

RESPONSIBILITY TO ACT

Engaging in innovative partnerships to implement the Sustainable Development Goals (SDG) framework



EYD2015 Civil Society Alliance presents

Development is not about what Europe gives but how Europe lives

Wednesday, December 9, 2015 // Maison du savoir – Belval // 9.00 - 12.00

The session will be moderated by **Ian HALL**, UK Director, EurActiv.com
Interaction with the audience will be facilitated through Q&A session on Twitter (#myEYD2015) by **Chiara PATRICOLO**, Human Rights and Solidarity Coordinator, European Student Unions

08.30 – 09.00

REGISTRATION

09.00 – 09.25

OPENING REMARKS

Inese VAIVARE, Director, Latvian Platform for Development Cooperation (LAPAS)

Christine DAHM, Director, Cercle de coopération des ONG de Développement de Luxembourg

09.25 – 09.40

INTRODUCTION

Pierrette PAPE, Chair of the Selection Committee of EYD2015 sub-granting mechanism, Policy and Campaigns Director, the European Woman Lobby

09.40 – 09.45

Video projection #myEYD2015, contributions from the members of the CS Alliance and the European projects financed via the CS Alliance

09.45 – 10.05

DISCUSSION ON EYD2015, ITS POLICY RECOMMENDATIONS, THE FUTURE ROLE OF THE CIVIL SOCIETY AND ITS PARTNERSHIPS

Presentation of EYD2015 Policy Recommendations
Marius WANDERS, Ambassador of EYD2015 Civil Society Alliance and CONCORD Europe Board member

10.05 – 10.35

KEYNOTE SPEECHES:

J.F.M. Hans JANSSEN, Member, Committee of the Regions; Mayor of Oisterwijk, rapporteur on the opinion A decent life for all: from vision to collective action (NL/EPP)

Stina SOEWARTA, Head of Unit, Communication and transparency, DG DEVCO/EuropeAid, European Commission

10.35 – 11.50

INTERACTIVE DEBATE:

Alexandrina NAJMOWICZ, Civil Society Europe; Director, European Civic Forum

Rilli LAPPALAINEN, Secretary General, Kehys - the Finnish NGDO Platform; Co-Chair, CONCORD Development Awareness Raising and Education Forum (DARE)

Thomas RAVN-PEDERSEN, Head of Secretariat and Editor-in-Chief, World's Best News, Denmark

Ingo RITZ, action/2015; Director, GCAP

Johnny SHEEHAN, Project Coordinator for European Year for Development, Dochas — the Irish Association of Non-Governmental Development Organisations

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CONCLUSIVE REMARKS

Ian HALL, UK Director, EurActiv.com

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Q/A session on Twitter

Do you have any **questions for the speakers?**

Do you want to **contribute to the debate?**

Use **Twitter** with the hashtag **#myEYD2015**.



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