

DG Regio Policy Session

16:00-18:00 Tuesday, 9 April 2024

Auditorium

Cohesion Policy's contribution for solving legal obstacles in Cross-Border regions



Chair:

Prof. Hans Westlund

KTH Royal Institute of Technology, Sweden, RSAI President

What can be done to overcome border obstacle:



The role of Cohesion Policy in solving border obstacles, and the future of Cohesion

Dr. Slawomir Tokarski

Director, DG REGIO, European Commission

Importance of addressing border obstacles:



Economic impacts of border obstacles, including Covid impacts as illustration of the exposure of border regions to obstacles

Prof. Roberta Capello

Politecnico de Milano, Italy

What is being done:



The b-solutions initiative, a mapping of cross-border obstacles in the EU

Dr. Ricardo Ferreira

Border Focal Point coordinator, DG REGIO, European Commission

What else should be done:



A new EU Regulation to Facilitate Cross-Border Solutions

Dr. Philippe Voiry

French Ambassador for Intergovernmental Commissions, Cooperation and Border Issues
