

EU-Taiwan Cluster Cooperation and Matchmaking Event

Brussels, June 26th 2017

Venue: Paleis der Academiën, Hertogstraat 1, 1000 Brussels (Belgium)

PROGRAMME

Time	Session
10:15 – 10:50	Registration of participants
11.00 - 13.30	Cluster Cooperation seminar
	Welcome and Introductory remarks
11:00 – 11:15	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Ms. Ulla ENGELMANN, <i>Head of Unit Clusters, Social Economy and Entrepreneurship, DG GROW, European Commission</i> - Ms. HSU Chun-Fang, <i>Senior Advisor of Chinese National Federation of Industries (CNFI)</i>
11:15 – 11:45	Taiwanese Cluster Introductions <i>Each Taiwanese cluster and business association presents briefly their objectives and interests for collaboration.</i>
11:45 – 12:15	EU Cluster Introductions <i>Each European cluster and business association presents briefly their objectives and interests for collaboration.</i>
12:15 – 12:30	Tools and initiatives promoting EU international cluster cooperation: The European Cluster Collaboration Platform and European Strategic Cluster Partnerships <i>Activities and services provided by the ECCP to foster international cluster cooperation. Overview of ESCP initiative.</i>
12:30– 13:30	Panel Discussion: Success stories in promoting EU-Taiwan cluster cooperation <i>Panellists will provide remarks specific to their collaborative activities.</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Moderator: Mr. Johan LECOCQ, <i>Project Coordinator, DSP Valley</i> - Dr. Ben VAN DER ZON, <i>program manager internationalization iso programmer, High Tech NL</i> - Mr. HSIAO Yu-Wei, <i>Director of Taiwan Trade Centre Rotterdam, TAITRA</i> - Ms. Laure QUINTIN, <i>European Project Manager, Minalogic</i> - Dr. CHEN Fang-Chu, <i>Deputy Representative, Western Europe Office of Industrial Technology Research Institute of Taiwan (ITRI)</i>
	Q&A with audience
13:30	Meeting closes
13.30 - 15.00	Break for lunch
15.00 - 18.00	Bilateral Cluster-to-Cluster (C2C) meetings <i>One-to-one meetings between European and Taiwanese clusters and business associations</i>
18.00 - 18.30	Cluster Debriefing Session <i>Session to provide feedback on outcomes of the cluster event</i>
18.30 - 20.00	EU-Taiwan Cluster Networking Cocktail