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HELPING ENVIRONMENTAL NGOS ENGAGE  
IN STANDARDISATION AT NATIONAL LEVEL



## Programme

5 DECEMBER 2018  BRUSSELS

#NGO4STANDARDS

Moderated by **SONJA VAN RENSSSEN**

9:00

Registrations & welcome coffee

9:30

### Welcome

**LAURA DEGALLAIX**, DIRECTOR, ECOS

9:40

### European standards serving society and the environment

**RADEK MALÝ**, HEAD OF UNIT STANDARDS FOR GROWTH, DG GROW,  
EUROPEAN COMMISSION

10:00

### Empowering civil society for better standards

**ELENA SANTIAGO CID**, DIRECTOR GENERAL, CEN-CENELEC

10:20

### From interest to action: the journey of the UK Sustainability Network for Standardisation

**CLAUDIA KUSS-TENZER**, DIRECTOR, UK SUSTAINABILITY NETWORK  
FOR STANDARDISATION

10:40

Coffee break

11:00

### Facing reality: the needs and challenges of environmental NGOs

PANEL DEBATE

**LAURA DEGALLAIX**, DIRECTOR, ECOS

**FRANCISCO FERREIRA**, PRESIDENT, ZERO, PORTUGAL

**CHRISTOPHE HAUERT**, PhD, ASSOCIATE MEMBER, UNIVERSITY OF LAUSANNE, INTERNORM PROJECT

**JENS HENRIKSSON**, INTERNATIONAL OFFICER, THE SWEDISH CONSUMERS' ASSOCIATION

**SLAVICA ROBIĆ**, EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR, DOOR, CROATIA

12:30

Lunch

14:00

## Having all parties in standardisation matters: special focus on NGOs from the industry

**PAOLO FALCIONI**, DIRECTOR GENERAL, APPLiA

14:15

## Developing a model toolkit for environmental NGOs

MINI WORKSHOP WITH BREAK-OUT SESSIONS

SESSION 1 -

“BREL” ROOM

### Busting standardisation myths

RAPPORTEUR:

**DAVIDE SABBADIN**,  
ADVOCACY CONSULTANT,  
LEGAMBIENTE

SESSION 2

PLENARY ROOM

### Enabling effective participation at national level

RAPPORTEUR:

**AMANDA RICHARDSON**,  
HEAD OF EXTERNAL POLICY,  
BRITISH STANDARDS  
INSTITUTION

SESSION 3

“AGORA” ROOM

### Towards an organised participation across Europe

RAPPORTEUR:

**CHIARA GIOVANNINI**,  
DEPUTY SECRETARY-  
GENERAL, ANEC

15:30

Coffee break

16:00

## Putting the pieces together: Mini workshop findings and presentation of the toolkit

**CHIARA GIOVANNINI**, DEPUTY SECRETARY-GENERAL, ANEC

**IOANA POPESCU**, PROGRAMME MANAGER, ECOS

**AMANDA RICHARDSON**, HEAD OF EXTERNAL POLICY, BRITISH STANDARDS INSTITUTION

**DAVIDE SABBADIN**, ADVOCACY CONSULTANT, LEGAMBIENTE

17:20

## Closing remarks

**GREG ARCHER**, PRESIDENT, ECOS

17:30

Networking cocktail