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INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE

A GUARANTEE SYSTEM FOR YOUTH POLICIES
ONE STEP AHEAD TOWARDS EMPLOYMENT AND AUTONOMY

February 2013, 21st
Venue: Sant'Apollonia • Via San Gallo, 25 • Firenze

2.30 pm **Opening of the Conference**
Gianfranco Simoncini, Tuscany Region, Minister of Economic, Activities, Employment and Training

2.40 pm **The European Strategy for an active and competent young population**
Angela Guarino, European Commission, DG Employment

3.00 pm **Discussion**
chaired by Paolo Federighi, University of Florence

Access measures for:
1. **Completing education and acquiring the right skills**
Steve Fletcher, Senior Evidence Liaison Manager, Department for Education and Skills, Welsh Government
Victor Arias, TKNIKA-Internalization monitor, The Basque Country

2. **Supporting income and fiscal incentives**
Teresa Savino, Officer Employment Department, Tuscany Region
Peter Härtel, Steirische Volkswirtschaftliche Gesellschaft, Styria

3. **Limiting disadvantaged situations**
Victor Arias, TKNIKA-Internalization monitor, The Basque Country

Discussant: Giampiero Girardi, Director of ESF office, Autonomous Province of Trento

4. **Inclusion and growth into the labour market**
Gianni Biagi, Director Training and Guidance Sector
Peter Härtel, Steirische Volkswirtschaftliche Gesellschaft, Styria

Discussant: Esther Estany, Department for employment, Generalitat de Catalunya

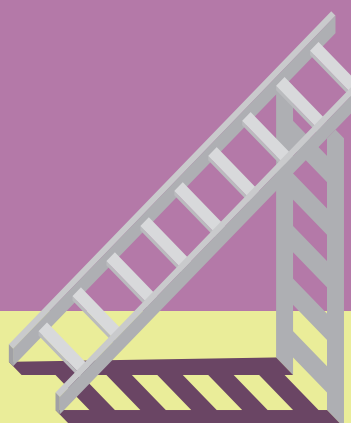**5**. **Developing an appropriate social and cultural life**
Norbert Lurz, Ministerium für Kultus, Jugend und Sport, Baden-Württemberg
Andrea Bernert-Bürkle, Volkshochschulverband, Baden-Württemberg
Anna Hansen, Head of Research in Jamtli, Jämtland

6. **Reaching autonomy and parenthood**
Norbert Lurz, Ministerium für Kultus, Jugend und Sport, Baden-Württemberg
Andrea Bernert-Bürkle, Volkshochschulverband, Baden-Württemberg
Anna Hansen, Head of Research in Jamtli, Jämtland

Discussant: Carlo Andorlini, Tuscany Region, Coordinator of the Giovani Sì Project

5.10 pm **Conclusions**
Steven Bainbridge, Cedefop

5.30 pm **End of the Conference-Part I**

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10.30 am — *Regional policies and measures supporting improvement of youth condition. Results of the comparative analysis in six European Regions*
Paolo Federighi, University of Florence

10.45 am — *Different strategic models and their efficacy based on*

1. Cooperation between public policies and families
Alessandro Compagnino, Tuscany Region, Director for Training, Employment and Guidance
Ramón Martínez de Murgia, Vocational Training Director, The Basque Country

2. Individual responsibility
Steve Fletcher, Senior Evidence Liaison Manager, Department for Education and Skills, Welsh Government

3. Integration in the labour market
Norbert Lurz, Ministerium für Kultus, Jugend und Sport, Baden-Württemberg
Andrea Bernert-Bürkle, Volkshochschulverband, Baden-Württemberg
Peter Härtel, Steirische Volkswirtschaftliche Gesellschaft STVG, Styria

4. Holistic welfare
Lena Bäckelin, Regional Commissioner, Jämtland

11.45 am — *Cooperation among Regional Governments to implement a system of guarantees for youth in Europe*

Round Table
Angela Guarino, European Commission, DG Employment
Karsten Uno Petersen, Member of the Committee of the Regions and Vice President of the Committee for Regional Development of South Denmark Region
Antonio Javier Martins, General Vice-director of Programmes, Generalitat de Catalunya
Elena Donazzan, Minister of Employment and Training, Veneto Region

12.45 am — *Conclusions*
Gianfranco Simoncini, Tuscany Region, Minister of Economic, Activities, Employment and Training

13.00 am — *End of the Conference-Part II*