

Together for Social Europe Conference Programme

Date: 29 April 2009

Venue: European Parliament, Room A3G-2

Time	Session	Speakers
10:30-11:00	How to shape and advance Social Europe?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Conny Reuter, Secretary General, SOLIDAR ▪ Jan Cremers MEP ▪ François Isserel-Savary, Political Advisor, Foundation for European Progressive Studies
11:00-13:00	Social realities in Europe and the role of social NGOs Chairs: Claus Larsen-Jensen, Director, FIC, Denmark & Jan Cremers, MEP	Social workers: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Dietmar Altenberg, Arbeiterwohlfahrt, Germany (Social services and active citizenship: Handicapped care) ▪ Leo Coenders, Humanitas, The Netherlands (Fight Against Poverty and Social Exclusion: Overindebtedness) ▪ Pablo Alejandro Ramírez Obando, Asamblea de Cooperacion por la Paz, Spain (Migration and integration: Co-development) ▪ Stanislav Stach, Rada Pro Mezinárodní Vztahy, Czech Republic (Decent work in Europe: Migrant workers) ▪ Marie-Cécile Renoux, ATD-Quart Monde, France
13:00-14:00	Lunch break	
14:00-15:15	Meetings between SOLIDAR social workers and MEPs	
15:15-16:45	Conclusions and presentation of Declaration “Together for Social Europe” Chairs: Tamara Flanagan, Community Service Volunteers, UK & Joël Hasse Ferreira, MEP	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Séverine Karko and Lydie Gaudier, Pour la Solidarité, Belgium ▪ Tatjana Babrauskiene, Lithuanian Labour Education Society, Lithuania ▪ France Menard, Union Nationale des Associations Laïques Gestionnaires, France ▪ Prof. Dr. Josef Weidenholzer, President of SOLIDAR and Volkshilfe Österreich
17:00	Departure	