

# EIT RIS @10 – EIT Community in the Outermost Regions

5 March 2024

## The Alfredo Kraus Auditorium

(Sala de Cámara Plenary Meeting Room)

Avda. Principe de Asturias s/n 35010, Las Palmas de Gran Canaria

The event is open to public. It is organised in a hybrid mode.

Language of the event: English (with online translations to Spanish, French and Portuguese)

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| 09:00 – 09:30 | Registration and Welcome Coffee                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |
| 09:30 – 09:50 | <b>Welcome speech by the Management Board Representative of</b><br><b>Ilaria Tagliavini</b> , Head of Operations, European Institute of<br>Innovation and Technology (EIT) (TBC)<br><b>Isabel Carvalhais</b> , the Member of the European Parliament, Group<br>of the Progressive Alliance of Socialists and Democrats, Portugal<br>(TBC)                                                        |
| 09:50 – 10:00 | <b>Welcome words</b><br><b>Gustavo González de Vega</b> - Vice-Minister of Economy and<br>Internationalization of the Canary Islands                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |
| 10:00 – 10:30 | <b>EIT Strategy for the EU Outermost Regions</b><br>A presentation of <b>Luke Incorvaja</b> , Innovation Officer, European<br>Institute of Innovation and Technology (EIT)<br><br>The presentation will be complemented by the intervention of the<br>leader of the project FORWARD- Dr. <b>Fco. Javier Roo Filgueira</b> ,<br>Canarian Agency for Research, Innovation and Information Society. |
| 10:30 – 11:00 | <b>Towards a stronger partnership with the EU Outermost Regions</b><br>A panel discussion with the participation of representatives of the<br>Outermost Regions including:                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |

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|               | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>o <b>Javier Franco</b>- Director of ACIISI (Canarian Agency for Research, Innovation and Information Society)</li> <li>o <b>Khalid Addi</b>- Professor University of Reunion Island</li> <li>o <b>Elsa Maria dos Santos Fernandes</b>- Vice Rector Universidade da Madeira</li> <li>o <b>President Ms. Huguette Bello</b>- President of the Conference of Presidents of the Outermost regions- CPRUP- (and President of Reunion Region)</li> </ul> <p>Moderator: Adi Barel, EIT Global Outreach</p> |
| 11:00 – 11:30 | <p><b>EIT Community: how to design innovative ecosystems of the future?- EIT KICs perspectives and its flagship programmes</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>o Elvira Domingo, EIT Food;</li> <li>o Mónica Tóth, EIT Health;</li> <li>o Adi Barel, EIT Global Outreach</li> </ul> <p>Moderator: Mikko Korhonen (Raw Materials)</p>                                                                                                                                                                                            |
| 11:30 – 11:45 | <b>Networking coffee break</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |
| 11:45 – 12:00 | <p><b>My Journey with the EIT Community in the Outermost Regions</b><br/><b>Abdelkader Krimi</b>, Co-Founder of the DeepWaves, EIT Jumpstarter Alumni 2023 (tbc)</p>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |
| 12:00 – 12:30 | <p><b>EIT Community: European journey from early-stage start-ups to scale-ups- EIT KICs perspectives and its flagship programmes</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>o Tuan Trinh, EIT Digital;</li> <li>o Patricia Karrer, EIT Manufacturing;</li> <li>o Piotr Pawelec, EIT InnoEnergy;</li> <li>o Piotr Boulange, EIT Jumpstarter</li> </ul> <p>Moderator: Maayan Sharon, EIT Global Outreach</p>                                                                                                                             |
| 12:30 – 13:00 | <p><b>EIT Community: future skills for Europe- EIT KICs perspectives and its flagship programmes</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>o Nasko Vangelov, EIT Climate-KIC (Online);</li> <li>o Tina Benda, EIT RawMaterials;</li> <li>o Bernd Fesel, EIT Culture &amp; Creativity (tbc);</li> </ul>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |

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|               | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>o Bence Huba, EIT Urban Mobility;</li> </ul> <p>Moderator: Maayan Sharon, EIT Global Outreach</p>                              |
| 13:00 – 13:15 | <p><b>How can the Outermost Regions benefit from the COST Actions?</b></p> <p><b>Katalin Aföldi</b>, COST European Cooperation in Science and Technology (Online)</p> |
| 13:15 – 13:30 | <p><b>Key conclusions</b></p> <p><b>Paula Duarte Gaspar</b>, Head of Unit (Outermost Regions), DG REGIO, European Commission (TBC)</p>                                |
| 13:30 – 14:30 | <p><b>Networking lunch</b></p>                                                                                                                                        |