EPSI ANNUAL EVENT 2023

The Azores Chapter

5-7 JUNE 2023

PONTA DELGADA, AZORES

THE ISLAND OF EUROPEAN SPORT INNOVATION

DRAFT AGENDA

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AGENDA

OVERARCHING CONFERENCE THEME: "INNOVATION AS A KEY FACTOR FOR OUTDOOR SPORTS, ACTIVE TOURISM AND SOCIAL INCLUSION"

The overall agenda consists of:

- EPSI Annual Event: 5th, 6th, 7th June 2023

Venue:
Ponta Delgada, Azores
University of the Azores, Ponta Delgada Campus
Portugal
AZOST Time

Day 0 - Sunday, 4th June 2023

Arrival of participants/speakers /guests

Day 1 - Monday, 5th June 2023

8:30 Arrival of participants/ speakers; Accreditation; Registration

9:00 -11:00 EPSI General Assembly [Venue to be finalized]

11:00 - 11:15 Coffee break / Active break

11:15 - 12:00 Official Opening

12:00 – 13.15 Session 1 - Tourism, Outdoor Sports and Social Innovation
Presentation of Azores excellences

13:30 – 14:30 Networking lunch [Venue to be finalized]
EPSI members life practical experiences

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14:30 – 16:00 Session 2 - European Innovative approaches to sport and active lifestyle

Presentation of 3 European Best practices

Approach to 4 contemporary issues in EU sport
Impulse by the Azores context

- Bridging Local, Regional and European
- Sustainability
- Motor Pandemic
- Volunteers in sport capacitation

16:00 – 16.15 Q&A + Coffee break / Active break (preparation of the room)

16:15 – 17:00 Session 3 - World Café - Interactive workshop

Break out in 4 working table / interactive sessions for solution finding addressing the 4 presented issues [Venue to be finalized]

17:00 – 18:00 Presentation and Discussion of Conclusions
Q&A [Venue to be finalized]

18:00 – 20:00 Freshen up and Networking [Hotel]

20:00: Social Dinner

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Day 2 - Tuesday, 6th June 2023

9:00 – 10:00 Session 4 – Funding Opportunities [Venue]

- Presentation of calls [TBD]
- Call for Proposals. [TBD]
- Presentation of EU projects [TBD]

10:00 – 11:00 Session 5 – Project ideas/Pitching Sessions

Moderator: Alberto Bichi, EPSI Executive Director

Q&A

11:00 – 11:15 Coffee Break/Active Break

11:15 – 13:00 Brokerage round tables for new pitched projects + projects to be resubmitted

13:00 - 14:00 Networking Lunch [Venue]

14:00 Azores Experience - Bus Departure (Island Tour) [Venue Hall]

14:00 - 18:00 Azores Experience and Networking Including:
Sport Azores – EPSI Brokerage Event
"One Drink, One Idea" powered by Melo Abreu [Furnas]

18:00 – 20:00: Freshen Up [Hotel]

20:00: Social Dinner [TBD]

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Day 3 - Wednesday, 7th June 2023

08:00 – 09:00 #BEACTIVE Morning run/walk tour
Meeting Point: [Hotel Marina Atlântico]

10:00 – 11:00 Session 6 – EPSI Matchmaking Event
[Venue to be finalized]
Business Angel Presentation – Angel investing in Sports Tech.
Jan Debets
Business Angels Europe

Local Investors
Business Angels and Investors in Azores.

11:00 – 12:00 Session 7 – Pitching Session/Reverse Pitching for Business creation

12:00 - 12:15 Coffee break / Active break

12:15 – 13:30 Session 8 – Matchmaking events through B2Match platform supported by EEN (Enterprise Europe Network)

13:30 - 13:45 Conclusion and Evaluation of the event

13:45 - 14:00 Family Photo

14:00 - 15:30 Farewell Lunch [Venue]

15:30 Departures

THANK YOU!

The agenda of the event is an open document that can be edited out at any given time. All such changes are to be discussed together by EPSI and Sport Azores and communicated to all participants in the conference.