



Organiser: LLLP

When: 30 November, 15.00

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The role of civil society organisation in fostering “Lifelong Learning for Sustainable Societies”

Concept

What does it mean for education to be sustainable, and how can we achieve this goal? The LLLPlatform believes that sustainability – of learning and of education systems as a whole – shall be the polar star for Europe for the years to come; in particular, for our communities to be sustainable (socially, environmentally and economically) we believe that we should start by rendering our education system sustainable. “Sustainable learning” is defined as inclusive, learner-centred, and fostering personal development: just like our societies should be.

What is the place for civil society organisations in this new scenario? CSOs are key stakeholders to move to a human-centred holistic approach to education. From providing training to voicing citizens’ concerns, we will discuss and take onboard contributions of CSOs to a new, sustainable learning society.

Agenda

- 15.00 Welcome and introduction
Arja Krauchenberg, LLLP President
- 15.05 Opening speech - Video message
Mariya Gabriel, Commissioner for Education, Culture, Youth and Sport
- 15.10 Setting the tone on Lifelong Learning for Sustainable Societies
MEP Petra Kammerevert
- 15.15 Keynote speech and Q&A
Prof Steven Sterling, Plymouth University tbc
- 15.30 Fishbowl discussion and Q&A
 - *MEP Brando Benifei*
 - *MEP Marcos Ros*
 - *Sophia Ericksson, European Commission (tbc)*
 - *Dr Borhene Chakroun, Director for Lifelong Learning at UNESCO*
 - *Christoph Müller-Hofstede, NECE*
 - *Moderated by Giuseppina Tucci, LLLP Steering Committee*
- 16.30 Break-out sessions

1. A learning that empowers - the future of learning
 - a. *Moderated by Tamara Gojkovic, LLLP Steering Committee*
 2. A learning that matters - the future of skills
 - a. *Moderated by Jon Harding, LLLP Steering Committee*
 3. A learning that lasts - sustainable learning
 - a. *Moderated by Monica Verzola, LLLP Steering Committee*
- 17.00 LLLP15 - 15 years of civil society representation
- 17.10 LLLAwards Ceremony
Presented by Susana Oliveira, LLLP Steering Committee
- 17.25 Reporting to plenary and wrap-up
Arja Krauchenberg, LLLP President