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The Network of European Regions for Innovation in Agriculture, Food and Forestry

Exchange of views

between the European Commission and the ERIAFF Network about regional priorities and possible actions for the uptake of innovation in Rural Development Policies and Programmes

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AGENDA*

- 17.00 Welcomes and opening by Mr Gianni Salvadori
- 17.10 Priorities for innovation and views from the Regions
- 17.40 Views and suggestions by the European Commission
- 18.00 Final roundtable
- 18.20 Closing remarks



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