

# REVES



European Network of Cities and Regions for the Social Economy AISBL

**REVES is the unique European organisation based on partnership between local and regional authorities and territorial social economy organisations.**

**Reves members are those local authorities or social economy organisation that are presently developing or are willing to develop policies to promote social and solidarity based economy, for a most fair, inclusive, participative and responsible society; a network of social innovation in terms both of methods and procedures based on co-construction and shared capacities of the members and their territories.**

- 1996**      **Signing of the Charter of REVES, act of foundation of the European Network of Cities and Regions for the Social Economy**
- 1997**      **Local level and social economy in the European Employment Strategy – first European operation of REVES: Municipal Welfare and Employment**
- 1998**      **ECOS Overture Transform – first operation of REVES outside European Union**
- 1999**      **Interface; second Europe-wide operation of REVES and first training programme devoted to social economy and local authorities**

- 2000**      **First European Conference of REVES in Reggio Calabria**
- 2001**      **First Opinion of the CoR of the EU on partnership and first elaboration of Local Action Plans for Employment**
- 2002**      **First European Conference of the Social Economy in Eastern Europe in Prague – starting up of the Territorial Social Responsibility (TSR®) operation**
- 2003**      **First European training scheme for young social entrepreneurs**

- 2004**      **Second European Conference of Social Economy in Eastern Europe, in Krakow – Exchange for inclusion three-years operation for improving social inclusion policies**
- 2005**      **Launching of thematic operations on gender equality and participation in Open Method peer review seminars**
- 2006**      **Publication of the Territorial Social Responsibility (TSR®) methodology for participative local governance**
- 2007**      **First Euro-Mediterranean conference in Livorno and launching of thematic operation on intercultural dialogue**

- 2008**      **Contribution to the II Forum of Social Services of General Interest and entrance in the structured dialogue with EC**
- 2009**      **Realisation of first complete TSR® experience in Faenza and launching of the “Territorial Quality Standard in SSGI” operation**
- 2010**      **Contribution to the III Forum of Social Services of General Interest and co-organisation of the European Conference of Social Economy ‘10**
- 2011**      **Launching of first operation on employees rights in partnership with trade unions**

- 2012** Follow the realisation of public procurement reform and the programming of 2014-2020 Cohesion Funds
- 2012** Organisation of mutual learning seminars on Public procurement and on State Aid rules
- 2012** Accomplishment of the operation “job with rights”, mainly devoted to young persons and migrants
- 2012** Launching of REVES funding programme to support local social economy initiatives backed by public authorities

**How do we realise this?**

**REVES is supported by yearly membership fees paid by its members (local authorities and social economy organisations), calculated on the basis of inhabitants (for local authorities) and dimension (for social economy)  
Specific operations are supported by EC programmes**

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