

# AGENDA

## GENERAL MEETING in ALBANIA 2026

### 12-13 MARCH 2026



#### VENUE ADDRESS:

“Aleksandër Moisiu” University of Durrës (UAMD)  
Kampusi i Ri Universitar, Rr. Miqësia, Spitalë, Durrës  
**University Campus, Friendship Street, Spitalë, Durrës 2009, Albania**  
**Faculty of Political and Legal Sciences**

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## Thursday 12 March 2026

	<b>Faculty of Political and Legal Sciences in EU-Lab (Room A108)</b>
8:30-8:50	<b>Welcome And Registration</b> Of Management Committee Members
8:50-9:00	<b>Welcoming address</b> of the Dean of the Faculty of Political Sciences and Law, “Aleksandër Moisiu” University of Durrës; <i>Prof. Assoc. Dr. Linert Lirëza</i>
9:00-11:00	<b>Management Committee Meeting</b>
11:00-11:15	<b>Coffee break and registration</b> of Working Group Members
	<b>Amphitheatre (Room A017)</b>
	<i>hybrid link: <a href="https://meet.google.com/nkb-mwks-tht">https://meet.google.com/nkb-mwks-tht</a></i>
11:15-13:00	<b>Workshop On Past Practices Of Deliberation</b>
11:20-11:45	<b>Welcoming address and Foreword</b> by Action Chair <i>Prof. Dr. Darko Darovec</i>
11:45-11:50	<b>Welcoming address</b> of the Rector of “Aleksandër Moisiu” University of Durrës, <i>Prof. Dr. Shkelqim Fortuzi</i>
11:50-13:00	<b>Structured Round Table Talk with</b> Mr. Gjin Marku, Chairman of Pajtimi, the Committee of Nationwide Reconciliation in Albania moderated by <i>Prof. Asoc. Evis Garunja, Dr. Brikena Dhuli and Dr. Angelika Ergaver</i>
13:00-14:30	<b>Lunch</b>
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>Bar Restaurant Fork Full</i> Address: Rruga Miqësia, Durrës 2000, Albania <a href="https://maps.app.goo.gl/gRLrAeKXEg1nuUit8?g_st=aw">https://maps.app.goo.gl/gRLrAeKXEg1nuUit8?g_st=aw</a></li> <li>• <i>Kompleksi Reli Ristorante</i> Address: Kompleksi Reli, Rruga Miqësia, Durrës 2000, Albania <a href="https://maps.app.goo.gl/4r7LWEismiN8Vdgz9?g_st=am">https://maps.app.goo.gl/4r7LWEismiN8Vdgz9?g_st=am</a></li> </ul>
14:30-16:00	<b>General Meeting and workshop for future project partnerships</b>
16:00-16.15	<b>Coffee Break</b>
16.15-18.00	<b>Parallel Working Group Sessions</b>
	<b>WG1:</b> Conference Room B017
	<b>WG2:</b> Amphitheatre – Room A017
	<b>WG3:</b> EU-Lab Room A108
20:00	<b>Social Dinner</b> at <i>Bar Restaurant Dy Kitarrat – Arome Deti</i> Address: Currila, Durrës, Albania <a href="https://share.google/1XIfv8Dsqs2J5ZiDH">https://share.google/1XIfv8Dsqs2J5ZiDH</a>

## Faculty of Political and Legal Sciences

### Amphitheatre (Room A017)

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- 8:30-9:00 **Welcome and registration of all Action members and Speakers**
- 9:00-9:15 **Introduction and objectives** by HG Scientific Representative dr. Marjan Horvat
- 9:30-11:00 **Workshop 1: Local deliberation, Inclusion, and Representation**  
**Chair:** Prof. Damir Kapidžić  
**Co-Chair:** Dr. Melisa Ross
- Invited speakers:**  
Ms. **Éva Bördős**, *DemNet Hungary*  
Mr. **Nemanja Anđelković**, *Institute for Philosophy and Social Theory of the University of Belgrade, Serbia*  
Ms. **Natalia Militello**, *Congress of Local and Regional Authorities of the Council of Europe*
- 11:00-11.30 **Coffee Break**
- 11:30-13:00 **Workshop 2: Media, polarization, and deliberation under democratic backsliding**  
**Chair:** Prof. Katerina Veljanovska Blazhevska  
**Co-Chair:** Dr. Valentin Yakushik
- Invited speakers:**  
Mr. **Lutfi Dervishi**, *Journalist, Albanian center for quality journalism, Albania*  
Ms. **Bogdana Lazarova**, *Author, Executive Producer, Investigative Journalist, Programme "Traces Remain", Bulgarian National Television, Bulgaria*  
Ms. **Kristina Atovska**, *Journalist, Reporter, Host of "Labyrinth" and Founder of ID Media, North Macedonia*  
Ms. **Sanja Kekic**, *Assistant Director for Client Delivery, Cedars International / President, Women4Cyber Serbia, Serbia*  
Prof. Dr. **Dimitar Vatsov**, *President of the Human and Social Studies Foundation (HSSF), Bulgaria*
- 13:00-14:30 **Lunch**
- 14:30-15:30 **Synthesis and drafting outputs** by Workshop Co-Chairs
- 15:30-15:45 **Coffee Break**
- 15:45-16:30 **Next steps and closing** by HG Scientific Representative dr. Marjan Horvat



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