

## VET for ALL – Skills for Life Conference

## EUROPEAN VOCATIONAL SKILLS WEEK



**2019** I Draft programme

Finlandia Hall



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16 <sup>th</sup> October 2019	
TIME	EVENT
13:45 - 13:55	Welcome
13:55 - 14:25	Official welcome  Ms. Dana-Carmen Bachmann  Head of Unit, Directorate Skills, DG Employment, Social Affairs and Inclusion, European Commission  Mr. Mika Tammilehto Director General, Department for Vocational Education and Training, Finnish Ministry of Education and Culture
14:25 – 15:05	Role of VET in addressing global challenges  Future of work Mr. Srinivas Reddy Chief of the Skills and Employability Branch, Employment Policy Department, ILO  Growing importance of services Mr. Paweł Wideł President of the Association of Employers of Automotive and Industrial Goods in Poland  Migration Mr. Liam Patuzzi Policy Analyst, Migration Policy Institute, Europe  Environment Ms. Nani Pajunen Leading Specialist in circular economy, The Finnish Innovation Fund Sitra  Digitalisation Ms. Olivia Chapman Senior Programme Manager, Nesta
15:05 – 15:35	Future skills needs Mr. Jürgen Siebel Director of Cedefop
15:35 – 15:45	Energized I am? Students from Sport Institute of Finland

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15:45 – 16:25	Excellence, inclusion and career-long learning in VET  Mr. Craig Robertson Chair of World Federation of Colleges and Polytechnics  Ms. Margaret Reilly Owner of Grand Designs, European Vocational Skills Week Ambassador
16:25 – 16:55	Coffee break
16:55 – 18:10	Excellent VET for all throughout life  Panel discussion Mr. Bartel Geleijnse Expert in social economy  Ms. Marta Firdych and Paralympian in fencing  Mr. Andrea Giacomelli VET expert - EVTA and R&D Director - EnAIP FVG  Ms. Adrijana Hodak European Vocational Skills Week Ambassador Head of Intercompany Training Centre, School centre Nova Gorica  Mr. Tommi Forss CEO, Adult Education Foundation Turku Representative of IBM (tbd)  Mr. Ian Bird Executive Partner, Talent & Transformation Global Business Services IBM
18:10 – 18:30	Closing of the day