



EFC Networks meeting on migrant children

4-5 February 2013 | European Foundation Centre, Brussels

Programme

Monday 4 February 2013

12:00 *Buffet welcoming lunch*

13:00 **Welcome, purpose and structure of the event**

Children on the Move

Moderator: Sara Llewellyn, Chief Executive of the Barrow Cadbury Trust and Chair of the EFC Diversity, Migration and Integration Group

This session will explore foundations' responses to the situation of vulnerable children in Europe, including those who are undocumented and/or in detention.

- ◌ [PICUM](#): A European perspective on the issue of irregular migration and children. Presentation by Kadri Soova, PICUM's Advocacy Officer
- ◌ [Global Campaign to End Immigration Detention of Children](#): tactics and strategies. Presentation by Jeroen Van Hove, Campaign Coordinator, International Detention Coalition (IDC)
- ◌ [Children on the Move initiative](#): a global approach. Presentation by Salvatore Parata, Head European Office, Terre des Hommes International Federation (TDHIF)

14:45 *Coffee break*

15:00 **Impact of Migration on Educational Systems: Shaping Practice and Governance by Foundations**

Moderator: Pia Gerber, Director of Freudenberg Stiftung and chair of the EFC Children and Youth Funders Group

Through case studies and discussion, this session will explore foundations' approaches aimed at triggering systemic change and the inclusion of migrant children in the whole spectrum of education (from early childhood to vocational training). Cases to feature include:

- ◌ [Primano](#) and [Primokiz](#): integrated early education programmes in Switzerland. Presentation by Sandro Giuliani, Managing Director, Jacobs Foundation
- ◌ [Parrainage](#): a case on coaching youngsters with migrant background to assist their transition to the labour market. Presentation by Ayité Creppy, Director of Face Lille Métropole, Fondation Agir contre l'Exclusion (FACE)
- ◌ [One Square Mile Education](#): a German case on the whole span of education; the work of mediators with children of Roma background within the framework of the regional center for integration, migration and democracy. Presentation by Dr. Andrés Nader, RAA Berlin, Regionale Arbeitsstellen für Bildung, Integration und Demokratie (RAA) e.V

Questions to be addressed during presentations and discussion, include:
What kind of innovation/sustainable change do you want to push forward with your approach? Which facts can show that your approach has sustainable effects? (question for the audience) Are there elements that you would like to transfer into your national, regional or local context?

17:00 End of Day 1

17:30 **Children and Youth in Crisis: Protecting and Promoting Human Development in Times of Economic Shocks**

The Jacobs Foundation and the EFC are inviting participants to join a public presentation by [Jed Friedman](#), Senior Economist, The World Bank, of the results of a research collaboration entitled "[Children and Youth in Crisis: Protecting and Promoting Human Development in Times of Economic Shocks](#)".

This is a public event open to all organisations interested on the topic

18:30 **Networking Cocktail** at the EFC office

19:30 **Funders-only Dinner**

Le Rendez-vous des artistes, 24 Rue Dejonckerstraat, 1060 Brussels

Tuesday 5 February 2013

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| 9:00 | Children and Youth Funders meeting
Participants reflection, discussion and decisions on the future development of the network: activities, funding and way of working | Diversity, Migration, Integration Group Business meeting
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| 12:30 | Concluding remarks
What have we learnt? Our experience from a joint meeting; opportunities for next steps forward | |
| 13:00 | <i>Closing networking lunch</i> | |

About the EFC Children and Youth Funders Group: It provides a platform for learning, networking, exchange of experience and identification of opportunities for synergies for foundations and corporate donors working on advancing children and youth issues in Europe and internationally. www.efc.be/ChildrenAndYouth

About the EFC Diversity, Migration, Integration Group: It convenes foundations with the aim to promote good practice through fostering networking; exchanging and collecting information on promising practices; enhancing knowledge and building intelligence on the sector; and communicating and coordinating foundations interested in the fields of diversity and migration. www.efc.be/dmiig