

Hybrid Networking Event «Making local Communities more accessible to persons with disabilities»

in the framework of the Project «European Accessibility Resource Centre – AccessibleEU» Co-organizer: National Confederation of Disabled People (NCDP)

## **TITANIA HOTEL ATHENS**

52, Panepistimiou Avenue - Meeting Room «Apollon-Athina»/Mezzanine Language: Greek/Provision of sign language interpretation and live captioning

# <u>Agenda</u>

# Friday, 4 October 2024

## Coordinator Dimitris Logaras, "AccessibleEU" National Expert & NCDP Policy Officer

- 09:30-10:00 Registrations
- **10:00-10:50** Official opening Welcoming speeches Savvas Chionides General Secretary of Local Government and Decentralization

**Savvas Chionides,** General Secretary of Local Government and Decentralization-Ministry of the Interior

**Maria Lioni**, President of the Social Cohesion and Family Committee of the Association of Greek Regions (ENPE)

**Ioannis Vardakastanis**, President of the National Confederation of Disabled People of Greece (NCDP)

10:50-11:00Presentation of the Project «AccessibleEU»Dimitris Logaras, "AccessibleEU" National Expert

11:00-12:30 1<sup>st</sup> Session: Tools for promoting accessibility at regional and local level

Promotion of accessibility to persons with disabilities at regional and local level: necessity and context

Marily Christofi, Accessibility Expert - NCDP Associate

Regional Programmes of the National Strategic Reference Framework 2021-2027: actions for the improvement of accessibility to persons with disabilities

**Christos Kirkoglou,** Head of the Special Service for the Coordination of Regional Programmes - Ministry of National Economy & Finance

### Urban Accessibility Plans (SAP)

**Kalliopi Papadaki,** Head of the Department of Restoration & Redevelopment of Technical Projects & Buildings and Advisor to the General Secretary of Spatial Planning and Urban Environment - Ministry of Environment and Energy

#### NCDP's Observatory on Disability Issues: regional and local dimension

**Fani Provi**, Scientist Responsible for the Observatory on Disability Issues *Antonia Pa*vli, Senior Researcher of the Observatory on Disability Issues

#### 12:30-13:00 Coffee-break



# 13:00-15:15 <sup>2nd</sup> Session: Municipalities' Actions for removing barriers against persons with disabilities

#### Manicipality of Kifissia

Ioannis Dionisiotis, Deputy Mayor of Infrastructures and Studies

#### Municipality of Alexandroupolis

Ioannis Zampoukis, Mayor

#### **Municipality of Komotini**

**Kimon Lechoudis**, Deputy Mayor of Economic Affairs & President of the Sports Club of Persons with Disabilities "Irodikos"

Dimitrios Gartsonis, Special Advisor to the Mayor

#### **Municipality of Thessaloniki**

Effrosyni Avramidou, Civil Engineering - Transport Expert, Supervisor of the Urban Accessibility Plan

#### **Municipality of Trikala**

Vasilis Tsioutsias, Appointee Advisor on Disability Issues

**Vera Ntakou,** Head of Social Services & Sub-Focal Point for monitoring the implementation of the UN Convention of the Rights of Persons with Disabilities

#### **Municipality of Syros-Ermoupolis**

**Apostolos Maris,** Deputy Head of Social Protection Department –Social Protection, Education and Sports Directorate

#### **Municipality of Rethymnon**

Angelos Malas, Deputy Mayor of Technical Works

#### **Municipality of Chania**

Eleni Zervoudaki, Deputy Mayor of Social Policy

#### 15:15-16:00 Discussion and closing of the event

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