

First announcement

CECOP, ENSIE and EMES, with the support of the DG Employment and Social Affairs and the Belgian Social Economy Minister, organise three European final seminars on the Contribution of the Social Integration Enterprises (SIE) in favour social inclusion.



SO YOU CAN ALREADY BOOK THESE DATES (FINAL PROGRAMME WILL BE SOON AVAILABLE)

The working themes will deal with issues such as the activities of the SIE through :

FIRST SEMINAR

**21st february
2003
in Brussels**

- The statutes and legal framework
- The social clauses and access to public markets
- The Competition and the general interest and the consequences on the financing

With the participation (to be confirmed) of Mr. Johan Vande Lanotte, Deputy-Primer Minister, Minister of the Budget and Social Integration and Social Economy of Belgium

Working languages: French and Italian (with the possibility to speak in English and Dutch)

SECOND SEMINAR

**17th March
2003
Luxembourg**

- The appreciation criteria of the SIE
- The steps followed by the beneficiaries and their monitoring
- The autonomy and the instrumentalisation risks

With the participation of Mr. François Biltgen, Employment Ministry of Luxembourg

Working languages: French and German

THIRD SEMINAR

**3rd April
2003
in Örebro**

- Handicapped and fundings Social Integration Enterprises
- The role of the local authorities and others stakeholders in Social Inclusion

With the participation of Ms. Ulrica Messing, Minister of Industry, in charge of Social Economy in Sweden

Working languages: English and Spanish (with possibility to speak Swedish).

The presentation of several best practices cases at a European level, will enrich the works of each seminar. These will finish with a reflection on the taking into account and proposals of the integration social enterprises in the Social National inclusion Action Plans.

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