



PROGRAMME (FOR PUBLIC USE)

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DAY 1 - FRIDAY 25 JUNE 2021

9.00 - 9.15	Welcome by mayors of Palermo and Potsdam & representative of From the Sea to the City consortium
9.15 - 10.30	Public Roundtable of mayors 1: A Different Migration Politics Is Possible: Mayors for a Welcoming Europe! Moderated by Maria Cuffaro, journalist (tg3mondo)
10.45 - 12.00	Public Roundtable of mayors 2: Direct Municipal Reception and the Solidarity of Cities: How can cities play an active role in the reception of refugees? Moderated by Maria Cuffaro, journalist (tg3mondo)
12.30 - 14.00	Press Conference & Interviews Moderated by Constanze Reuscher, journalist
14.00 - 15.00	Lunch break
15.30 - 17.00	Online Panel Another migration politics is already happening: learning from welcoming cities
17.00 - 17.30	Mayors Signing publicly the Statement
17.30 - 19.00	Evening Panel A new way forward: Cities and Civil Society for a Welcoming Europe Moderated by Annalisa Camilli, journalist (Internazionale)
19.00 - 20.00	Reception for mayors and speakers in Palermo

DAY 2 - SATURDAY 26 JUNE 2021

9.30 - 10.30	Video Messages accompanying the announcement from high profile speakers
10.30 - 11.45	Online Panel A new cooperation between cities and civil society organisations
12.00 - 13.15	Online Panel Creating Welcoming Cities with direct EU funding
14.00 - 15.00	Lunch break
14.00 - 15.15	Online Panel Arriving from the sea to the city: for concrete corridors of solidarity
15.30 - 16.45	Online Panel Frontex & EU Complicity in Human Rights Violations in the Central Mediterranean - Cities in support of sea rescue
17.30 - 19.30	Online Panel Building together a welcoming Europe from below: Networking session for activists and CSOs

Online only: Zoom panels with high profile speakers not present in Palermo (mayors, city representatives, experts, EU representatives, civil society)

Physical in Palermo & live streamed online. Conference venue: Loggiato di San Bartolomeo, Via Vittorio Emanuele, 25, 90133 Palermo.