



Launching Conference

E-PANELS: FOSTERING CITIZENS' PARTICIPATION AND VOLUNTEERING IN WIDER EUROPE

Skopje, 3rd and 4th March 2010

Citizen participation in a wider Europe: role of volunteering and ICT

Draft Agenda

Location: Hotel Karpos
Str. Sekspirova bb, 1000 Skopje

Wednesday 3rd March

- 9:30 Opening words and presentation of the project:
- Ms. Neda Milevska-Kostova, Executive Director, CRPRC Studiorum
 - Mr. Dobrica Milovanovic, Vice-President of ALDA, Deputy-Mayor of Kraguevac,
 - Representative of Ministry of Local Self-Government of the Republic of Macedonia (tbc)
 - Mr. Kelmend Zajazi, Executive Director NALAS (tbc)
 - Mr. Bardhyl Jasari, Executive Director of Metamorphosis
- 10:00 **Presentations:** The concept of active citizenship and Volunteering
- Ms. Aline Schwoob, ALDA, Presentation of Europe for Citizens
 - Ms. Pernille Schou of City of Vejle, Denmark
 - Representative of Delegation of European Commission (tbc)
- Moderator:** Ms. Ivana Tomovska, CRPRC Studiorum
- 10:30 Coffee break
- 11:00 **Round-table 1:** How can ICTs promote citizens' participation and E-panel methodology
- Mr. Darko Buldioski, New Media Center Skopje
 - Ms. Emilia Geroska, Municipality Bitola, Republic of Macedonia
 - Mr. Gianluca Grassi, Municipality Reggio Emilia, Italy (tbc)
 - Representative of FIB, Spain
- Moderator:** Mr. Filip Stojanovski, Metamorphosis
- 12:30 Lunch break
- 14:00 **Round-table 2:** How can volunteering improve citizens' involvement in the construction of Europe
- Stevica Levajkovski, Association Creative, experiences with European Voluntary Service (tbc)
 - Zoran Ilieski, Director of Coalition of youth organizations from Macedonia "SEGA"
 - Representative of partner organization 'House of Europe' Caen, France



- Representative of partner organization Horizonti, Albania

Moderator: Mrs. Ivana Dimitrovska

16:00 End of the first day

Thursday 4th March

9:30 Registration of participants

10:00 Results of the round-tables, and perspectives for the project

- Local government perspective
- Civil society organizations perspectives
- International organizations and networks of organizations
- Media perspectives

Moderator: Ms. Aline Schwoob, ALDA and Mr. Petar Teov, Municipality Karpos (tbc)

11:30 Coffee break

12:00 Conclusion of the conference/Future prospects

Moderator: Ms. Aline Schwoob, ALDA

12:30 Lunch/Cocktail