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## ***Procurement for Visual Impaired People***

**November 23<sup>rd</sup> 2016, Trieste  
ITALY**



## **Public demand driven innovation to tackle specific public needs: the project PRO4VIP- Innovation procurement for visually impaired people**

[\(http://www.pro4vip.eu/\)](http://www.pro4vip.eu/)

**November 23<sup>rd</sup> 2016 13.30 – 18.30**

**VENUE: Congress Center Stazione Marittima - Oceania Room - 3, Molo Bersaglieri - 34124 TRIESTE IT**

<http://www.triesteterminal.it/stazione-marittima/>

**13:30**      **Arrival and registration of participants**  
**Welcome Coffee**

### **14.00**      **Official Opening**

**Vincenzo Zoccano** – President of the Regional Committee of people with disabilities and member of the board of UCI (Italian Blind Union)

**Loredana Panariti** – Regional Councilor for Employment, Training, Education, Equal Opportunities, Youth Policies, Research and University, Autonomous Region of Friuli Venezia Giulia

**14.15 – 14.30**      *Opportunities, benefits and challenges of being a Reference Site of the European Innovation Partnership on Active and Healthy Ageing: how innovation can help to transform demographic change into an opportunity to create economic growth and jobs in the Silver Economy.*

**Bruno Olivera-Alves** - Policy Advisor, European Commission Directorate General Communications Networks, Content and Technology (DG CONNECT)



**14.30 - 15.45** *PRO4VIP Project: Achievements and forthcoming activities*

Moderator: **Giuliana Vitiello** Associate Professor at the University of Salerno

Panelists

*Achievements of PRO4VIP Project, Vincenzo Alberto Vella* (Agencia de Qualitat i Avaluació Sanitàries de Catalunya - AQUAS)

*What partially-sighted people desire: common needs emerged from the patient's questionnaires and focus groups across Europe, Elena Weber* (Rittmeyer Regional Institute for the blind) **Romain Ferretti, Barbara Krejčí Piry** (European Blind Union EBU low vision network)

*What health care professionals need: PRO4VIP contribution in driving R&D for future solutions in clinical procedures and treatments Marc Biarnés OD MPH PhD*(Macula Foundation Barcelona)

*How PRO4VIP can help in defining the functionalities of new technologies for low vision Jean Patrick Mathieu* (Agencia de Qualitat i Avaluació Sanitàries de Catalunya - AQUAS)

*The state of the art in the low vision domain technologies: main outcomes from the analysis on the technologies and from the open market consultation, Elena Banci* (AREA Science Park)

**15.45 - 16.00** Questions&Answers

**16.00 - 16.30** *Lectio magistralis Modernizing the public sector and boosting economic growth through Innovation Procurement, Sara Bedin*  
Independent expert on PCP and PPI

**16.30 – 17.45** **Round table:** How to support Innovation Procurement at regional and national level

Moderator: **Stephen Taylor** Director of Marketing, Communications and Business Development Area Science Park Trieste

Speakers:

**Hubert Perfler** – President of Rittmeyer Regional Institute for the blind  
Representatives of SMEs

**Mario Pezzetta** - President A.N.C.I. FVG

**Vincenzo Zoccano** – Expert – Primary care Area of the Central Directorate for Health, Social Health integration, Social policies and Family of the Autonomous Regione Friuli Venezia Giulia



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**Stefano Borella** - Procurement Expert Central Directorate for Health, Social Health integration, Social policies and Family of the Autonomous Regione Friuli Venezia Giulia

**Glenda Zanolla** - Responsible for public procurement planning, control and multidisciplinary activities of the Regional Purchasing Body of the Autonomous Regione Friuli Venezia Giulia

**Anna Maria Maniago** – Director at EGAS: Ente per la gestione integrata dei servizi condivisi dell’Azienda Ospedaliero Universitaria di Udine.

## 17.45 Questions&Answers

## 18.00 **Conclusioni**

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## **Working Language: English**

### **Free admittance**

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The registered participants will be provided with a link to enter the web streaming session.

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