

Monday, 1 December 2014

08.30-09.30 Registration

09.30-10.00 Official opening

- Welcome by the European Commission
Tibor Navracsics, Commissioner for Education, Culture, Youth and Sport
- Opening remarks by the Italian Presidency of the Council of the European Union
Giovanni Panebianco, Director General, Office for Sport
- Opening remarks by the European Parliament
Silvia Costa, Chair of the Committee on Culture and Education

10.00-11.00 Session 1: Implementation of Erasmus+: Sport

- Introduction by the European Commission
Chiara Gariazzo, Director Youth & Sport, Education and Culture
- Presentations by the Education, Audiovisual and Culture Executive Agency
Brian Holmes, Director, and Luciano Di Fonzo, Head of Sector, Sport and Youth
- Questions from the plenary

11.00-11.30 Coffee break

11.30-13.00 Session 2: Results of the 2012 Preparatory Actions in the field of sport

- Theme I: Fight against match-fixing
Moderator: Alexandre Husting, Permanent Representation of Luxembourg to the EU (future Presidency of the Council of the EU)
- Theme II: Promotion of physical activity supporting active ageing
Moderator: Réka Veress, Officer for EU and international affairs, Ministry of Human Capacities in Hungary
- Theme III: Effective ways of promoting sport at municipal level
Moderator: Stefano Gallo, Deputy Mayor, Turin
- Theme IV: Trans-frontier joint grassroots sport competitions in neighbouring regions and Member States
Moderator: Heidi Pekkola, Sports Policy Director, ENGSO

13.00-14.30 Lunch

14.30-16.00 Session 3: Sport in the European Union, the path forward

- Introduction to the panel by the European Commission
Tibor Navracsics, Commissioner for Education, Culture, Youth and Sport
- High level panel debate moderated by *Bart Ooijen*, Senior policy officer at the Ministry of Health, Welfare and Sport in the Netherlands
 - Commissioner Navracsics
 - Graziano Delrio, Undersecretary to the Prime Minister, Italy (tbc)
 - Santa Ozolina, Counsellor (Youth, Sport) at the Permanent Representation of Latvia to the EU
 - Santiago Fisas Ayxelà, Member of the European Parliament
 - Anton Rombouts, Chair of the EDUC Commission, Committee of the Regions
 - Patrick Hickey, President, European Olympic Committees
- Questions from the plenary

16.00-16.30 Coffee break

16.30-18.30 Session 4: European Week of Sport

- Information by the European Commission
 - Preparation of the Week: state of play
Susanne Hollmann, Deputy Head of the Sport Unit
 - Presentation of the Communication Strategy
Florence Mondin, Policy Officer, Sport Unit
- First European partners of the Week: signature ceremony
Moderated by *Dennis Landsbert-Noon*, Burson-Marsteller, with Commissioner Navracsics and representatives of the European partners

20.30-22.30 Dinner

Tuesday, 2 December 2014

09.00-09.45 Session 5: Studies

- Introduction by the European Commission
George Paterson, Policy Officer, Sport Unit
- Presentation of EU studies
 - Study on sports organisers' rights in the European Union
Antoine Duval, Asser Institute, Netherlands
 - Study on risk assessment and management and prevention of conflicts of interest in the prevention and fight against betting-related match-fixing in the EU-28
Ben van Rompuy, Asser Institute, Netherlands
 - Study on the sharing of information and reporting of suspicious sports betting activity in the EU-28
Morten Larsen, Oxford Research, Denmark
- Questions from the plenary

09.45-10.30 Session 6: Multi-sport clubs

- Introduction by the European Commission
Yves Le Lostecque, Head of the Sport Unit
- Opening remarks on the added value of multi-sport clubs
Federico Eichberg, Coordinator European Multisport Club Association
- Presentation of best practice
 - Antonio Buccioni, President Società Sportiva Lazio
 - Mette Heide Andersen, Aalborg Boldspilklub af 1885
 - Pal Orosz, CEO Ferencváros, Budapest
- Questions from the plenary

10.30-11.00 Coffee break

11.00-12.45 Session 7: Economic and social impact of major sport events

- Introduction by the European Commission
Yves Le Lostecque, Head of the Sport Unit
- Setting the scene
Dr Heinz Rütter, Head of Management Board, Rütter Soceco AG

- Panel debate moderated by *Ian Hooper*, Director of sport and infrastructure support, Glasgow Life
 - Julien Zylberstein, UEFA
 - Yann Barbitch, Fédération Française de Basketball
 - Simon Clegg, Chief Operating Officer of the Baku 2015 European Games Operating Committee
 - Mark Lichtenhein, European Tour
- Questions from the plenary

12.45-13.00 Forum conclusions

Chiara Gariazzo, Director Youth & Sport, Education and Culture, European Commission

13:00-14.30 Lunch

During the two days of the Forum there will be:

- *Interpretation from and to: EN, FR, DE, IT*
- *An exhibition of the 15 projects financed under the 2013 Preparatory Actions*
- *A stand for the Education, Audiovisual and Culture Executive Agency (EACEA)*
- *A stand for the European Week of Sport*
- *A side event called iDANCE; we encourage you to participate (see info sheet in folder)*

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