

Multiannual Action Plan on REA key & forward looking achievements

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Key messages on REA

- Acknowledged transformative potentials MAP REA in full implementation mode;
- Progress in implementing deliverables for Poznan Summit;
- Increasingly internalized in WB strategic frameworks;
- ➤ Greater support for MAP REA IPA 2019 & IPA 2020;
- Prominently supported by High Political Levels in all WB6;



MAP processes - coordination, monitoring and reporting

- Implementation & national coordination (MAP NC and MAP CCPs);
- 2. Political leadership and oversight MAP NC;
- Regional coordination CEFTA and RCC;
- 4. Reporting and communication MAP NC, PM's Sherpa



Key achievements - Investment

- Launched implementation of RIRA;
- Developed and approved IRAPs;
- Joint investor outreach programme & increased capacities of IPAs;
- > Broadened regional agenda in access to finance;
 - Prepared practical guide on CM reforms & regional analytics on FM
- Recognised growth in investment inflows.



Key achievements - Mobility

- Process of negotiations for MRA on Professional Qualifications;
- ➤ Declaration on Recognition of Academic Qualification to be endorsed in Poznan;
- ➤ Regional action plan on open science to strengthen and open the research infrastructure and enhance innovation capacity in WB.

Key achievements - Digital Integration Regional Cooperation Council

- Digital Agenda for WB; Signed RRA2; organized DS 2019;
- CISRTS networking & extended capacity building;
- Increased uptake of WBIF digital projects;
- > EU-WB ICT Dialogue and WB6 NRAs BEREC cooperation;
- Initiated regional discussion on recognition of trusted services;
- ➤ Increased participation in EU digital frameworks (BCO, Digital cross-border traineeship initiative; EU's Code Week, ISA²);

MAP REA in Poznan - final messages Regional Cooperation Council

- EMM meeting panel on REA;
- Chair's Conclusion:
 - para on progress of REA;
 - Annex with stock-taking and forward-looking commitments;
- EU-WB Business Forum;
- Gradual move towards moving the process to the region;



Thank you!

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