Laurent Aujean, Policy Officer, Legal migration and integration unit of DG HOME

10:25 - 10:40 The INTEGRA story
Ms Sevdalina Voynova, SDA Bulgaria, INTEGRA Project manager

10:40 – 11:20 INTEGRA urban partnership and innovative city-to-city approach
Ms Sabrina Doni, Mayor of Rubano, Italy
Mr Štefan Daňo, Head of Strategic Development Department, Košice, Slovakia
Ms Gordana Stojanović, Welfare Department, Osijek, Croatia
Mr Ondřej Mirovský, City Councilor for Prague 7, Chairman of Prague Committee on integration of foreigners, Czech Republic

11:20 – 11:40 INTEGRA methodologies, resources and creative tools
Mr Rayeiz Rahman, Technical University of Košice
Ms Lenka Czikková, ETP Slovakia
Ms Marina Kisyova de Geus, RiskMonitor, Bulgaria

11:40 – 12:15  How can EU cities prepare better for the future: INTEGRA policy recommendations
Mr Luboš Kožíšek, Integration Center Prague
Ms Goranka Lalić Novak, Ph.D., Faculty of Law, Zagreb University, Croatia
Ms Barbora Chrzová, Policy Officer, Consortium of Migrants Assisting Organizations in the Czech Republic
Mr Svetoslav Nikolov, bTV Radio, Bulgaria

12:15 – 12:25  Q&A

12:25 - 12:30  Wrap up and closing

12:30 – 13:30  Light lunch at the Atrium 5

Session 2 - Venue: Permanent Representation of the Republic of Croatia to the EU Avenue des Arts / Kunstlaan 50 B-1000

14:00 – 15:00  INTEGRA online and offline resources demonstration