The role of non-governmental stakeholders in implementing the 2012 Recommendation on validation of non-formal and informal learning
What we propose to do

➢ **The Organisers:** LLL & CEV (supporters YFJ, EURASHE, EUA, ESU, ETUC)

➢ **When:** End of September

➢ **Where:** Lisbon, Portugal

➢ **The Scope:** Exploring the role of non-governmental stakeholders in implementing the 2012 Recommendation on Validation of Non-Formal and Informal Learning together with the responsible national authorities eg. Universities, volunteering organisations, youth organisations, employers, trade unions

➢ **The Format:** Informal peer learning activity with panel discussions and smaller break out discussion sessions/workshops

➢ **The Contributions:** from institutions, academics, civil society representatives, all of you!
How we will do it

➢ **What:** Showing some examples from different member states highlighting how partners from the three sectors of non-governmental stakeholders do, and can, contribute to the process before and after 2018:

- NGOs/ Not for Profits (civil society organisations eg. youth, volunteering etc);
- Social Partners (trade unions, employeur);
- Formal education institutions (state and private).

➢ **How actors from each sector individually and collectively contribute:**

   1) **During the Roadmap / setting up phase**
      (eg. On advisory committees contributing own examples and experiences, awareness raising, mapping of existing systems, needs analysis etc.)

   2) **In post 2018 arrangements for implementation**
      (eg. Awareness raising, capacity building, role as implementing agencies / authorities, RPL, etc.)
The outcome

➔ one page outcomes tips and hints for ways forward as a result of the PLA on which all participants can use in their ongoing process to implement the roadmap;

➔ to trigger more meetings between member states around this topic and within member states involving wider cross-section of stakeholders.