







Seminar "The role of the ESF in capacity building of social partners"

4-5 December 2017

Venue Hotel Quirinale, Via Nazionale 7 - 00184 Roma, Italia – Location map

Meeting room: Sala Verdi

Monday 4 December 2017

13h30-14h00	Registration
14h00-14h30	Presentation of the seminar's objectives by the European social partners - Liina Carr, Confederal Secretary, ETUC - Maxime Cerutti, Director, Social Affairs, BusinessEurope - Guillaume Afellat, Policy Advisor, CEEP - Liliane Volozinskis, Director Social Policy and Training, UEAPME
14h30-15h15	Presentation by Experts of findings of Survey
	Moderator: Guillaume Cravero, BusinessEurope - Tina Weber, Project Expert
	Discussion
15h15-15h45	Break
15h45-17h15	Group workshop on ESF support to capacity building of social partners: identifying the needs and sharing experiences
	Group 1 (main room)
	Moderator: Tina Weber, Project Expert
	Group 2 (breakout room)
	Moderator: Inga Pavlovaite, Project Expert
17h15-17h45	Reporting in plenary and conclusions from first Day
20h00	Dinner – Restaurant (TBC)

Tuesday 5 December 2017

09h00	Doors open and registration
09h30-10h00	Country Example
10h00-11h30	Panel on the European Code of Conduct on Partnership Moderator: Claude Denagtergal, ETUC
	- Marie-Anne Paraskevas, Senior Policy Officer, DG Employment, Social Affairs and Inclusion
	- Representatives from the ESF Committee (1 TU, 1 EMP)
	Discussion
11h30-12h00	Break
12h00-13h30	Seminar outcomes – reporting on discussions and the way forward
	Representatives from Managing AuthoritiesLiina Carr, ETUC Confederal Secretary
	 Maxime Cerutti, Director, Social Affairs, BusinessEurope Guillaume Afellat, Policy Advisor, CEEP
	- Liliane Volozinskis, Director Social Policy and Training, UEAPME
13h30	End of Seminar, Buffet lunch served

Questions for Workshop:

- Could you specify what your needs are in terms of capacity building?
 - o Please give examples.
- Are there dedicated strands of funding which are specifically dedicated to capacity building of social partners?
 - $\circ\quad$ Please give examples of how these funds are managed and used in practice.
- Can you provide some examples of good/bad experiences in using, or trying to use, funds for capacity building?