

European Conference on Social Innovations for Healthy and Active Life Expectancy

10:00-16:15 14 October 2015 - Renaissance Marriott Hotel, Brussels

Draft Programme
Chair: to be confirmed

This conference presents the findings from the INNOVAGE project since 2012, and will:

- Share the project's activities and results
- Highlight the great potential of social innovations to both improve wellbeing and quality of life
- Help to neutralise the negative aspects of ageing at the individual and societal levels

10:00	Welcome
10:10	The INNOVAGE project – Alan Walker, University of Sheffield, UK
10:30	Linking social innovation to Healthy Life Expectancy - Carol Jagger, Newcastle University, UK
10:45	Best practice in engaging older people in social innovation – Maude Luherne, Age Platform Europe
11:00	<i>Break and refreshments</i>
11:20	Social innovation and Active and Healthy Ageing in the EU – European Commission (to be confirmed)
11:40	Social innovation in the New Member States – Uldis Berkis, Latvian Council of Science
12:00	ICT-enabled social innovation - (to be confirmed)
12:20	Panel discussion: how can different stakeholders use the project results
13:15	<i>Lunch</i>
14:15	Social innovation: User-driven housing for older people – Susanne Iwarsson, Lund University, Sweden

14:45	Social innovation: ICT based social-support for carers of older people – Francesco Barbabella, INRCA, Italy and Areti Efthymiou, Eurocarers, EU
15:15	Social innovation: Improving obesity-related outcomes in old age – Stuart Parker, Newcastle University UK and Heath Reed, Sheffield Hallam University, UK
15:45	Social innovation: Long-term care in motion - Klaus Hauer & Hans-Werner Wahl, Heidelberg University, Germany
16:15	<i>Refreshments and networking</i>
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