



# Register of Expert Groups and Other Similar Entities

## Commission Expert Group

**Name:** The European Network to promote Women's Entrepreneurship (E01288)  
(Closed - This group no longer exists)

**Abbreviation:** WES

**Policy Area:** Enterprise

**Lead DG:** GROW - DG Internal Market, Industry, Entrepreneurship and SMEs

**Type:** Informal, Permanent

**Scope:** Limited

**Mission:** To assure the exchange of information, experiences and good practices of women entrepreneurs in the SME area.

**Task:** Coordinates with Member States, exchange of views

**Composition:** National Administrations

Third Country (Public affairs)

Candidate country (Public affairs)

**Publication in RegExp:** 13 Oct 2005

**Link to Website:**

[http://ec.europa.eu/enterprise/policies/sme/promoting-entrepreneurship/women/wes-network/index\\_en.htm](http://ec.europa.eu/enterprise/policies/sme/promoting-entrepreneurship/women/wes-network/index_en.htm)

**Last updated:** 12 Jul 2013

## **Additional Information**

### **Activity Report**

The last meeting of this expert group was held on 24/02/2012. The next meeting is foreseen during the 1st quarter of 2013. Information about this group activities and meetings are available at the following website address:

[http://ec.europa.eu/enterprise/policies/sme/promoting-entrep\\_reneurship/women/wes-network/index\\_en.htm](http://ec.europa.eu/enterprise/policies/sme/promoting-entrep_reneurship/women/wes-network/index_en.htm)

### **Selection Procedure (members)**

The members of this group are the Members States as well as some associated countries. They are all nominated via their respective Ambassadors to the permanent representations to the EU. The type C organisation are third countries administrations.

### **Internal Rules of Procedure**

Expert groups usually operate in an informal setting without any formal rules of procedures. This is the case for this group

## Members

### Organisation

Name of Organisation	Category	Countries/Areas represented	Membership Status
Innovasjon Norge	Third Country	Norway	Member
KOSGEB, Entrepreneurship Development Centre	Candidate country	Turkey	Member
Ministry of Economic Affairs and Communications	Third Country	Croatia	Member
Ministry of Industry and Commerce	Candidate country	Iceland	Member

### National administrations

Country		Membership Status
Austria	1 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member
Belgium	2 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member
Bulgaria	1 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member
Cyprus	1 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member
Czech Republic	1 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member
Denmark	1 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member
Finland	1 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member
France	1 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member
Germany	2 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member
Greece	1 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member
Hungary	1 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member
Ireland	1 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member
Italy	2 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member
Latvia	1 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member
Lithuania	1 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member
Luxembourg	1 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member
Malta	1 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member
Netherlands	1 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member
Poland	1 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member
Portugal	1 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member
Romania	1 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member
Slovakia	1 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member
Slovenia	1 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member
Spain	2 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member
Sweden	1 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member
United Kingdom	1 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member

### Subgroups

No Subgroups assigned to this group.

## Statistics

### Number of Members: 30

Individual expert appointed in his/her personal capacity:	0	female: 0	male: 0
Individual expert appointed as representative of an interest:	0	female: 0	male: 0
Organisation:	4		
National administrations:	26		

### Number of Alternate Members: 0

Individual expert appointed in his/her personal capacity:	0	female: 0	male: 0
Individual expert appointed as representative of an interest:	0	female: 0	male: 0
Organisation:	0		
National administrations:	0		

### Number of Observers: 0

Individual expert appointed in his/her personal capacity:	0	female: 0	male: 0
Individual expert appointed as representative of an interest:	0	female: 0	male: 0
Organisation:	0		
National administrations:	0		