K4I Forum Working Group Meeting

Cross European Partnerships working group:
Digital Transformation

Thursday, 10 September 2020: Setting the agenda, inputs from members, drafting of workplan

Focus Areas

Susana Solís
MEP - Host of the Working Group

- Creation of a robust legal framework to ensure the trustworthy and ethical use of data.
- Understand what should be the role and the advantages of AI in the public administration.
- Different productive sectors.
- Regulation as one of the main drivers of digital transformation. Regulatory, financial and normative framework to favor companies, startups, and universities.
- Skills and infrastructure.
- Lessons learned (success stories) from Member States.
- Budget allocation (Horizon Europe)

Willem Jonker
CEO - EIT Digital
- Digital transition with the climate and digital challenges and COVID contact tracing
- Digitalization of the industry.
- European digital sovereignty.
- Artificial Intelligence
- **The priorities: machine data, digital transformation of the industry and domain specific application of AI as the next step into GPR as a more generic data protection guideline**

Ana Garcia
Secretary General of the Big Data Value Association

- Drive innovation and support new technologies development
- Creation of economic, societal and market value.
- Cross-sectoral approach in the Strategic Innovation Agenda
- European Data Space as a strong part of the partnership and in Europe's innovation ecosystem.
- Value-driven AI for business society and people
- Incorporation of the Deep Dive's
- new Strategic Research & Innovation Deployment Agenda to be presented
- Testing and experimentation of the facilities
- To link R&I partnerships with the policies

Colin Willcock
Chairman of the 5G Infrastructure Association
- European leadership in 5G
- Horizon Europe - Smart Networks and Services
- Partnership (proposal)

Carlo Borghini
Executive Director - Shift2Rail Joint Undertaking

- 5G
- Creation of synergies

Servas Duterloo
Head of Unit - TUDelft

- Digital transformation as the driver of industrial and societal transformation
- Creation of ndustrial and societal value chains