Making sustainability an easy choice for EU citizens

Inter-Institutional Group
“SDGs for well-being and consumers’ protection” Launch event

PROGRAMME OF THE DIGITAL CONFERENCE
16 February 2021, 10:00 – 12:00

Registration link: https://register.gotowebinar.com/register/4555956584314153744

**Moderator:** Brian Maguire, EURACTIV

**10:00 – 10:10 Opening remarks**
- Mariano Votta, Active Citizenship Network Director and Secretary General at ECU

**10:10 – 10:40 Key note speeches**

How to foster a sustainable transition, the Institutional perspective: EU consumer policy in the service of the Sustainable Development Goals and the Agenda 2030
- Liene Balta, policy officer - European Commission - Directorate General for Justice and Consumers, Consumer policy unit
- Roberto Tatò, Italian Ministry of Economic Development - General Directorate Market, Competition, Consumer Protection and Technical provisions. Division IX - European and international policies, European administrative cooperation and recognition of professional qualifications

Implementation of the 2030 Agenda: an overall assessment on citizens participation in sustainable consumption
- Enrico Giovannini, spokesman at ASviS

**10:40 – 11:00 Attending MEP supporters**
- Nikos Androulakis (Greece - S&D)
- Jose Gusmão (Portugal – GUE/NGL)
- Sabrina Pignedoli (Italy – NI)
- Marcos Ros Sempere (Spain - S&D)

**Messages from MEP supporters**
- Tanja Fajon (Slovenia - S&D)*
- Aldo Patriciello (Italy - EPP)
- Giuliano Pisapia (Italy - S&D)
- Patrizia Toia (Italy - S&D)*

**11:00 - 11:50 Roundtable discussion**
- Luca Visentini, General Secretary at European Trade Union Confederation/ETUC-CES
- Alessandro Mostaccio, Member of the European Economic and Social Committee, Secretary General at Movimento Consumatori
- Paolo Patruno, Deputy Secretary General at CLITRAVI (Liaison Centre for the Meat Processing Industry in the European Union)
- Francisco J. Verdera Mari, Acting General Director at CITIZENStandards
- Valeria Palmisano, Head of Institutional Relations with the European Union at Edison
- Laura Esposito, Sustainability Projects Manager at TIM, Telecom Italia Mobile

**11:50 - 12:00 Final remarks**
- Sergio Veroli, ECU President and Vice-President at Federconsumatori

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