



DAY 1 - Thursday 5th June

09:30 Registration and welcome coffee

10:00 **Conference opening**
Patrick Ruppel, EPR Chairperson and Member of Consulting Staff, GTB
Alicia Gomez Campos, EPR Secretary General

10:15 **Making connections**

10:25 **Setting the scene: What are the main changes and trends in rehabilitation services?**

- Living independently in the community: *Marie Fitzgerald, Regional Manager, Rehab Group;*
Samanta DeBattista, Senior Executive, and Charlette Camilleri, Leader, Aġenzija Sapport
- Technology: *Eveline De Raeve, Care & Well-Being, Thomas More; Nektaria Sifaki, Head of Vocational Training, Theotokos Foundation*
- Inclusion and work: *Lut Gailly, Staff member, GTB*
- Cost-effectiveness, tendering and citizens values: *Michael Backhaus, HR Officer & European Projects Coordinator, Mariaberg*

11:45 Coffee Break

12:15 **Reflections on challenges and opportunities in inclusion and services**
Haydn Hammersley, Social Policy Coordinator, European Disability Forum (EDF)

12:35 **Leading the change in rehabilitation, learning and innovating together (interactive session)**

13:15 Conference Lunch

14:15	Inspirational Speaker: Driving the Change <i>William Boeva, Comedian, Presenter, Candid storyteller</i>
15:00	Keynote speech: The Sunny Side Up! <i>Fons Leroy, Chairperson of GTB, Labour Market Expert and Author</i>
15:30	Coffee Break
15:45	Open Spaces on Leadership <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Leadership and data management led by Sander Allert, Plain Sight and joined by Fondazione Don Gnocchi</i> • <i>Leadership and quality management led by Karen Warson, Association for Supported Employment (ASEE) and joined by Astangu</i> • <i>Leadership and motivation led by Lisa Willems, GTB, and joined by The Cedar Foundation</i> • <i>Leadership and Inclusivity led by Bee Academy, Joris Van Hoya and Eva Dessers, and joined by Anna Duquennoy</i>
17:00	Closing remarks
18:30	Social Activity: Antwerp Walking Tour
19:30	Conference Gala Dinner at Octave Restaurant

DAY 2 - Friday 6th June

09:30	Welcome and warm-up
09:35	Keynote speech: Organising evidence-based change <i>Jeroen Stouten, Professor of Organisational Psychology, K.U. Leuven</i>
10:30	Feedback from the Open Spaces

10:50	Coffee Break
11:10	Masterclass: Balancing empathy, the key to meaningful innovation <i>Yvonne Gillis, Product Owner and Designer, Syntilio</i>
11:55	A policy dimension from Flanders and the EU <i>Helga Stevens, Policy Advisor, FPS Social Security - DG Persons with Disabilities</i> <i>Olga Martinez de Briones, DG Justice & Consumers, European Commission</i>
12:15	Messages to take home
12.35	Closure

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