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**13th September 2018**

InnoVal Action Dialogue

## European Conference on Innovative Assessment Methods for Validation

UNIVERSITY FOUNDATION, RUE D'EGMONT 11 - 1000 BRUSSELS

### 9:00-9:30: Registrations

**9:30-11:00 Taking stock of the implementation of validation in EU Member States and next steps:** *General introduction to the topic: EU policy framework, why validation is important and debate on the current and future challenges.*

- **Godelieve VAN DEN BRANDE**, Unit Skills and Qualifications, DG EMPL, European Commission
- **Ernesto VILLALBA**, Expert, Department for Learning and Employability, Cedefop
- **Martin NOACK**, Senior Expert, Program "Learning for life", Bertelsmann Stiftung
- **Anja BLOCK**, Senior Expert, Project MySkills, Bundesagentur für Arbeit
- **Tatjana BABRAUSKIENE**, EESC representative, Lithuanian Education Trade Union
- **Anna KAHN**, Senior Advisor, Swedish National Agency for Higher Vocational Education

**Moderator:** Pavel TRANTINA, Validation expert, EESC representative (Group III)

### 11.00-11.30: Coffee break

### 11:30-12:45: Innovative assessment methods for validation: the InnoVal project

- **Brief overview of the project and presentation of Online Learning Platform** by the Lifelong Learning Platform (LLL) and the Portuguese National Association of Professional Schools (ANESPO)
- **Overview of type of case studies collected** by University College Leuven Limburg, (UCLL) and **Introduction to two case studies:**
  - Presentation Case study 1: from Belgium (tbc)
  - Presentation Case study 2: from Greece (tbc)



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- **Policy recommendations and conclusions** by the *Lifelong Learning Platform and the European University Continuing Education Network (EUCEN)*

**Moderator:** tbc

**12:45-13:45 LUNCH**

**14:00-15:30 Workshops about how to use the results for future actions**

- **Workshop 1:** *Feasibility (barriers and enablers) and benefits of non-traditional assessment methods - Introduction and facilitation by Janet Looney (European Institute of Education and Social Policy - EIESP)*
- **Workshop 2:** *How to assess competencies? - Introduction and facilitation by Martin Noack (tbc - Bertelsmann Stiftung)*
- **Workshop 3:** *Upscaling and transferability of innovative methods: from local initiatives to policies - Introduction and facilitation by Gabriela Civico (European Volunteer Centre - CEV)*

**15:30-16:00 Coffee break**

**16:00-16:30 Workshops wrap-up and conclusions**

**16:30-17:30 Validation Task force Meeting** (restricted access)

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