

# Lead Partner Seminar for 3<sup>rd</sup> CfP Standard Projects

*Grand Hall of the University of Zadar, Obala kralja Petra Krešimira IV/2, 23000 Zadar*  
23rd September 2026

| Time          | Session                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |
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| 9.00 – 9.30   | <b>Registration</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         |
| 9.30 – 10.00  | <b>Institutional Greetings</b><br><br>Representative from University of Zadar<br><i>Mr. Beniamino Brunati</i> - European Commission, DG Regio [on-line]<br><i>Mr. Antonio Verrico</i> - Italian Presidency of the Council of Ministers, Department for Cohesion Policy<br><i>Mr. Perica Gabrić</i> - Croatian National Authority - Ministry of Regional Development and EU Funds, Directorate for European Territorial Cooperation<br><i>Ms. Simonetta Mantovani</i> - Head of Managing Authority [on-line] |
| 10.00 – 10.20 | <b>Introduction and update on contracting phase</b><br><br><i>Mr. Angelo Mason</i> - Head of Joint Secretariat<br><i>Mr. Marcello Chizzolini</i> - Legal Expert                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |
| 10.20 – 10.25 | <b>Preparing for the morning sessions: Interactive session</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |
| 10.25 – 11.10 | <b>Basic rules of project management</b><br><br><i>Ms. Alessia Porcu</i> - Programme Officer<br><i>Ms. Sara Battini</i> - Administrative Officer                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            |
| 11.10 – 11.30 | <b>COFFEE BREAK</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         |
| 11.30 – 12.15 | <b>Basic rules of project financial management and modifications</b><br><br><i>Ms. Božana Bešlić, Mr. Lovro Jurišić, Mr. Marco Popolizio</i> - Financial Unit                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               |
| 12.15 – 13.00 | <b>Basic rules of project communication and capitalisation</b><br><br><i>Ms. Cristina Valentini</i> - Communication Officer<br><i>Ms. Lada Vetrini</i> - Capitalisation and Evaluation Officer                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |
| 13.00 – 14.00 | <b>LUNCH BREAK</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          |
| 14.00 – 15.00 | <b>Interactive workshops on Project, Financial and Communication Management</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |
| 15.00 – 16.00 | <b>Bilateral meetings with JS staff</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |

