



Horizon 2020 Policy Support Facility (PSF)

Mutual Learning Exercise (MLE) on "National practices in Widening Participation and Strengthening Synergies"

Scoping Workshop

30 May 2017, 10h00 – 16h00

EASME, Covent Garden Building, Place Charles Rogier 16, Room COV2 09/188,
Brussels 1210, Belgium

Draft Agenda

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| 10:00 – 10:10 | Welcome
W. Burtscher, Deputy Director General, DG Research & Innovation |
| 10:10 - 10:20 | PSF and MLE: concept and experience to date
Román Arjona, DG's Chief Economist and Head of Unit A4 "Analysis and monitoring of national research programmes" |
| 10:20 – 10:50 | Scope of the MLE
Presentation of the MLE Scoping Paper: Magda Carli, Head of Unit B5 "Spreading Excellence and Widening Participation"

Overview of Member States' feedback to the MLE Scoping Paper: Ralitsa Atanasova, Unit B5 "Spreading Excellence and Widening Participation" |
| 10:50 - 12:30 | Tour de table: Member States' views on the MLE scope |
| 12:30 – 13:15 | Lunch |
| 13:15 – 13:30 | Stocktaking on scoping of the MLE
Gonzalo León, Chair of the MLE |
| 13:30 – 14:30 | Discussion and agreement on the scope by Member States |
| 14:30 – 14:45 | Modus Operandi of the MLE
Marta Truco, Unit A4 "Analysis and monitoring of national research programmes" |
| 14.45 – 15.30 | Discussion and agreement on the Modus Operandi |
| 15:30 - 16:00 | Conclusions and next steps |