

Final Learning Symposium

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Time	Description
08:45	<i>Registration</i>
09:00	Welcome. Balázs NÉMETH. President of eucen
09:15	Opening: <i>Testimony of a refugee who went through a VPL process.</i> Waed AL KUTEIFAN (NL)
10:00	VINCE project: <i>Tools that help making a difference in people's life.</i> Carme ROYO. Executive director of eucen
10:20	<i>Coffee break</i>
10:45	World Cafe: <i>Explore the VINCE tools</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Country profiles- Guidelines- Course for professionals- Policy recommendations Chair: Kirsten AAGARD. Independent Expert
12:00	Panel of Good Practices (Validation Prize Finalists): <ul style="list-style-type: none">• AUSTRIA: Aleksandra PANEK. Counselling Centre for Migrants and AST Vienna• ITALY: Anna SCARDIGNO. University of Bari. Centre for LLL for Migrants and Refugees• PORTUGAL: Daniel OLIVEIRA. Lisbon City Council 'Qualifica' Centre Q&A Chair: Pat DAVIES. Independent Expert
12:45	VINCE VPL Award 2019 Ceremony <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Criteria of the selection. Pat Davies• Announcement of the Award. Isabell GRUNDSCHOBBER. University of Krems (AT)
13:15	<i>Lunch</i>

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14:00	<i>Registration</i>
15:00	Opening and Welcome to new arriving participants. Summary of the VINCE Symposium morning session. Seamus OTUAMA. University of Cork (IE)
15:15	Dialogue between researcher and practitioner <i>Complexities and challenges of the VPL processes</i> Researcher's perspective: Renaud MAES. ULB (BE) Practitioner's perspective: Charlotte TROELEN. VIA University (DK)
16:15	"Good news" stories from and for migrants: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• <i>"My inspiration is my future" initiative</i>, Tamer ATABARUT, Bogazici University (TR)• <i>Supporting migrant entrepreneurship - actions and impact</i>, Alexandra ALDEN, SIGNA Spain (ES) Q&A Chair: Francesca URAS. Project Officer of eucen
17:15	Closing of the day. Balázs NÉMETH
17:30	<i>Networking cocktail</i>