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Lifelong learning: horizontal policy issues and 2020 strategy
Unit A.3: Skills and Qualifications strategies, multilingualism policy.

Joint meeting of the European networks EUROPASS, EUROGUIDANCE and EQF NCPs.

Brussels, 6 November 2013

At Hotel Le Plaza
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AGENDA

09.00-09.30 Welcome coffee.

09.30-09.40 1-Meeting: welcome and approval of the agenda
*Ana Carla Pereira, Head of Unit, EAC A3: Skills and Qualifications;
multilingualism policies*

09.40-11.00 2-Policy updates from DG EAC

Update on the latest policy developments in EU's Education and Training policies.

- Opening up Education (DG EAC A3)
- Latest developments on ESCO (DG EMPL)
- Commission's Communication on the internationalisation of higher education (DG EAC C4)
- Latest development on Erasmus+ (DG EAC A)
- Latest initiatives on Youth Employment (DG EAC A1).

11.00-11.15 Coffee break

11.15-12.45 3-Brief presentations of Europass, Euroguidance and EQF NCPs

Common presentation of the work of Europass, Euroguidance and EQF-NCPs by a national representative per network and DG EAC..

12.45-14.00 Lunch

14.00-14.40 4-The European Area for skills and qualification (EASQ) - perspectives.

Presentation by Mr Pierre Mairesse, Director Dir. A, DG EAC.

14.40-16.00 5-EASQ and Europass, Euroguidance and EQF NCPs: options for the future (2014 and beyond).

Discussion on the implications of the EASQ for the European networks.

16.00-16.30 6- Implications of the New Financial Regulation under Erasmus +.

Presentation by EACEA.

16.30-17.00 7-Any other business

Evening: Joint dinner with the representatives of the group "Qualifications Frameworks for the European Higher Education Area"