

Galicia – Norte Portugal

European Grouping for Territorial Cooperation

The Consolidation of the Galicia – Norte Portugal
European Grouping for Territorial Cooperation in
Euroregion



Elvira Vieira,
GNP-EGTC Director
evieira@gnpaect.eu



Juan Liron Lago,
GNP-EGTC Secretary
jliron@gnpaect.eu



Galicia – Norte Portugal European Grouping for
Territorial Cooperation (GNP-EGTC)

2010/2011

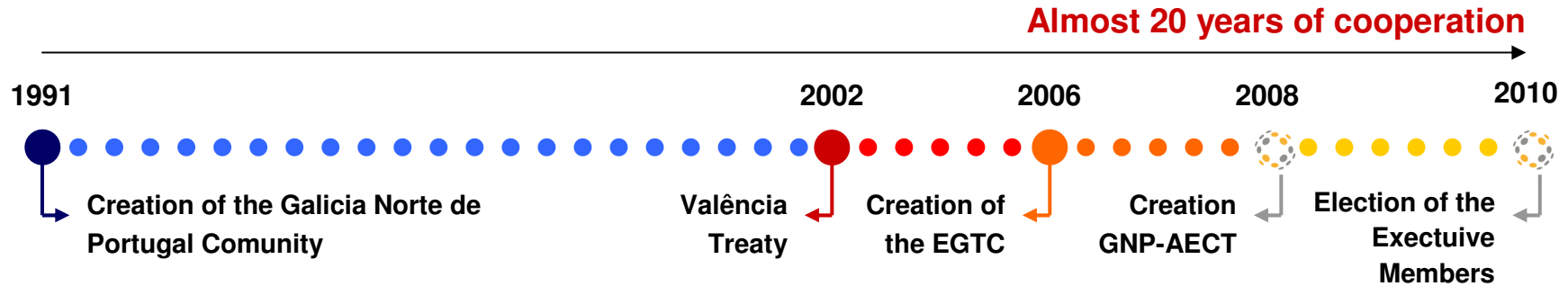




Galicia – Norte Portugal



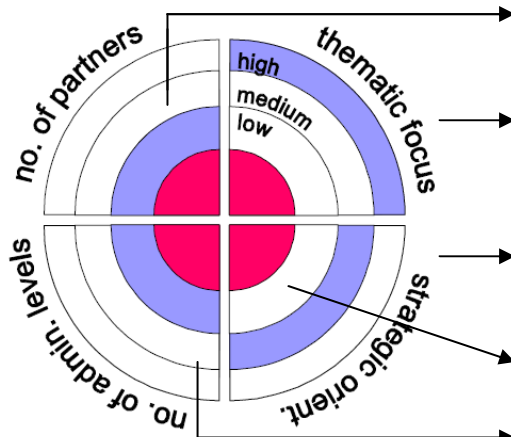
European Grouping for Territorial Cooperation



3rd EUROPEAN EGTC

1st IBERIAN EGTC

2nd GENERATION COOPERATION



Two Partners: Xunta de Galicia and CCDR-Norte

Cross Border Cooperation highly focused on economic and social cohesion development

Cooperation strategy definition and euro-regional interest initiatives coordination.

GNP-EGTC concluded and in full activity

Regional Administration



Galicia – Norte Portugal



European Grouping for Territorial Cooperation

Main Objectives



- **Promoting cross border relationship.**
- **Adding value to the euroregional entrepreneur base, by promoting competition through knowledge and innovation.**
- **Developing transport and access to basic transport systems.**
- **Increasing euroregional social and institutional cohesion.**

Facilitate and encourage the territorial cooperation between Galicia and Norte Portugal, collaborating with the GNP-Working Community, in accordance with the 2007-2013 Cooperation Strategic Plan Objectives.



Galicia – Norte Portugal



European Grouping for Territorial Cooperation

Main Tasks



Contract and agreements' execution and management, arranged under the GNP-Working Community supervision.

Services of general interest, infrastructures provision, public construction, common management of facilities.

Development cooperation activities

Implementation of the GNP-Working Community 2007-2013 Strategic Cooperation Program.

