



EUROPEAN YOUTH WEEK 2011

15-21 MAY 2011

PROGRAMME

PARTICIPANTS AND FACILITATORS

Sunday 15 May

- 10:30** Bus departure for the participants
- 11:00-12:00** Registration at Bedford Hotel
- 12:00-13:00** Welcome of participants at Bedford Hotel with:
Sergej Koperdak, Head of Unit, Youth Policy, DG Education and Culture;
Representative of European Youth Forum;
Ann-Kathrin Fischer, General Rapporteur of SD
- Icebreakers
- 13:00-14:00** Lunch
- 14:00-16:00** National consultations, exchanges of experiences
- 16:00-18:00** Departure by bus for a guided tour through Brussels.
- 18:30** Bus departure
- 19:00-21:30** Dinner
- 21:30** Bus departure to the participants' hotels

Monday 16 May 2011

- 08:30** Bus departure from the participants' hotels (lobby) to the Committee of the Regions (COR)
- 09:00-09:45** Registration of officials from national authorities at COR
- 10:00-11:00** Opening Plenary session at COR with *Gerhard Stahl, Secretary General COR; Jan Truszczyński, Director General, DG Education and Culture; Luca Scarpiello, Vice-President European Youth Forum*
- 11:00-11:30** Coffee Break
- 11:30-13:00** Technical briefings on workshops by *Peter Matjašič, Chair of the European Steering Committee; Ann-Kathrin Fischer, General Rapporteur of SD*
- 13:00-14:00** Lunch offered by COR
- 14:00-15:45** Workshops at COR
- The composition of National Working Groups and support structures
 - The visibility of the Structured Dialogue
 - Extending the Structured Dialogue
 - The transmission and follow-up of outcomes of the Structured Dialogue
 - The transition of Structured Dialogue to incoming Trio Presidencies
 - The development of the Structured Dialogue
- 15:45-16:15** Coffee Break
- 16:15-18:00** Continuation of workshops at COR
- 18:30** Bus departure
- 19:00** Dinner for all participants and social event
- 21:30 & 23:00** Bus departure to the participants' hotels

Tuesday 17 May 2011

- 08:30** Bus departure from the participants' hotels (lobby) to COR
- 9:30-11:00** Workshops at COR
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- 10:30** Bus departure of selected participants and young journalists to Antwerp Youth on the Move (YoM) event
- 11:00-11:30** Coffee Break
- 11:30-13:00** Continuation of Workshops at COR
- 13:00-14:00** Lunch at COR
- 14:00-15:20** 'Opinion Boulevard' at COR
- 15:30-18:00** LIVE Transmission of YoM event in Antwerp to all workshop participants in COR
- 18:00** Bus departure
- 19:00** Dinner for all participants
- 22:00** Bus departure to the participants' hotels

Wednesday 18 May 2011

- 08:00** Bus departure from the participants' hotels (lobby) to COR
- 9:00-10:30** Continuation of Workshops at COR
- The composition of National Working Groups and support structures
 - The visibility of the Structured Dialogue
 - Extending the Structured Dialogue
 - The transmission and follow-up of outcomes of the Structured Dialogue
 - The transition of Structured Dialogue to incoming Trio Presidencies
 - The development of the Structured Dialogue
- 10:30-11:00** Coffee Break
- 11:00-12:30** Final plenary session and presentation of recommendations
- 12:30-14:00** Lunch at COR
- 14:30-15:30** Political Debate with:
- Member of the European Commission, Androulla Vassiliou, Education, Culture, Multilingualism and Youth*
Miklós Soltész, Hungarian Minister of State for Social, Family and Youth Affairs
Peter Matjašič, Chair of the European Steering Committee
Ann-Kathrin Fischer, General Rapporteur of SD
Moderated by *Howard Williamson, Professor of European Youth Policy*
- 15:30-15:45** Coffee Break

- 15:45-17:00** Political Debate with:
- Member of the European Commission, László Andor, Employment, Social Affairs and Inclusion*
Peter Matjašič, chair of the European Steering Committee
Moderated by *Howard Williamson, Professor of European Youth Policy*
- 17:30** Bus departure to the hotels for the participants staying in Brussels
- Afternoon** Bus departures to the airport
- 19:30** Dinner at for remaining participants at their hotels