



VET for ALL – Skills for Life conference

Session 6 - Entrepreneurship for VET

EUROPEAN VOCATIONAL SKILLS WEEK



2019 | 17 October, 09:00 – 12:30

Restaurant Hall 3

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Introduction

Entrepreneurship could be defined as “easing the creation of new businesses and to encourage a supportive environment for existing entrepreneurs to thrive and grow.” VET can inspire entrepreneurship and entrepreneurship can inspire VET. This session will consider VET and entrepreneurship in a lifelong and inclusive context, with particular attention to the service sector.

DISCUSSION QUESTION:

How can entrepreneurship in VET contribute to lifelong learning? To think about in this context: excellence, inclusivity and mainstreaming.

WORKING METHOD:

Keynote speeches, participatory discussion



DRAFT AGENDA

moderation by Tamsin Rose

TIME	EVENT
09:15 – 09:30	Introduction Introduction by Tamsin Rose <i>Moderator</i>
09:30 – 09:40	Keynote introductory speech Caroline Jenner <i>JA Europe, European Vocational Skills Week 2019 cross-Europe Ambassador</i>
09:40 – 09:55	Case study from the services sector Carlos Talamas <i>Head of International Development, Formaper (Special Agency of the Milano-Monza-Brianza-Lodi Chamber of Commerce, Italy)</i>
09:55 – 11:20	Participatory/WorldCafe discussion Moderation by Sue Bird , DG Employment, European Commission, and Tamsin Rose
11:20 – 11:35	Coffee break
11:35 – 12:15	Panel discussion Mirela Nicoleta Dinescu <i>Principal, Superior School of Commerce Nicolae Kretzulescu, Bucharest, Romania</i> Oliver Diehl <i>Deputy Head of Division, Regulation of Vocational Training – Federal Institute of Vocational Training</i> Vocational Training <i>Ministry of Education and Research, Germany</i> Rob Versteeg <i>Managing Director, Endurance, The Netherlands</i>
12:15 – 12:30	Harvesting of the results of the morning's work <i>Moderator</i> Tamsin Rose , together with the European Commission, Sue Bird
12:30	Finish and lunch