Managing funds from the Crossborder Operating Cooperation Program Spain Portugal 2007 – 2013 (POCTEP)



Galicia – Norte Portugal



European Grouping for Territorial Cooperation

The ECTC – GNP Team

Board members



Jesús Gamallo



Nuno Almeida

EGTC – GNP Assembly Xunta Galicia Representatives



**Norberto
Urzal**

**José
Vázquez**

**Francisco
Seijo**

**Jesús
Gamallo**

EGTC – GNP Assembly CCDR-N Representatives



**Teresa
Lehman**

**Nuno
Almeida**

**Paulo
Gomes**

**Rui
Monteiro**

Elvira Vieira
EGTC – GNP Director



Juan Lirón
EGTC – GNP Sub-Director



Galicia – Norte Portugal



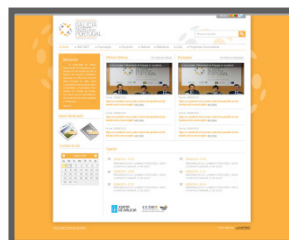
European Grouping for Territorial Cooperation

2010

REPRESENTATION AND VISIBILITY



Board Inauguration



Official Website

Participation at the 8th European Week of Regions and Cities – Open Days



Active participation in 25 meetings, debates and conferences focused on the Euro-region Galicia – Norte Portugal



EGTC Douro-Duero days



Labour market in the Euroregion Galicia-Norte de Portugal



Cross-Border Forum of Minho Valley



Networking Creativa Co-Creation Galicia e Portugal



4º EMAX – Meeting Associative Show Portugal - Galicia



Galicia – Norte Portugal



European Grouping for Territorial Cooperation

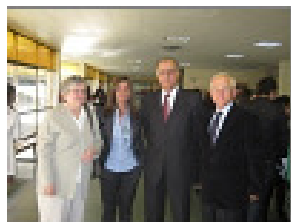
2010

The EGTC – GNP Operationalization

Companies



Collaboration with the Pontevedra Business Confederation (CEP)



Conference on "Entrepreneurship in the Iberian Market Integration"

Culture and Cooperation with local authorities



Xacobeo 2010 – Portuguese path to Santiago de Compostela

University



Participation in the Campus Mar Project 9 Universities Galicia-Norte



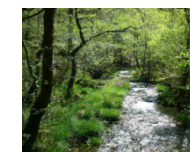
Speech at the Closing Session of a Master in Minho University

Training and Employment



Guidelines for the approval of vocational training certificates

Citizenship



Study: Perception of the Euroregion Galicia-Norte Portugal for the population



Galicia – Norte Portugal



European Grouping for Territorial Cooperation

2010

The EGTC – GNP Operationalization

Mobility



Meeting: Tolling system in the Portuguese SCUT



Study: Interoperability between tolling systems in the GNP



Study: Impact of the tolls in Commercial relations in GNP



On-line GNP crossborder guide

Tourism



Database: Supply of hosting facilities in GNP

Cooperation



Directory of cooperation agents in the GNP



Meeting: The GNP's Strategic Planning and the role of the EGTC

Statistics



The year book of statistics GNP 2010



Galicia – Norte Portugal



European Grouping for Territorial Cooperation

2011

Consolidation of the GNP-AECT

Representation & Internationalization



EGTC conference – The launch of the EGTC Platform (Lille & Brussels)



Meeting with Dirk Ahner, Director of the European Bureau for Regional Affairs (Brussels)

