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# eucen 2022 Policy Talks in Brussels

Monday 19 September 2022 | 10:30 to 13:30 CET

## *Special Announcement*

### *Responsive Universities for Lifelong Learning: Making Flexible Learning a reality to sustain current needs in Europe and beyond*

Universities across Europe face a huge challenge of how to strengthen their mission of education, of research and innovation and of social responsibility in which lifelong learning has played a growing role in the last twenty-five years. Economic demands and social claims have also resulted in the changing nature of learners and students and of stakeholders higher education institutions have been competing to strengthen their positions, prestige and partnerships.

The 2022 Policy Talks will put Flexible Learning into the focus of discussion with dimensions of university lifelong learning, where skills development, effective knowledge transfer and adaptation to real needs are put in the centre of the learning process.

Invited representatives of key international organisations and European institutions/organisations will highlight challenges and perspectives of both economic and social challenges to demonstrate matters of employability, social cohesion, sustainable communities, equity and inclusion.

**Audience** | a maximum group of 26 participants expected from Civil Society (NGOs and associations from the Education sector) and European Policy Makers

**Date** | Monday, 19 September 2022, starting at 10:30CET

**Venue** | Government of Catalonia - Delegation to the EU  
227, Rue de la Loi. 1040 Brussels

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**Registration** | <https://forms.gle/HSmr76x4Bo9oL3hD6>

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### **Preliminary Programme**

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10:20 Registration

10:30 **Opening** | Balazs NEMETH, President, **eucen**

10:45 **“Exploring our environment: EU institutions”** | Chair: Eva CENDON

- European Commission: DG EAC
- European Commission: DG EMPL
- UNESCO Institute of LLL

11:15 *Coffee break*

11:45 **“Exploring our environment: Education sector”** | Chair: Timo HALTUNNEN

- EUA
- EURASH
- EAEA

12:15 **“Exploring our environment: Civil Society”** | Chair: Seamus O'TUAMA

- LLLP
- ESU
- Solidar

12:45 **Open Discussion**

13:15 **Closing** | Balazs NEMETH, President, **eucen**

13:30 *Lunch*

*Names of representatives from invited organisations to be confirmed.*

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