

1st European Conference  
**LINQ 2012**



**"Learning Innovations and Quality:  
How do they fit together?"**

**Tuesday, 23rd October 2012 in Brussels (BE)**

PROVISIONAL PROGRAMME (as of 5th July 2012)

09:00 - 10:00 am	Registration and Welcome Coffee
10:00 - 10:05 am	Short Introduction to LINQ 2012
10:05 - 10:15 am	Welcome Address by European Commission (tbc)
10:15 - 10:40 am	Keynote Speech on "Learning Innovations" - Godelieve van den Brande Policy Officer, ICT & Innovations in Learning, DG EAC, European Commission
10:40 - 11:05 am	Keynote Speech on "Learning Quality" - Sophie Weisswange Policy Officer, Unit QA for VET, DG EAC, European Commission
11:05 - 11:30 am	"Learning Innovations vs. Quality - A Contradiction?" - Christian M. Stracke Chair CEN TC 353 & ISO Convener, eLC/University of Duisburg-Essen, Germany
11:30 - 12:00 am	Coffee break
12:00 - 12:25 pm	"Learning Innovations in Schools and Science Education" - Sofoklis Sotiriou Head of R&D Department, Ellinogermaniki Agogi, Athens, Greece
12:25 - 12:50 pm	"Quality Standardization & Certification in Vocational Education & Training" Sandra Feliciano, Chair IPQ/CTA 25, Q-Cert-VET, CIICESI-ESTGF-IPP, Porto, PT
12:50 - 13:00 pm	Wrap up of the morning session
13:00 - 14:00 pm	Lunch Break
14:00 - 15:30 pm	Three Parallel Sessions with Presentations of the accepted papers: <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Learning Innovations and Quality (LINQ)</li><li>2. Competences and Skills for LLL (COME-HR)</li><li>3. European Projects for Lifelong Learning (Call for Presentations)</li></ol>
15:30 - 16:00 pm	Coffee break
16:00 - 16:45 pm	Continuation of the Three Parallel Sessions
16:45 - 17:15 pm	Plenary discussion: "How do Learning Innovations & Quality fit together?"
17:15 - 17:30 pm	Final Conclusions and Future Prospects for Learning Innovations & Quality
17:30 pm	End