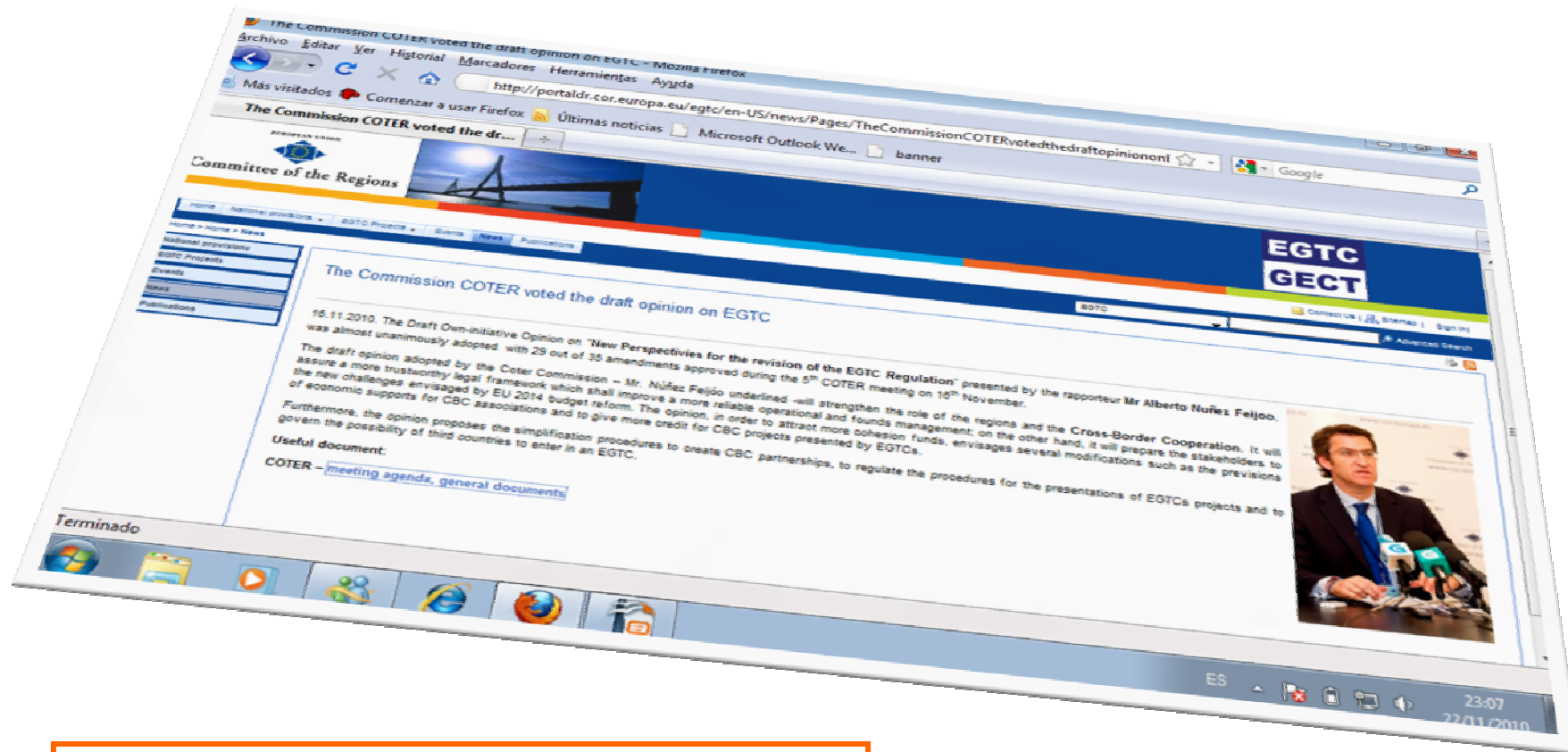


Galicia – Norte Portugal



European Grouping for Territorial Cooperation

Launch of the EGTC online Platform (28-01-2011)



www.cor.europa.eu/egtc



Galicia – Norte Portugal



European Grouping for Territorial Cooperation

2011

Consolidation of the GNP-AECT

LINES OF ACTION	INITIATIVES
Cooperation and Internationalization	Open Days of the Euroregion Galicia - North Portugal Establishment of Laboratory Pilot projects of territorial cooperation Cooperation award-EGTC GNP
Universities and Business	Annual Conference of Ciencias and business
Sector	Institutional meetings in key sectors based on the PEC-GNP (2007-2013) Databases of the Euroregion Sector - Creative and Cultural Industries; Workshops (education, health, mobility and transport, culture, sport and recreation, tourism, social work etc.)
Information and Communication	Information Office of the Euroregion Galicia-Northern Portugal (GIE-GNP) Shares of visibility, promotion and operation of the EGTC – GNP and the Euroregion GNP Communication Plan GNP
Territory: Fostering local competitiveness	Territorial Marketing Plan of the Euroregion Strategic Plan for the Intervention of EGTC - GNP, 2011-2020
Health	Management Support Unit and Project Financing
Management of Infrastructure and equipment	Master Plan for a Network of Cross-Border Public Services and Equipment
Sports	Sports Championship of the Euroregion
Work Community	Conjunction with WC in the execution of all activities



Galicia – Norte Portugal



European Grouping for Territorial Cooperation

Thank You For Your Attention

**European Grouping on Territorial Cooperation
Galicia – Norte Portugal**

Address: Edificio CETMAR – Rúa Eduardo Cabello, S/N
36208 Vigo (Pontevedra)

Telephone: (0034) 986135126

Email: evieira@gnpaect.eu / jliron@gnpaect.eu

