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Workshop on
Gender Equality indicators and tools
of the project
Balance in Sport – Tools to implement Gender Equality

*organised by the Council of Europe
in co-operation with the project partners*

10 April 2016, 14:00 – 18:00

11 April 2016, 9:00 – 14:30

Conference venue:
Nordic C Hotel
Stockholm, Sweden
Email: sport.gender@coe.int

Factsheet

Organisers

The Council of Europe in co-operation with the Balance in Sport project partners and stakeholders.

Background

“Balance in Sport – Tools to implement Gender Equality”. The project aims to identify and test generally agreed Gender Equality indicators in sports which will enable a uniform approach to collect relevant data on Gender Equality (GE) and impact on the design of policies to redress persisting inequalities. It will map the *de facto* sports situation, including leadership, coaching, media, participation and violence. During the project tools will be developed to facilitate the implementation and use of these indicators by public authorities in charge of sport and sport organisations.

The project is financed by the European Commission and the Council of Europe and implemented in co-operation with partner organisations and relevant stakeholders.

Objectives of the Balance in Sport workshop

The workshop is designed in an interactive way engaging participants to exchange information and share their relevant expertise, views and know-how.

Specifically, the workshop aims to:

- fine-tune and conclude the work on the generally agreed GE indicators
- develop with partners ideas on tools/ trainings on the use of GE indicators in sport

A number of stakeholders such as sports organisations, partners and experts will be involved in the project.

Programme elements and methodology

The programme is organised in an interactive way engaging participants in discussions. It will include presentations by consultants/ experts/ top practitioners.

The event will feature the following:

- High profile speeches on Gender Equality and Gender Equality in sports indicators
- Best practice example(s)
- Working groups on topical issues

Outcome

The organisers would like to achieve the following outcomes:

- Generally agreed GE indicators in sport
- Concepts of tools to use/ implement GE indicators
- Design of a training to promote the use/ implementation of GE indicators

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Working language

English (no interpretation is provided)

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Participants

The conference will bring together up to 20 participants representing public authorities responsible for sport, sports organisations as well as other sport stakeholders such as specialist sport organisations.

Terms of participation

- Participation in the conference is free of charge.
- Travel and accommodation costs of registered participants are reimbursed. (Please register by sending an email to sport.gender@coe.int.)

Visas

Participants are responsible for checking visa requirements and making their own visa arrangements before departure. They may use the individual invitation letter they receive from the Council of Europe, which constitutes an official document and, as such, will allow them to obtain the necessary visas. The Council of Europe will prepare official notes for the participants requiring a visa. Visa expenses can be reimbursed upon presentation of documentary evidence of payment (original receipt and a copy of the passport with the visa in it).

Registration and participation

Interested individuals can register by pointing their browser to <http://www.trippus.net/ews-crew-iwg> and filling in the details as well as sending an email with first name, family name, organisation and contact details (full address, phone number) to sport.gender@coe.int **at their earliest convenience – before 15 March 2016 at the very latest**. The participation of one expert per organisation will be financed by the project.

Information

Additional information on the programme can soon be found on the website.

Contact

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