



Agenda
ReferNet Central Europe Regional Meeting

Bundesinstitut für Berufsbildung BIBB
Robert-Schuman-Platz 3, Bonn

May 3-4, 2007

Wednesday May 2

Arrival (Cologne/Bonn Airport; Railway Station Bonn)

Accommodation at Gustav-Stresemann-Institut (GSI), Langer Grabenweg 68, 53175 Bonn

17.00 Bonn City: Guided Walking Tour (2 hours, optional)
19.00 Dinner (optional)
Restaurant "Pirandello"
Brüdergasse 22, 53111 Bonn; 0228-656606

Thursday May 3 Venue: BIBB, room 1.130

09.00 – 09.30 Welcome by Prof. Reinhold Weiß, BIBB (Deputy President/Head of Research), and Marc Willem, Cedefop

09.30 – 11.00 Introduction to the main results of the Helsinki Communiqué (Marc Willem, Cedefop)

Progress towards the main priorities in the Copenhagen Process (Short reports by each country)

11.00 - 11.15 Coffee break

11.15 - 13.00 Reflection on ReferNet cooperation, the work programme and activities up to the end of 2007 (Marc Willem, Cedefop)
Discussion

13.00 - 14.00 Lunch break (room 1.196)

14.00 - 15.30 ReferNet work programme 2008-11:
- institutional set-up 2008 and beyond;
- establishing the multiannual and annual work programmes;
- new grant procedure (framework partnership agreement).
(Marc Willem, Cedefop)

Cedefop future policy reporting
(Marc Willem, Cedefop)

Experiences and comments from countries (in working groups)
Introduced by Ute Hippach-Schneider, ReferNet Germany

15.30 - 16.00

Coffee break

16.00 - 17.30

Conclusions on the ReferNet work programme 2008-11.
Discussion

Preparation of a joint paper

19.30

Official dinner
Restaurant "Diners",
in the Kunst- und Ausstellungshalle der Bundesrepublik Deutschland
Friedrich-Ebert-Allee 4, 53113 Bonn, 0228-9171 420

Friday May 4

Venue: GSI, seminar room 17

09.00 - 11.00

Indicators and quantitative data:
- Available data on VET in Europe (Katja Nestler, Cedefop)
- Indicators and benchmarks in the Lisbon agenda (Dr. Georg Hanf, BIBB)
Discussion

11.00 - 11.15

Coffee break

11.30 - 12.30

Presentations:
- Knowledge management in VET- the KIBB project (Dr. Uta Roth and Dr. Susanne Thalemann, BIBB)
- VET literature database of BIBB (Markus Linten, BIBB)
Discussion

12.30 - 13.30

ReferNet's role in Cedefop's communication and dissemination policy
(Marc Willem, Cedefop)

Final discussion of the joint paper
Moderated by Ute Hippach-Schneider, ReferNet Germany

Conclusion of the meeting

13.30 - 14.30

Lunch (optional)

Free time in Bonn or departure to the airport