TERRITORIAL COHESION
AND SERVICES OF GENERAL INTEREST

Keynote Speech: Michel Barnier
Commissioner in charge of Internal Market and Services

February 3rd, 2011
Room JAN 6Q1
2 - 5.30 pm
## Agenda

**Recognising the specificities and valorising the diversity of territories**

### 14h00 Opening
Boguslaw Sonik MEP - President of the Intergroup
Miguel Angel Palacio Garcia, President of AEM

### 14h20 - The future of economic, social and territorial cohesion and the valorisation of assets in specific territories
- **Dirk Ahner**, DG Regio, « the Opportunities of the 5th Cohesion Report » (tbc)

  **Questions**
  - **Erik Gloersen**, ESPON studies: TEDI – Territorial Diversity and Geospecs – Geographic Specificities

  **Questions**
  - **Danuta Hübner**, President of the REGI Committee, European Parliament

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### 16h-17h - Michel Barnier, Commissioner in charge of the Internal Market and Services
« Internal Market, services of general interests and permanent natural handicaps »

  **Questions**

### 17h Conclusions

### 17h30 End of work