

# Social Economy, an enterprise model for the future of Europe

**Madrid, 23 May 2017**

**Museo Nacional Centro de Arte Reina Sofía,  
Auditorium 400, Nouvel building, c/ Ronda de Atocha, s/n**

**9:15 Arrival of participants**

**10:15 Video**

**10:30 Official opening and addresses**

- **Juan Antonio Pedreño**, President of Social Economy Europe and CEPES
- **Miro Cerar**, Prime Minister of Slovenia (tbc)
- **Fátima Báñez**, Minister of Employment and Social Security of Spain

**11:00 Signature of Madrid declaration on Social Economy and family photo. Speeches.**

- **Fátima Báñez**, Minister of Employment and Social Security, Spain
- **Galab Donev**, Minister of Labour and Social Policy of the Republic of Bulgaria (tbc)
- **Zeta Emilianidou**, Minister of Labour, Welfare and Social Insurance, Cyprus (tbc)
- **Tomislav Čorić**, Minister for Labour and the Pension System, Croatia (tbc)
- **Jevgeni Ossinovski**, Minister of Health and Labour of Estonia (tbc)
- **Nicolas Schmit**, Minister of Labour, Employment and Social Economy, Luxembourg
- **Christian Cardona**, Minister of Economy, Investments and Small Business, Malta (tbc)
- **José Antonio Vieira da Silva**, Minister of Labour, Solidarity and Social Security, Portugal
- **Michaela Markosová**, Minister of Labour and Social Affairs, Czech Republic (tbc)
- **Ján Richter**, Minister of Labour, Social Affairs and Family, Slovak Republic (tbc)
- **Lia-Olguta Vasilescu**, Minister of Labour and Social Justice, Romania (tbc)
- **Ardalan Shekarabi**, Minister for Public Administration, Sweden (tbc)
- **Ouranía Antonopoulos**, Alternate Minister for Combatting Unemployment, Greece (tbc)
- **Luigi Bobba**, State Secretary of Ministry of Labour and Social Policy, Italy
- **Krzysztof Michałkiewicz**, State Secretary of Family, Labour and Social Policy, Poland (tbc)
- **Tadej Slapnik**, State Secretary in the Office of the Prime Minister responsible for social economy, Slovenia
- **Representative of the french government** (tbc)

**11:30 Social Economy and European Institutions**

*Moderated by a representative of the **Spanish Government***

- **Georges Dassis**, President of the European Economic and Social Committee
- **Ramón Luis Valcárcel**, Vice-President of the European Parliament and Co-President of the Social Economy Intergroup
- **Jens Nilsson**, MEP and Co-President of the Social Economy Intergroup

- **Slawomir Tokarski**, Director for Innovation and Advanced Manufacturing, DG GROWTH, European Commission
- **Ann Branch**, Head of Unit Job Creation, DG EMPL, European Commission

### 12.30h **Social Economy in the agenda of Member States**

*Moderated by a Vice-President of Social Economy Europe*

- **Fátima Báñez**, Minister of Employment and Social Security of Spain
- **Nicolas Schmit**, Minister of Labour, Employment and Social Economy of Luxembourg
- **José Antonio Vieira da Silva**, Minister of Labour, Solidarity and Social Security of Portugal
- **Luigi Bobba**, State Secretary of Ministry of Labour and Social Policy, Italy
- **Tadej Slapnik**, State Secretary in the Office of the Prime Minister responsible for social economy, Republic of Slovenia

### 14:00 **Closing event**

- **Juan Antonio Pedreño**, President of Social Economy Europe and CEPES
- **Manuela Carmena**, Mayor of Madrid
- **Cristina Cifuentes**, President of the Comunidad Autónoma de Madrid (tbc)
- **Fátima Báñez**, Minister of Employment and Social Security of Spain

*The conference will be presented by the Spanish journalist Manuel Campo Vidal.*

*Video-messages of Commissioners **Elżbieta Bieńkowska** (Internal Market, Industry, Entrepreneurship and SMEs) and **Marianne Thyssen** (Employment, Social Affairs, Skills and Labour Mobility) will be projected during the event.*

*After the closing event, participants will be invited to a networking lunch.*

*To facilitate the security controls to the building we suggest to arrive with some advance. Access to the event will not be allowed without prior confirmation.*

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