Territorialization of Industrial Policy and Inclusive Growth
Experts Group Meeting

Provisional Program

24-25 November 2016, Tunis Grand Hotel
Monastir Av. – El Menzah VII, Ariana, 2037 – Tunis – Tunisia
Day 1

8.00 - 9.00  Registration

9.00 - 9.45  Opening
  • Mr. Zied Ladhari, Minister of Industry, Tunisia
  • Mr. Omar Ismael Abdourahman, OIC, ECA office in North Africa
  • Monsieur El Kebir Mdarhri Alaoui, UNDP Resident Representative a.i.

09.45 - 10.15  EGM introduction ECA: Problematic and scope of the study, EGM goals
  • Mr. Zoubir Benhamouche, ECA-NA

10.15 - 10.45  Welcome cocktail

10.45 - 13.00  Session 1: Public policy territorialization and development
  • Does the national socioeconomic model allow spatial inclusion in Morocco? (Mr. Ilyes Boumahdi - Morocco)
  • Territories and territorial economic system: issues for Southern developing countries. (Mr. Ameziane Ferguene - France)
  • Local identity and territorial development based on the tourist 'industry'. The case of the Islamic tourist 'industry' (Mauro Spotorno - Italy)
  • Discussion

13.00 - 14.00  Lunch

14.00 - 18.30  Session 2: Survey of industrial policy territorialization in North Africa
  • ECA presentation: Industrial policy choices and governance in North Africa (Younes Sekkouri, ECA-NA Consultant)
  • Industrial policy territorialization in Tunisia: assessment and prospects (Afif Chelbi, Tunisia)
  • Decentralization for a regional industrialization (Sami Zaoui - Tunisia)
  • Discussion

16.15 - 16.45  Coffee break
  • ECA presentation: Territorialization of industrial policy in Algeria, Morocco and Tunisia (Zouhour Karay, ECA-NA Consultant)
  • Regional Investment centers and their role in investment policy territorialization in Morocco (Mr. Brahim Kheireddine - Morocco)
  • Industrial structure, innovation and local governance in Algeria (Mrs. Nadia Chettab - Algeria)
  • Discussion
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| 09.00 – 13.00| - Territorial Productive Systems and Endogenous Development: Theories and Practices. Lessons for North Africa (Mr. Gioacchino Garofoli - Italy)  
- Levers and limits of territorial collectivities in local economic development issues (Mr. Herve Hocquard – France)  
- Discussion |
| 10.30 – 11.00| Coffee break                                                        |
|              | - Local employment, coordination of local authorities and civil society : the case of Plaine Commune in France (Mr. Mahieddine Oufarhat – France)  
- Territorial competitiveness: the experience of « Agence de développement de l’Oriental » in Morocco (Mr. Abdelhay Benabdelhadi - Morocco)  
- Discussion |
| 13.00 – 14.00| Lunch                                                               |
| 14.30 – 18.00| Session 4: What reforms in North Africa for an industrial policy that contributes to a more inclusive economic development?  
- ECA presentation: identifying reforms for a more inclusive industrial policy in North Africa (Zoubir Benhamouche, ECA-NA)  
- Working groups  
- Discussion and recommendations |