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TREVIСO - PALAZZO DEI TRECENTO
19-20-21 MARCH 2012

Assessorato ai Servizi Sociali - Regione del Veneto
The Veneto Region, through the Ministry of Social Services that I direct, is presently holding the Presidency of ELISAN, a network of elected representatives aiming to build a Social Europe guaranteeing access to basic rights and social needs of its citizens. The objective is to stimulate the exchange of best practices improving the efficiency of the answers. Our Region is also in charge of the general rotative coordination of the ENSA. These three days events hosted by the City of Treviso have the objective to strengthen the dialogue with the European Institution, to build European partnerships, to stimulate the active participation of Local Authorities in innovative European projects. Furthermore contributions to the topics of the European Year 2012 on Active Ageing and Solidarity between Generations will be collected and encouraged.

In addition, as a specific contribution from Elisan two call for awards will be illustrated one on the field of fighting against the Alzheimer the other on the topic of energy poverty. I do really hope that, in a time of unprecedented challenges, our innovative ideas could bring opportunities for the development of successful sustainable social policies.

Remo Sernagiotto
Ministry of Social Services - Veneto Region
President of Elisan network
Session II – Children and Youth

Sala Verde Prefettura

**COORDINATORS**
Child Working Group: Jos Sterckx, Vleva
Youth Working Group: Concha Fernández Iglesias, Comunidad de Madrid

**MODERATOR**
Francesco Gallo, Director of the Family Service department, Veneto Region

**Project proposals:**

**AUDIT**
Focused on the experimentation and adoption of family friendly employment processes. Discussion among potential partners and joint - elaboration of contents, actions and expected results.

**DRIVE ME YOUNG!**
Focused on preventing alcoholism among youths with relation to car accident reduction and responsible young tourism / Discussion among potential partners and joint - elaboration of contents, actions and expected results.

**CHILD POVERTY**

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**DAPHNE - INVOLVED BY RIGHT**
Funded project focusing on active participation of children in the child protection system (art. 12 Convention on the Rights of the Child).

**Thematic Working Group:**

- **ENSA Child Separate Meeting**
- **ENSA Youth Separate Meeting**
- **ENSA Elderly Separate Meeting**

**Study Visits**

19 March 2012 / afternoon

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**ENSA General Assembly**

20 March 2012 / morning

**Organised by the ENSA network with the involvement of AGE Platform Europe - EY2012 coalition**

**Welcome Greetings**

Gian Paolo Gobbo: Mayor Municipality of Treviso  
Mario Modolo: ENSA Network Coordinator & Director for Social Services, Veneto Region  
Barbara Trentin: ELSIAN Steering Committee Director, Head of Cabin - Ministry of Social Services - Veneto Region  
Remo Sernagiotto: Regional Minister for Social Affairs, Veneto Region & President of ELISAN

**European Year for Active Ageing & Intergenerational Solidarity**

Sven Matzke  

How can local and regional authorities be involved? Intergenerational solidarity at EU Level

**Panel Discussion:**  
Alice Sinigaglia, AGE Platform Europe representative, EY2012 coalition, invited Regional coordinators of ENSA thematic working groups: Martine Connin / Julie Mallegol, Val de Marne; Kerstin Seipel, Sweden; Rudy De Cock, Flemish agency Child & Family; Concha Fernandez, Comunidad de Madrid; Sylvie Carrega, Deputy Mayor City of Marseille.

**Questions & Answers**

9.00 - 10.40

**Launch of Alzheimer Prize 2012**

Promoted by the Médéric Alzheimer Foundation and ELISAN

**Round Table with a Journalist:**

Participants: Alessandro Pigatto, Director of Social Services Ulss 2 - Feltre; Kristine Stempien, chargé de Mission Europe; UNCCAS, ELISAN Steering Board; Monique Trouillard, Assistant general manager CCAS Marseille; Eva-Lisa Touninen, Helsinki Elderly Care Services; Jos Sterckx, Vlaams-Europes Verbindingagentschap; Sweden and other Regional partners interested to present best practises.

**Questions & Answers**

11.00 - 12.00

**How can Regions and Cities work on energy poverty?**

Involvement: Economic and Social Committee  
Frederik Lamberty, European Platform Against Poverty and Social Exclusion

**Round Table with a Journalist:**

Christian Ragger, Regional Minister Social Affairs Carinthia; Winners of the Energy Poverty Award launched by Elisan; Daniel Dantand, GdF Suez; Joan Brookman and Sandra Davies, City of Liverpool.

**Questions & Answers**

12.00 - 12.50

**Wrap up Conclusions**

Barbara Trentin: ELSIAN Steering Committee Director - Ministry of Social Services - Veneto Region

**Collection of commitments for the EY2012 on regional and international level**

**Report of Activities ENSA 2011**

ENSA coordination and city of Vienna

**13.30 - 14.30**

Lunch

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**Conference on Volunteering**

20 March 2012 / afternoon

**Closing of the EY2011 on Volunteering**

**Results of the 2011 European Year on Volunteering**

The EY 2011 Alliance  
Exchange of best practises at Italian & European level

**Round Table:**

Moderator: Franco Moretto, Director of third sector and not self-sufficiency Service - Veneto Region.  
Invited guests:  
ENSA - European Network of National Civil Society Associations  
Emanuele Alecci, President of Luciano Tavazza Association, Managing Director of the Social Cooperative Solidarietà di Padova, member of the National Observatory on Volunteering (Ministry of Social Affairs), Councillor of CNE.

**Training on EU Programs**

20 March 2012 / morning

**Training Event on European Programs: PROGETTA!**

Including a presentation of good practices from ELISAN and ENSA

**Special Guest:** Stefano Beltrame, Director of Veneto Region Brussels Office.  
Presentation of PROGETTA! Initiative

10.00 Anna Maria Villa, Coordinator European Networks ENSA & ELISAN can support European projects participation.  
11.15 Projects Best practices. Exchange of successful experiences. (Progress, Youth in Action, Life Long Learning and Daphne Programs).

Interested partners wishing to present a project can send their proposal to: elena.curtopassi@regione.veneto.it, giovanni.venturelli@regione.veneto.it

The aim of the PROGETTA! Initiative is to favour a more intense participation of private and public actors located in the Veneto Region in European call for proposal and call for tenders. This event intends to provide a detailed overview of the initiatives for 2012

**10.30 - 13.00**

Lunch

21 March 2012 / morning

**Training Event on European Programs: PROGETTA!**

10.30 - 13.00 Lunch

**13.30 - 14.30**

**ELISAN Administrative Board**

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**Sala degli Arazzi**

10.30 - 13.00

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