



Single Framework Service Contract for the Provision of and Support to Training (2023CE160AT004)

## Integrity Pacts in Cohesion Policy 2021-2027

**Venue**  
online

**Organised**  
For DG REGIO by EIPA-CPVA

**Dates**  
8-9-10 and 11 April 2024

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# Online Programme

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## MONDAY 8 April 2024

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- 08.45      **Access of the participants to the Zoom online platform**
- 09.00      **Opening of the Seminar: Introduction to the programme, method and objectives**  
*Stefan Appel*, Head of Unit DG REGIO, EC and *Marco Lopriore*, Expert, EIPA
- 09.10      **Step 1 – Integrity Pacts (IPs) initiation, Transparency International**  
*Antonio Greco*, Public contracting specialist, Transparency International Secretariat  
*Irina Lonean*, Project coordinator, researcher, trainer and consultant on anticorruption and public integrity; Transparency International Romania
- Role of IPs in safeguarding EU Funds
  - Procurement project identification and selection
  - Budgeting and financing
  - Identification and selection of the civil society monitor
  - IP project inception
- 10.30      Virtual Coffee Break
- 10.50      **Planning an IP project in the 2021-2027 period**  
*Haralds Beitelis*, Head of Foreign Financial Instruments Department, Latvian Chancellery
- 11.20      **Break-out rooms' interactive session on Integrity Pact initiation**  
*Antonio Greco*, *Irina Lonean*, *Marco Lopriore* and *Lucrezia Tombelli*
- 13.00      End of the day

## TUESDAY 9 April 2024

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- 13.45      **Access of the participants to the Zoom online platform**
- 14.00      **Recap day 1 by EIPA**  
*Marco Lopriore*
- 14.05      **Step 2 – Integrity Pact design and preparation, Transparency International**  
*Antonio Greco & Irina Lonean*, Project coordinator, researcher, trainer and consultant in the field of anticorruption and public integrity; Transparency International Romania
- Type of Integrity Pact documents and core elements
  - Good governance and public integrity pledge
  - Supplier transparency and integrity pledge
  - Civil society monitoring mechanisms
  - Dispute resolution mechanisms, sanctions, and incentives
- 15.30      Virtual coffee break
- 15.50      **IP pilot application in Bulgaria: recap, actions in places and perspectives**  
*Kristina Vasileva*, Expert Bulgarian Procurement Agency Bulgaria

16.30 **Break-out rooms' interactive session on designing Integrity Pacts**  
*Antonio Greco, Irina Lonean, Marco Lopriore and Lucrezia Tombelli*

17.30 End of the day

### **WEDNESDAY 10 April 2024**

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13.45 **Access of the participants to the Zoom online platform**

14.00 **Recap day 2 by EIPA**  
*Marco Lopriore*

14.05 **Step 3 – Key aspects in Integrity Pact execution**  
*Antonio Greco and Irina Lonean*

- Risk management
- Strategic communications
- Monitoring, Evaluation and Learning

15.00 **Operational arrangements from an IP project (Romania) and the selection process of the IP**  
*Cosmin Nedela, Head of irregularities Unit, West Regional Development Agency, Romania*

15.30 Virtual Coffee Break

15.45 **Operational arrangements from an IP project (Portugal)**  
*Karina Carvalho, Executive director of TI Portugal*

16.05 **Break-out rooms' interactive session on Integrity Pact implementation**  
*Antonio Greco, Irina Lonean, Marco Lopriore and Lucrezia Tombelli*

17.30 End of day

### **THURSDAY 11 April 2024**

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13.45 **Access of the participants to the Zoom online platform**

14.00 **Recap day 3 by EIPA**  
*Marco Lopriore*

14.05 **Step 4 – Integrity Pact scaling up**  
*Antonio Greco and Irina Lonean*

- Formal recognition of IPs in legislative, regulatory, and policy framework
- IP incorporation in large-scale collective action initiatives
- Boards or committees for strategic IP application
- Mechanisms of accreditation of civil society monitors
- IP data management systems

15.00 **Operational arrangements from an IP project (Greece)**  
*Dimitris Drosis, Head of the Managing Authority of Regional Operational Program Attica Region (Athens, EL)*

15.30 Virtual Coffee Break

15.45 **Break-out rooms' interactive session on scaling up Integrity Pacts**

*Antonio Greco, Irina Lonean, Marco Lopriore and Lucrezia Tombelli*

17.00 **Presentations of the workshop outcomes by participants and plenary discussion**  
*Antonio Greco, Irina Lonean & Marco Lopriore*

17.30 **End of the online course**