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EUROPE2020 STRATEGY FOR SMART, SUSTAINABLE AND INCLUSIVE REGIONS



Seminari d'Internazionalizzazione
della Mediterranea

Key findings and policy recommendations from the **Espon SIESTA Project**

The Europe 2020 Strategy is Europe's blueprint for a smart, sustainable and inclusive future, providing a ten year roadmap for growth and jobs. EU2020 was designed as a European exit strategy from the global economic and financial crisis in view of new European economic governance. The Europe 2020 Strategy must be implemented in partnership with European local and regional authorities as the main actors who can reduce the 'delivery' gap. The new Cohesion Policy and Structural Funds Regulations are geared towards achieving the EU2020 headline goals and EU socio-economic and territorial cohesion.

The purpose of this seminar, organized by the University Mediterranea of Reggio Calabria, is to introduce the Espon Siesta Project "Spatial Indicators for a Europe 2020 Strategy Territorial Analysis" focused on the territorial dimension of the EU2020 strategy to the academic community, key stakeholders and local and regional authorities and consult them upon the implementation of EU2020S in Calabria.

The main goals of the event are as follows:

- a) Emphasizing priorities and needs of the Calabria Region in the context of the EU2020 strategy;
- b) Gathering ideas and input for building innovative transnational cooperative actions for regional support;
- c) Emphasizing the importance and the role of the Espon SIESTA Project and its consortium in supporting the Calabria Region in the delivery of its 2020 vision;
- d) Stressing the key role of international research networks in helping policy makers conceiving new strategies within the context of the new Structural Funds programming period.

The seminar will involve academic community members, stakeholders and regional and local authorities in order to discuss the strategic potential of Europe 2020 for regions and cities both from the Siesta Consortium's and from the researchers and regional authority's point of view.



PROGRAM

9.30
REGISTRATION

10:00 – 10:30
OPENING SESSION

10:30 – 12:00
SESSION 1
Espon network and SIESTA Project as a driving forces for local and regional authorities towards the future EU cohesion policy

12:00
COFFEE BREAK

12:15 – 14:00
SESSION 2
Round Table: Calabria Region in the context of Europe 2020

14:00
ATTENDANCE CERTIFICATE DELIVERY

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