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INNOVATION IN LOCAL GOVERNANCE COPING WITH QUALITY, EFFICIENCY AND INCLUSION

Thursday, 16 June 2016

Aula Nievo, Palazzo del Bo' – University of Padova

PROGRAMME

9:30 -9:45: Welcome Addresses

Luciano Gamberini, Rector delegate to Smart Cities, University of Padova

9:45-10:15: Opening Remarks

Giorgia Nesti, Department of Political Science, Law and International Studies, University of Padova

10:15 – 12:15: Key-lectures

Joyce Liddle, University of Aix-Marseille, *Innovation and re-design of public services in an era of austerity*

Jonathan Davies, Centre for Urban Research on Austerity, De Montfort University, *Leicester Governance and Austerity: Evidence from a Cross-national Study in Eight Cities*

Anders Lidström, Department of Political Science, Umeå University, *A comparative approach to local government legitimacy*

12:15 – 13:00: Discussion

Chair: Ekaterina Domorenok, University of Padova

13:00 - 14.30: Lunch Break

14.30 – 17:00:

Present and Future Challenges for Local Governance: Is the 'Smart City Paradigm' the Choice?

Giorgia Nesti, University of Padova

Chair: Luciano Gamberini, University of Padova

Discussants:

Silvia Bolgherini, University Federico II, Naples

Jonathan Davies, De Montfort University, Leicester

Joyce Liddle, University of Aix-Marseille

Anders Lidström, Umeå University

Erica Melloni, IRS - Institute for Social Research, Milan

Patrizia Messina, University of Padova

Alberto Corò, Municipality of Padova

Gianni Potti, Padova Soft City

Region of Veneto



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17:00 – 17:30: Closing Remarks

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