



## GREENER AND HEALTHIER FUTURES EUROPEAN REGIONS OF GASTRONOMY

9 October 2019 | 15.00h - 19.30h | Claridge, Chaussée de Louvain 24B, 1210 Saint-Josse  
Moderator: Dr Diane Dodd, President of IGCAT

### INSIGHTS FROM THE EUROPEAN REGIONS OF GASTRONOMY

- 15.00 OPENING REMARKS  
**Milosz Momot**, Head of Unit, Tourism, Emerging and Creative Industries, DG Grow
- 15.10 LEGACY AND FOOD FUTURES  
Interview with Executives from:
- Catalonia-European Region of gastronomy 2016  
**Ramon Sentmarti**, Executive Director, Prodeca, Catalan Government (tbc)
- Aarhus -Central Denmark Region 2017  
**Jesper Henrik Borg Christensen**, Special Advisor, Business Region Aarhus
- Galway-West of Ireland 2018  
**Jacinta Dalton**, Head, Galway International Hotel School, GMIT
- South Aegean, European Region of Gastronomy 2019  
**Heidi Lazani**, Executive Director, South Aegean 2019
- Sibiu, European Region of Gastronomy 2019  
**Doris Banciu**, Sibiu County Council
- Kuopio 2020  
**Ilona Sares**, Proagria North Savo
- 15.45 LANDSCAPE, WELL-BEING AND CULINARY CULTURES  
Interview with Elected Representatives from:
- Sibiu, European Region of Gastronomy 2019  
**Daniela Cimpean**, President, Sibiu County Council 2019 (tbc)
- South Aegean, European Region of Gastronomy 2019  
**George Hatzimarkos**, Governor of the South Aegean
- Kuopio, European Region of Gastronomy 2020  
**Elsi Katainen**, Member of European Parliament, North Savo (tbc)
- Slovenia 2021  
**Eva Štravs Podlogar**, State Secretary
- 16.10 BUILDING A GLOBAL MOVEMENT  
Making the case for World Regions of Gastronomy and IGCAT proposal to create a fund to support lesser-developed regions – Fund for Local Arts and gastronomy (FLAG)
- Patrick Sam**, Chief Executive, National Arts Council, Namibia  
**Dr. Jutamas Jan Wisansing** Asian Gastronomy Network  
**Iván Pico**, Director of Tourism, Mazatlán
- 17.15 Reflections and concluding remarks  
**Koen Doens**, General-Director of DG DEVCO (tbc)



## EUROPEAN REGION OF GASTRONOMY 2022 PRESENTATION OF BIDS FOR THE TITLE

Opening remarks: Karl Heinz Lambertz, President of the European Committee of the Regions  
Moderator: Dr Edith Szivas, Vice-President IGCAT

### Minorca, European Region of Gastronomy - candidate

- 17.30 Opening words
- 17.35 Focus areas of Minorca's bid and proposed programme for 2022  
Authors
- 17.45 Questions and answers
- 17.50 Final words

*Questions from members of the jury:*

**Ariadna Ribas**, Catalonia 2016

**Antti Iire**, Kuopio 2020

**Janez Bogotaj**, Slovenia 2021

### Trondheim - Trøndelag, European Region of Gastronomy - candidate

- 18.00 Opening words
- 18.05 Focus areas of Trondheim -Trøndelag's bid and proposed programme for 2022  
Author
- 18.15 Questions and answers
- 18.20 Final words

*Questions from members of the jury:*

**Jesper Henrik Borg Christensen**, Aarhus-Central Denmark Region 2017

**Heidi Lazani**, South Aegean 2019

**Ilona Sares**, Proagria, Kuopio 2020

**18.30 Guests are invited to a tasting of local food from Minorca and Trondheim-Trøndelag, prepared by Chefs from the two regions.**  
*Places are limited please register!*