



Part I

European Employers Network (EEN) Seminar 26 October 2017

VMA 3, Van Maerlant Building, Rue Van Maerlant 2, Brussels

9.00 – 9.45

Registration and coffee

9.45 – 10.15

Welcome and Opening remarks

- **Maxime Cerutti**, Director Social Affairs department, **BusinessEurope**

10.15 – 11.00

Key Note speech: “The European Pillar of Social Rights”

- Introduction by **Markus J. Beyrer**, Director General, **BusinessEurope**
- **Michel Servoz**, Director-General of Directorate-General "Employment, Social Affairs and Inclusion", **European Commission**
- **Q&A**

11.00 – 12.30

Round Table 1

“State of play and future of European Social Dialogue”

The first round table will discuss how the European social dialogue evolved and how the participants see the future of their (sectoral) social dialogue.

- Moderator: **Maxime Cerutti**, Director Social Affairs department, **BusinessEurope**
- **Jörg Tagger**, Acting Head of Unit, Social Dialogue, **European Commission**
- **Peter Kerckhofs**, Research Officer, **Eurofound**
- **Koen Laenens**, Chair of the Education and Training working group of **ECEG**
- **Ulrich Paetzold**, Director General, **FIEC**
- **Matthias Rohrmann**, President of the European Sectoral Social Dialogue for Railways, **CER**

Followed by interventions from the floor.

12.30 – 13.45

Networking Lunch



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13.45 – 16.45

Round Table 2

Coordination within the European Employers Network (EEN)

The second round table will discuss how we can further improve the coordination and exchange of information amongst employer organisations.

- **Presentation of the ideas to further improve the coordination of EU employer organisations**
- Moderator: **Maxime Cerutti**, Director Social Affairs department, **BusinessEurope**
- **Uwe Combüchen**, Director General, **CEEMET**
- **Anita Debare**, Director, **Pearle***
- **Jessie Fernandes**, Advisor, **EFCI**
- **Jens Thau**, Chairman of the Banking Committee for European Social Affairs, **EBF**

Followed by interventions from the floor.

16.45 – 17.00

Closing remarks

- **Maxime Cerutti**, Director Social Affairs department, **BusinessEurope**
