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GENDER EQUALITY CONFERENCE

“COMBATING GENDER STEREOTYPES IN AND THROUGH EDUCATION”

**WITH THE PARTICIPATION OF THE COUNCIL OF EUROPE
NETWORK OF NATIONAL FOCAL POINTS ON GENDER EQUALITY**

DRAFT PROGRAMME

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ educational models from gender-neutral education to non-mixed education (Sweden/Belgium/France/Spain) ➤ combating stereotypes in teaching material (Belgium, the Netherlands) ➤ addressing school curricula, subject choice and career guidance (Spain) <p>Questions and Discussion</p>
1.00 – 2.30 pm	Lunch
Session 3 Mainstreaming gender in the education system	
2.30 – 4.00 pm	<p>Keynote speaker: Council of Europe expert [name tbc]</p> <p>Presentations by Representatives from CoE countries on:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Challenges in implementing the Recommendation on gender mainstreaming in education ➤ Achievements <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - teacher educator who are implementing GM in pedagogical programmes for student teachers and for in-service courses of teachers (Portugal/Spain) - participation of women in leadership, - having more male teachers <p>Questions and Discussion</p>
4.00 – 4.30 pm	Coffee break
Session 4 Gender Equality in the margins of the classroom	
4.30 – 6.00 pm	<p>Keynote speaker: Council of Europe expert [name tbc]</p> <p>Deconstructing traditional gender roles at all levels of society</p> <p>Presentations by Representatives from CoE countries on:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Initiatives at pre-school level : guides for and training of child-care workers (Suisse/ Denmark/Portugal) ➤ Non formal education ➤ Informal education ➤ Parents engaged with schools in combating gender stereotyping ➤ The role of the media <p>Questions and Discussion</p>

Day 2 - 2014	
Session 5	
Combatting violence against girls and women: from specific programmes to mainstream education	
9.00 – 10.30 am	<p>Keynote speaker: Council of Europe expert [name tbc]</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ <i>Study on Article 14 of the Istanbul Convention</i> ➤ <i>Denmark (a magazine and film/CD for girls and boys together with an accompanying guide for teachers on the issue of the so called "porn chic", on the other hand, targets 14 to 16-year-olds at school. It discusses how differently girls and boys perceive their own body and how they are influenced by soft-core pornographic symbols and codes mainstreamed through the mass media.)</i> ➤ <i>No hate speech campaign</i> <p><i>Questions and Discussion</i></p>
10.30 – 11.00 am	Coffee Break
Closing Session	
11.00 – 12.30 pm	<p>Reports of the different workshops (<i>5 mins per presentation</i>)</p> <p>General Report by Maureen Bohan, Council of Europe expert</p>
12.30 pm	Closing remarks by CoE Representative