

Civic Pulse

Connecting MEPs and EU civil society

Tuesday 19 November 2024, h 18:00 - 20.00 CET
European Parliament, Brussels, Culina Mundi Event Area (SPINELLI Zone E)

Over 100 elected MEPs and political leaders committed to strive for the EU to better recognise, safeguard, support and engage with civil society through signing the [Civil Society for EU campaign pledge](#).

At the start of the new policy cycle, Social Platform and Civil Society Europe are organising a networking event aiming to bring together MEPs and EU civil society organisations to exchange on how to foster collaboration between policy makers and civil society and discuss the establishment of an interest group on civil society during the new mandate.

The event is kindly co-hosted by EP Vice-President Katarina Barley.

Draft agenda

I. Opening & policy debate - 18:00

- Gabriella Civico, President of Civil Society Europe
- Host MEP Katarina Barley, European Parliament Vice-President
- MEP Nicolae Ștefănuță, European Parliament Vice-President
- Heather Roy, President of Social Platform
- MEP Sergey Lagodinsky

II. Networking reception - 18:30

Informal networking reception for MEPs, APAs, political group advisors and members of civil society organisations.