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2nd Plenary Conference

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EU - CONSENT 2nd Plenary Conference – Agenda

| Day | From | To | Activity | Salle | Remarks |
|--------------------------------|--------|--|---|----------------------|---|
| Thursday 12.10.2006 | 8.30h | 11.00h | Time for bilateral talks between members of Steering Group and other partners of the network | | Own arrangements |
| | | | Arrival of participants in Brussels | | |
| | 10.00h | 18.00h | REGISTRATION OF PARTICIPANTS | Hall of La Fondation | |
| | 10.00h | 11.00h | Coffee | Hall of La Fondation | |
| | | | <u>PARALLEL SESSIONS: MEETINGS OF THEMATIC WORK PACKAGES</u> | | |
| | | | Work package II / III ‘Theories’ [B. Laffan / W. Wessels] | Cattier | |
| | | | Work package IV ‘Institutions’ [E. Best] | Polyvalente | Summary of main work package results of the first year of EU-CONSENT and planning of future joint activities. |
| | 11.00h | 13.00h | Work package V ‘Democratic Life’ [M. Karasinska-Fendler] | Bibliothèque | |
| | | | Work package VI ‘Economic and Social Policies’ [I. Begg] | Salle D | |
| | | | Work package VII ‘External Relations’ [G. Bonvicini] | Salle A | |
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| 16.30h | 18.00h | <u>GENERAL ASSEMBLY</u> including question and answer session with project and financial manager Funda Tekin; and Report on dissemination by Gunilla Herolf | Polyvalente | | |
| 18.00h | 19.00h | Reception | Salon | | |
| 20.30h | | Common Dinner and Welcome by the Coordinator W. Wessels (Hôtel Leopold; Rue Luxembourg, 35) | | | |
| | | ‘Night cup’ – you are kindly invited to join us for a drink at ‘The Grapevine’; Place Luxembourg | | | |
| Fri day | 9.00h | 10.15h | <u>PLENARY SESSION: HORIZONTAL ISSUES</u> [Chair: G. Bonvicini] | Polyvalente | |

WP II / III ‘Theories’:

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| | | | 'The Constitution for Europe in historical perspective' (W. Loth) WP IV 'Institutions': 'Achieving consensus through committees' (P. Settembri) WP V 'Democratic Life': 'Cultural Diversity, European Identity, and the Legitimacy of the EU' (H.D. Klingemann) WP VI 'Economic and Social Policies': 'The 2008/9 budget review: is real reform likely?' (I. Begg) WP VII 'External Relations': 'From boundary to borderland: transforming the meaning of borders in Europe through the ENP' (M. Comelli) | | |
| | 10.15h | 11.00h | Comments focusing on horizontal issues by <i>Andreas Maurer</i> <i>Edward Best</i> <i>Barbara Lippert</i> <i>Kalman Dezseri</i> | | |
| | 11.00h | 11.50h | Open discussion | | |
| | 11.50h | 12.00h | Concluding remarks (W. Wessels) | | |
| | 12.00h | 13.00h | Lunch | | Polyvalente |
| | 13.00h | 14.30h | LUNCHTIME DEBATE: 'European Integration has reached its geographical and political limits' Moderator: I. Begg Discussants: <i>Brendan Donnelly</i> (Federal Trust) <i>Graham Avery</i> (St. Antony's College, Oxford University, & Honorary Director-General, European Commission) <i>Atila Eralp</i> (Middle Eastern Technical University) <i>Visnja Samardzija</i> (Instiute for International Relations) | | Polyvalente |
| | 15.00h | | Departure of participants | | |

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