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Thematic LEONARDO DA VINCI Contact Seminar Transparency, Recognition and Quality in Vocational Training

Transparency, Recognition and Quality in Vocational Training – these are areas of special interest in the vocational training policies throughout Europe. These topics were identified in the “Bruges Process” and are stated in the “Copenhagen declaration” calling for a close co-operation in vocational training in Europe.

The LEONARDO DA VINCI National Agency has chosen these themes for a Thematic LEONARDO DA VINCI Contact Seminar. LEONARDO DA VINCI as the vocational training programme of the European Union funds the development of new innovative approaches in vocational training within European project partnerships. The results of such projects should be used and implemented in the national systems and, therefore, impact on national and European vocational training policies.

The seminar intends to give participants the opportunity to develop and discuss LEONARDO DA VINCI project ideas related to the above mentioned topics. Likewise, the seminar will promote networking activities and contacts between institutions across Europe.

The LEONARDO DA VINCI National Agency, therefore, kindly invites you to participate in the

Thematic LEONARDO DA VINCI Contact Seminar Transparency, Recognition and Quality in Vocational Training

**28 - 29 April 2003
Hotel Crowne Plaza
Wagramer Straße 21, 1220 Vienna
Austria.**

Please find detailed information about the Thematic Contact Seminar in the enclosed programme.

We have foreseen several possibilities for your active contribution during the seminar (details can be seen in the programme).

Call for themes for “Thematic Groups”:

In case you have ideas for additional themes that from your point of view should be dealt with during the seminar in a so-called „Thematic Group“ (for detailed information have a closer look at the programme) please send us your proposal (by using the enclosed form).

Call for project ideas in the field of Transparency, Recognition or Quality in Vocational Training:

If you plan to submit a LEONARDO DA VINCI project proposal or have an idea but are not yet sure whether it might be possible under LEONARDO DA VINCI we ask you to present your idea at the seminar in order to find your way to a successful LEONARDO DA VINCI project. For the presentation of your idea we kindly ask you to send us your proposal by 17 March 2003 the latest (by using the enclosed form).

Presentation of successful LEONARDO DA VINCI projects during the project exhibition:

In case that you are already co-ordinator or partner in an ongoing or already completed LEONARDO DA VINCI project, you have the possibility to present your project at the project exhibition during the seminar. If you are interested in a project presentation please indicate this in the registration form (see enclosure).

Registration:

For registering for the seminar please send the enclosed registration form to the LEONARDO DA VINCI National Agency by 17 March 2003 the latest.


The conference language is English.

The conference costs will be borne by the National Agency. Travel and accommodation costs must be paid for by the participants.

In case you need accommodation we kindly ask you to directly contact the conference hotel (by using the according form) – a sufficient number of rooms has been reserved for our participants.

We are looking very much forward to your active participation in the seminar.

Yours sincerely,



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