



# RENEWAL

Regional Networking  
for Adult Learning  
in Europe

## CENTRAL-EASTERN EUROPE REGIONAL MEETING

### Final agenda

**15-16 October 2014 - Tatra hotel, Bratislava**

**OBJECTIVES:** The main aims of the meeting are to encourage exchanges and debates on the European Agenda in Central-Eastern Europe and promote the cooperation between governmental and civil society actors in the region. At these meeting, the RENEWAL state of the art report on the implementation of the Adult Learning Agenda will be presented. This document will provide the participants with food for thoughts on the challenges and potentialities of the European Commission's strategy and be the basis of a national and international discussion.

**TARGET GROUPS:** Meetings are targeted at adult education providers, representatives from the civil society and from the European Commission as well as national coordinators.

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### *First day / 15 October 2014*

9.30-10.00 *Registrations*

10.00-10.15 **Welcome and introduction of the meeting programme** – Representative of the Ministry of Education, Slovakia

10.15 - 10.30 **RENEWAL project presentation** – Gina Ebner, EAEA

10.30 - 11.00 **RENEWAL state-of-the-art report presentation** – Francesca Operti, EAEA

11.00 - 11.15 *Coffee break*

11.15 - 11.45 **The European Agenda for Adult Learning implementation** – Martina Ni-Cheallaigh, *European Commission*;  
Zvonka Pangerc Pahernik, *SIAE*

11.45 -12.30 **Discussion about the report and the suggestions proposed by the RENEWAL contributors**

12.30 -13.30 *Lunch*

13.00- 13.45 **Cooperation opportunities offered by the ERASMUS + programme** - Irena Fonodová, *SAIIC*

13.45 - 14.30 **Presentation of best practice**

14.30 - 15.30 **Sightseeing tour of the city**

15.30 - 17.00 **Award Ceremony / Lifelong Learning Week** (Venue: [Apponyi Palace](#), Radničná 1, Bratislava)

**Networking for establishing future collaboration** (Venue: [NSV Slovakia](#), Radničná 1, Bratislava)

*N.B. Finger food will be served both during the ceremony and the networking session*



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*Second day / October 16 2014*

9.15–10.00 **Strategies to reach out to potential learners and raise awareness on AE** – Gina Ebner, EAEA

10.00-10.45 **Professionalisation of adult education staff in Austria** - Irmgard Stieglmayer,

*Weiterbildungsakademie*

10.45 - 11.00 *Coffee break*

11.00 - 13.00 **Workshops:**

A) Awareness raising for and participation of under-represented groups – Janos Toth, *Hungarian Folk High School Society*

B) Civil society role: cooperation between sectors and geographic areas – Gina Ebner, EAEA;

C) Professionalization and certification of trainers and AE staff – Klaudius Silhar, *AIVD SK*;

13.00-14.00 *Lunch*

14.00-14.30 **Reports from the workshops**

14.30 - 16.00 **Recommendations and next steps** - Gina Ebner, EAEA

16.00 - 16.15 *Coffee break*

16.15 -17.00 **Closing speeches** - Klaudius Silhar, *AIVD SK*

*Meeting languages are ENGLISH, GERMAN and SLOVAK*