

## EIT PUBLIC EVENTS RECORD

DECEMBER 2024

DATE	TITLE	PARTICIPANT(S)
3 December 2024	<p><b><u>Skills Development for Smart Specialization conference, Budapest, Hungary (hybrid event)</u></b></p> <p>A conference held under the Hungarian Presidency of the Council of the European Union, addressing different aspects of skills development and the smart specialization concept through various program formats and networking activities involving EU-level and national policymakers, stakeholders, and SSH experts with this year's theme of European Union's competitiveness.</p>	<p>Ilaria Tagliavini, Head of Department, EIT (in-person participation)</p>
4 December 2024	<p><b>Meeting with Ruth Reichstein, Policy Coordinator, President Von der Leyen's Cabinet, European Commission, Brussels, Belgium (onsite event)</b></p> <p>A follow-up meeting to discuss EIT Community's contribution to the New European Bauhaus initiative and further outlook.</p>	<p>Martin Kern, EIT Director (in-person participation)</p>
4 December 2024	<p><b>Meeting with MEP Ivars Ijabs, Brussels, Belgium (onsite event)</b></p> <p>A follow-up meeting after the MEP's meeting with EIT GB member Janis Grevins to further discuss the EIT community's achievements and explore areas of cooperation and support.</p>	<p>Martin Kern, EIT Director (in-person participation)</p>



4 December 2024	<p><b><u>Discharge 2023: Hearing with Agencies at the European Parliament, Brussels, Belgium (onsite event)</u></b></p> <p>A hearing held by the CONT Committee of the European Parliament with the representatives of the invited agencies, in the presence of François-Roger Cazala, Member of the European Court of Auditors responsible for the annual report on EU agencies for the financial year 2023, and the EIT Director, in his capacity as Chair of the EU Agencies' network.</p>	Martin Kern, EIT Director (in-person participation)
5 December 2024	<p><b><u>European Partnership Stakeholder Forum 2024, Brussels, Belgium (hybrid event)</u></b></p> <p>An annual Forum organised by the European Commission, Directorate General for Research and Innovation (DG RTD) with the support of ERA-LEARN for the entire European Partnership stakeholder community to discuss policy and practical aspects and share experiences.</p>	Martin Kern, EIT Director (in-person participation)
5 December 2024	<p><b><u>Skilling at Scale for the Battery Industry: A milestone celebration, Brussels, Budapest (hybrid event)</u></b></p> <p>An event organised by EIT InnoEnergy, celebrating the milestone of successfully training 100,000 learners through the European Battery Alliance (EBA) Academy, Europe's first Net-Zero Academy launched in 2022.</p>	Martin Kern, EIT Director (in-person participation)
9 December 2024	<p><b><u>Technology and Defense: The Future of Warfare, Budapest, Hungary (onsite event)</u></b></p> <p>A conference organised by the Hungarian Defense Innovation and Research Institute (VIKI) with a focus on exploring the transformative role of technology in defense and aiming to address challenges and opportunities in the ever-evolving military landscape and innovation's impact on force development.</p>	Martin Kern, EIT Director (in-person participation)