Conference

Promoting development cooperation policies to citizens

A major challenge for local authorities and civil society organisations

European perspectives

Bordeaux 5 July 2017

Hôtel de Région

8.30 Registration and welcome coffee

9.00 Opening of the Conference

- Isabelle BOUDINEAU Vice-President in charge of Europe and International affairs Nouvelle-Aquitaine Region
- Jocelyne BOUGEARD Deputy-Mayor of Rennes, Chair of the Committee « Europe and Development cooperation of the AFCCRE
- Frédéric VALLIER Secretary-General of the Council of European Municipalities and Regions (CEMR)
- Representative of the European Commission (tbc)

9.45 Presentation of the outcomes of the Conference of Orleans

 Tony BEN LAHOUCINE – President of the Multi-stakeholders network Centraider (Centre-Val de Loire Region)

10.00 Roundtable - Perspectives

What is the peculiarity and what is at stake for local authorities when they are communicating on development cooperation policies?

- Michel VERNEJOUL Metropolitan Councillor in charge of International relations and decentralised cooperation – Bordeaux Metropole (tbc)
- Andreas WOLTER Deputy-mayor of Cologne
- Maria Angles ELORZA Secretary-General in charge of External actions Euskadi/Basque country
- Mireille SELS-CAZAUX Development and communication officer Regional multistakeholders network OC-Cooperation

Discussion with the audience











Which tools and which solutions can be efficiently implemented on the ground?

- Carla REY Secretary General of the Italian Association of the CEMR (AICCRE)
- Jean-Marc DUTRETEAU Director of the Association Cool'eurs du Monde
- Mathieu CHAVENEAU Director of KuriOz, representing the EducaSol network
- Representative of the Regional Multi-stakeholders network SO-Cooperation
- Representative of the City of Sint-Niklaas, member of the Flemish Local authorities association (VVSG) (tbc)

Discussion with the audience

12.30 Conclusive remarks

Isabelle BOUDINEAU - Vice-President in charge of Europe and International affairs — Nouvelle-Aquitaine Region

Representative of PLATFORMA

13.00 Luncheon cocktail

The French Association of the Council of European Municipalities and Regions (AFCCRE) has decided to organize conference with a European dimension aiming at exchanging and collecting experiences and practices of people working on the ground for local authorities and for associations in Development Education-Awareness Raising programmes. This Conference is a partnership with the Nouvelle-Aquitaine Region, the Delegation to the External action of local authorities of the French Ministry of Europe and Foreign affairs, the Regional multi-stakeholders network SO-Cooperation, in the framework of the strategic partnership with Platforma.

It is the follow-up of the AFCCRE-PLATFORMA initiative launched in 2015 with the support of the Centre-Val de Loire Region. The collection of these experiences and actions will allow the publication of an evolutive toolkit facilitating the spreading of innovative and efficient ideas to the interested public.









