High-Level Roundtable on Drink-Driving in Europe

From Evidence to Action: Reducing Alcohol-Related Road Deaths

17 November 2026
11:00–13:00
Radisson Red Hotel, Rue d'Idalie 35, Brussels

Programme

11:00–11:10 | Welcome and Opening Remarks

- Welcome by Ștefan Mușoiu, Member of the European Parliament
- Antonio Avenoso, European Transport Safety Council
- Julia Leferman, The Brewers of Europe

11:10–11:25 | Launch of the ETSC Drink-Driving Progress Report

- Presentation by Francesca Podda, European Transport Safety Council, ETSC

11:25–12:45 | High-Level Policy Roundtable: from evidence to action
A moderated discussion with representatives from the European Commission, EU Member States, enforcement authorities and national research centres.

Key topics:

- Priorities for tackling drink-driving at EU and national level
- Strengthening drink-driving enforcement and prevention
- The importance of rehabilitation programmes and technology
- Impact of drink-driving on active road users
- Exchange of views and questions from invited stakeholders
- Identifying priorities for further action at EU a!nd national level

12:50–13:00 | Conclusions and Closing Remarks

13:00 | Lunch and Networking

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