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# YouthMetre

Final Conference

**“Structured Dialogue: the use of digital tools to foster youth engagement in policy-making”**

24th April 2018  
Committee of the Regions // Brussels, Belgium

AGENDA

**Morning Session**

11.00 – 11.30 **Registration of participants**  
11.30 – 12.00 **Welcome speeches**

- Mr Csaba BORBOLY, Member of the SEDEC Commission and the CoR's rapporteur on European cooperation in the youth field
- Ms Antonella VALMORBIDA, Secretary General, ALDA-European Association for Local Democracy
- Mr Karl DONERT, Project Coordinator YouthMetre

12.00 – 12.40 **Panel discussion: The Perspectives of the Institutional Stakeholders.**  
*Considerations over “forward-looking tools” for youth empowerment and current developments and challenges on youth active participation in democratic life. Structured dialogue – the link with forward –looking projects.*

Moderator: Mr Karl DONERT, Project Coordinator YouthMetre

Speakers:

- Mrs Florencia VAN HOUT, Head of Unit, DG EAC, European Commission (TBC)
- Mr Wout VAN CAIMERE, Coordinator of the Youth Intergroup
- Mr Davide CAPECCHI, Research and Youth Policy Officer, Partnership between the European Commission and the Council of Europe in the field of youth
- Ms Stephanie NOWAKOWSKI, Project Officer, BIJ - Bureau International Jeunesse

12.40 – 13.00 **Debate & Remarks/Recommendations** on the development of the youth e-participation and involvement of the policy makers in the process.

13.00 – 14.00 **Networking Lunch**

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## Afternoon Session

14.00 – 15.30 **Panel discussion: the Practitioners Perspective.**  
*Existing practices and successful experiences on the use of e-tools for youth participation at local, national and European level. Future prospectives.*

Moderator: Dr. Rafael DE MIGUEL GONZÁLEZ, University of Zaragoza

### Speakers:

- Mr Alessio LUPI, Secretary General, ARS for Progress of People
- Ms Celine GUEDES, Policy Officer, Foundation for European Progressive Studies
- Mr Valentin DEPOUEY, Secretary General, JEF
- Conseil de la Jeunesse/Youth Council
- Ms Elisa LIRONI, Digital Democracy Manager, DEEP-linking Youth project, European Citizen Action Service (ECAS)
- Mr Evaldas RUPKUS, EUth Project, IJAB - International Youth Service of the Federal Republic of Germany
- Mr Matías NSO, WeAllCountEurope project; CEO&co-founder of [www.kuorum.org](http://www.kuorum.org)
- Mr Daniel VAN LERBERGHE, Dissemination & Communication Partner, #ASK (Augmenting Social talk) CAFEBABEL INTERNATIONAL

15.30 – 16.00 **Debate & Feedback from participants.**  
*How to improve the potentiality of the e-tools to foster youth engagement in EU.*

16.00 – 17.00 **Networking cocktail**

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