

# European Parliament Spring Talks: Social Housing

## 27 March; 6pm



### Michaela Kauer

Michaela Kauer is Director at the Brussels Office of the City of Vienna, representing Vienna and its interests in Brussels and the EU. She is a public advocate for the housing policy of Vienna, which leads globally in public housing strategy, with a large proportion of the city's population living in public housing. She has a long history of working with the city on public housing, health and gender issues.



### Lorcan Sirr

Lorcan Sirr is a Senior Lecturer in housing and urban economics at TU Dublin, and Visiting Professor of Housing at the University of Galway. He is a recognised expert on social housing and planning in Ireland, and contributes regularly to print and broadcast media on the subject.



### Daithi Downey

Daithi Downey is Head of the European Programme Office and International Relations at Dublin City Council. He has a strong track record in the areas of social housing and sustainable community development, and was centrally involved in the Vienna Model of Housing Exhibition held in Dublin in 2019. He is a member of the International Advisory Board for the UK Collaborative Centre for Housing Evidence (CACHE) at the University of Glasgow.



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