







# Sustainable Tourism Community

2nd Community Meeting **Agenda** 



Organised by Community4Tourism Project on behalf of the Sustainable Tourism Mission





























#### **About the Sustainable Tourism Mission**

The Sustainable Tourism Mission of the Interreg Euro-MED Programme focuses on fostering a circular tourism, considering the sustainability of ecosystem services using innovation technologies, and promoting the preservation of natural resources and cultural heritage.

Two governance projects (Community4Tourism & Dialogue4Tourism), together with the rest of Thematic Projects under this Mission, work jointly to develop solutions and promote cooperation in the Euro-MED and beyond, to increase the coordination level and institutional capacity to make the tourism greener, smarter and more resilient.

## **About the Community Meeting**

The Thematic Community Project of the Interreg Euro-MED Programme (Community4Tourism) was launched in January 2023 for a seven-year period. It is a governance project that is part of the Sustainable Tourism Mission of the Euro-MED programme, together with the Institutional Dialogue Project (Dialogue4Tourism).

In April 2024, the **1st Community Meeting** was organised in Rome, where the first 10 projects of the Community were welcomed and integrated in the Mission's activities.

In October 2025, the **2nd Community Meeting** will take place in Tirana during two full days, to welcome to the Mission 10 new Thematic Projects + 2 Strategic Territorial Projects (having a total number of 22 projects), keep working on synergies among the projects and support the project's activities through the key activities from the governance projects that are part of the Sustainable Tourism Mission.

## **Expected participants**

The Sustainable Tourism Community Meeting is a targeted and restricted event (by direct invitation) that will count with the participation of:

- Community4Tourism project partnership
- Dialogue4Tourism project partnership
- Sustainable Tourism Mission Thematic Projects representatives
- Sustainable Tourism Mission Associated Organisations representatives
- Other Euro-MED Missions governance projects representatives
- Interreg Euro-MED Joint Secretariat
- Other external experts & relevant stakeholders

October 1-2 2025 Tirana Albania Sustainable Tourism Community 2nd Community Meeting







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**Venue: University of Tirana's Faculty of Economics** 

## Day 1 1st October 2025

08.30-09.00	Participants registration
09.00-09.30	Institutional Opening Prof. Asoc. Dr. Bernard Dosti, Economic Faculty, University of Tirana, C4T Partner Pascale Fauveau-Lagaye, Interreg Euro-MED Joint Secretariat
	Josep Rodriguez, Barcelona Provincial Council, C4T Lead Partner
09.30-10.30	<b>Update on the activities of the governance projects</b> Georgina Calvo, Barcelona Provincial Council, C4T Lead Partner Júlia Saiz Pardo, El Legado Andalusí FPA, D4T Lead Partner
10.30-11.00	Icebreaker activity Adriana Tramullas, NECSTouR, C4T Partner Samson Bellières, Plan Bleu, C4T Partner
11.00-11.30	Coffee break
11.30-13.30	Thematic Projects Panel discussions Panel 1: Innovation Thematic Projects Panel 2: Circular Economy Thematic Projects Panel 3: Climate Change Adaptation Thematic Projects Panel 4: Nature and Biodiversity Thematic Projects
13.30-15.00	Lunch break
15.00-17.30	Practices Handbook - Capacity Building Workshop PhD. Andrian Vaso, Senior Environmental Consultant







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# Day 2 2nd October 2025

08.30-09.00	Participants registration
09.00-11.15	<ul> <li>MED Clusters Annual Meeting - 4 breakout rooms</li> <li>1) MED Cluster Innovation and Technologies</li> <li>2) MED Cluster Circular Economy</li> <li>3) MED Cluster Climate Change</li> <li>4) MED Cluster Nature and Biodiversity</li> </ul>
11.15-11.45	Coffee break
11.45-13.30	MED Clusters Annual Meeting
13.30-15.00	Lunch break
15.00-17.30	Interreg Euro-MED Academy - updates & co-creation UNIMED - Mediterranean Universities Union, C4T Partner El Legado Andalusí, D4T Lead Partner







## Indications: how to get there & accommodation

To help you plan your participation to the event, here are some practical details regarding transportation and accommodation:

#### **Getting to the Venue:** <u>University of Tirana's Faculty of Economics</u>

Tirana International Airport (Nënë Tereza) is located approx. 17 km from the University of Tirana's Faculty of Economics. Here are the most convenient ways to reach the venue:

**By Taxi:** 20–30 minutes, depending on traffic, Approximately 20–25 EUR, available 24/7 outside the arrivals terminal.

**By Airport Shuttle:** Take the Rinas Express shuttle bus to the city center (cost around 4 eur). From the city center there is a short taxi ride (5–10 min) to the venue.

**Public Transportation:** unfortunately not highly recommended due to its limited reliability and coverage.

#### **Nearby Hotels**

There is a rich variety of accommodation solutions in Tirana. Below is a list of hotels selected primarily for their proximity to the venue of the meeting. Staying within walking distance is strongly recommended, as public transport is not always reliable.

- Rogner Hotel Tirana
- Tirana Marriott
- Mak Hotel Tirana
- Iliria Boutique Hotel
- New W Hotel
- MonarC Boutique Hotel

Please book early to ensure availability. No special rates are arranged, but early booking is advised due to limited capacity.

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