

24TH EUROPEAN MEETING OF PEOPLE EXPERIENCING POVERTY

4 - 5 JUNE 2026

THE POLITICS OF ANTI-POVERTY: PARTICIPATION, POWER AND INCLUSION



EUROPEAN ANTI POVERTY NETWORK

#PEPMEETING

DAY 1 – THURSDAY, 04 JUNE 2026: FROM LIVED REALITIES TO SHARED PRIORITIES

08:30 – 09:00

ARRIVAL & REGISTRATION

09:00 – 09:30

ICEBREAKER EXERCISE

09:30 – 10:00

Opening session

Ms. Clea Hadjistephanou Papaellina, Cyprus Deputy Minister
of Social Welfare
Stalo KONSTANTINOU, PeP, EAPN Cyprus
Eleni N. KARAOLI, EAPN Cyprus

10:00 – 11:30

SESSION 1

**From Strategy to Reality: A Structured Dialogue
on the EU Anti-Poverty Strategy (EU APS)**

Part 1: Framing the EU APS

Part 2: Structured Dialogue: From Policy to Lived Reality

11:30 – 12:00

BREAK

12:00 – 13:00

SESSION 2

**From Strategy to Positioning: How can PEP contribute
to “monitoring” the EU APS?**

13:00 – 14:00

LUNCH

14:00 – 16:00

SESSION 3

**From Positioning to Action: Priorities, Support
and Implementation Pathways**

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16:00 – 16:30

BREAK

16:30 – 17:30

SESSION 4

Plenary Feedback from the Working Group Discussion

19:30

SOCIAL DINNER

**DAY 2 – FRIDAY, 5 JUNE 2026:
FROM PRIORITIES TO ADVOCACY AND ACTION**

09:00 – 11:00

SESSION 1
Co-Designing the PEP Committee
as a Tool for EU APS Implementation

11:00 – 11:30

BREAK

11:30 – 13:00

SESSION 2
PEP Exchange Lab: Stories, Practices & Realities

13:00 – 14:00

LUNCH

14:00 – 15:30

SESSION 3
Collective Reflection and Endorsement of the PEP Conclusions

15:30 – 15:45

BREAK

15:45 – 16:30

SESSION 4
Building a Common Position

16:30 – 17:00

CLOSING SESSION
EAPN Europe representative

17:30 – 19:30

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