

# 19<sup>th</sup> EUROPEAN WEEK of REGIONS and CITIES



## Europe's present and future: the contribution of young people to cross- border territories

Workshop by the Working Community of the Pyrenees

13 OCTOBER 2021 | 9:30 - 11 AM

We are young! We are Europe's present & future and we have our say. Almost one third of the EU-27 population is under the age of 30. Youngsters face great challenges such as unemployment, climate change or democratic and social challenges. Cross-border cooperation is in the heart of the EU and Young Citizens have interesting proposals to submit.

Join us if you want to learn more about some leading contributions of Youth to address present & future challenges of Europe in cross-border cooperation.

**Register on:** <https://bit.ly/3heCjCL>

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**Jean-Louis VALLS**, director  
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of the Pyrenees  
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Youth Member

# Programme

**9:30**

WELCOME SPEECHES:

*INSTITUTIONAL MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENCY OF THE WORKING  
COMMUNITY OF THE PYRENEES*

**Victòria ALSINA**, Minister of Foreign Action and Open  
Government, Generalitat de Catalunya

*Videomessage*

*EUROPE'S PRESENT AND FUTURE: WHAT IS THE SITUATION AND ROLE OF  
YOUNG PEOPLE IN CROSS-BORDER TERRITORIES?*

**Biliana SIRAKOVA**, EU Youth Coordinator

**10:00**

THREE EUROPEAN INITIATIVES TO ENSURE THE VOICE OF THE  
YOUNG IS HEARD:

- **PYRENEAN YOUTH**, AN ERASMUS+ PROJECT TO FOCUS  
ON YOUNG NECESSITIES AND TO IMPACT PUBLIC POLICY

**Joan JIMÉNEZ**, Pyrenean Youth member

- THE **EUSALP YOUTH COUNCIL**: WHAT IS IT AND HOW  
DOES IT WORK?

**Eva DUŠAK**, EUSALP Youth Council member

- **MOUNTAIN YOUTH**: YOUR VOICE MATTERS! A PAN-  
EUROPEAN SURVEY BY EUROMONTANA

**Marie CLOTTEAU**, director of Euromontana

*Videomessage*

**10:30**

MODERATED ROUNDTABLE: THE ROLE & CONTRIBUTIONS  
OF YOUNG PEOPLE TO CROSS-BORDER TERRITORIES

**Astrid AULNETTE**, coordinator of the 'Manifesto for young people by  
young people to shape the european cooperation policy'

**Joan JIMÉNEZ**, Pyrenean Youth member

**Eva DUŠAK**, EUSALP Youth Council member

Q&A

*\*Speakers marked are to be confirmed*