



Virtual Western Balkans Research and Innovation Meeting 9 September 2020; 09:30 - 12:00 h

*Participants are kindly requested to follow the **instructions and the netiquette for participation** laid out in the final note below the agenda on p. 2*
The meeting is scheduled between 09:30 – 12:00. However, participants are kindly asked to reserve 30 additional minutes in their agendas until 12:30 for possible longer discussions.

Note for the speakers: please provide written inputs to the meeting as preparation

AGENDA

- 09:30 - 09:35** *Technical instructions*
International Service Facility
- 09:35 - 09:45** **Welcome remarks and introduction**
Ruta Zarnauskaite, Head of Unit 'Horizon Europe Association', EC DG R&I
Begoña Arano, Head of Unit "Innovation and EIT", EC DG EAC
- 09:45 - 10:55** **EIT and KIC's: activities and cooperation opportunities**
EIT cooperation opportunities for the WB6, Marton Herczeg, EIT (5-10 min)
KIC's portfolio and possible joint undertakings with the WB6 (3-5 minutes per KIC)
Q&A, general discussion (25 min)
- 10:55 - 11:00** *Technical Break*
- 11:00 - 11:55** **Synergies and complementarities**
Moderated by Begoña Arano, Head of Unit "Innovation and EIT", EC DG EAC
Feedback from the WB6 (3-5 minutes per WB6)
Linkages and future plans, DG JRC, DG NEAR
Discussion (15 min)
- 11:55 - 12:00** **Concluding remarks and next steps**
Begoña Arano, Head of Unit "Innovation and EIT", EC DG EAC

Instructions and netiquette for the meeting

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