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EASE Activity plan 2016

The EASE Board adopted the Activity plan for 2016. Click [here](#) to see the activity plan 2016. The focus, of course, goes out to the ESSDC meetings. Also, EASE is active in the project to strengthen the ESSDC, a possible project with EOSE on the Sector Skills Alliance. The decision about this project will be made around the summer. Additionally, EASE seeks cooperation and strengthening of the organization. A SWOT analysis of the EASE organisation will be made and reported in May.



OiRA tool

Online instrument Risk Assessment

The OiRA tool is (free) available to all EASE members and non-members. Health and safety is an important issue of social partners at European level. Recently the guidelines on health and safety has been finalized by social partners. We ask you to disseminate the [OiRA tool](#) at national level, as well as the guidelines. We like to hear what actions have been taken. For more information about OiRA click [here](#).

ESSDC

February 2016 main item: Employability

In the ESSDC meeting of 6th February 2016, social partners have extensively discussed a joint opinion on employability. We have worked hard together with Uni Europa to agree on the draft, but a final agreement has not yet been accomplished. Publication of the final document will follow in short notice.

ESSDC

May 2016

On May 23rd the second ESSDC meeting of this year will be held in Brussels.

The invitation and agenda is sent to all EASE members. We will certainly talk about employability again.



Marjolijn Spoorenberg

EASE secretariat and finance

There is a change in the secretariat. Ankie Winkelman (WOS) has handed over her EASE activities to Marjolijn Spoorenberg. Marjolijn will, in the near future, also take over some activities from René van den Burg. Ankie, thanks for the work you did for EASE!

The finances in 2016 will be executed by the Accounting Consultant Tanja Klinge of Arbetsgivaralliansen.



Strategic survey EASE

The EASE board has decided to analyse the future opportunities and strategy of EASE. On the basis of a clear SWOT analysis, EASE will determine a way forward. It is expected that the research will be completed around the end of June 2016. EASE will discuss the report with their members.



Project ESSDC

'Support for Social Dialogue'

This project is led by Uni Europa, EASE is supportive partner. On short term, a few informative meetings (round tables) will be organised in Europe. This all serves to strengthen social dialogue. We ask you to follow any messages about this project!



S2A-sport website

Official launch

The new website of the European project S2A is online. The S2A (Strategy to Action) Sport Project is focussed on the Sport and Active Leisure Sector and in particular on the skill needs of sport administrators – the people, in paid and voluntary roles in middle management in national and European sport organisations across the EU, who are responsible for managing, organising, marketing and running sport. In [this article](#) you can find more information on the project.

We invite you to have a look on the [S2A website](#).

Project application EOSE / Active leisure

A European Sector Skills Alliance for Sport and Physical Activity (ESSA-Sport)

EASE is full partner in the application for a project on the labour market alliance. Uni Europa is supportive in this project. A decision on this will be made coming summer. The project is very important for EASE because it will connect us with many employers. The EASE board, despite an invitation to work with EuropeActive, participate on a similar project application for the Active Leisure sector. The main reason for this is that we want to focus primarily on the whole (united) sports sector and not just on part of the sector. EASE cannot

participate on all levels as we have a lack of manpower. We will keep you informed about further steps!

More information about EASE? Mail to secretariat@easesport.eu or visit the website www.easesport.eu!