

EBN 25th Anniversary Programme

16.30 - 17.00: Registration

17.00 - 17.15: Official Welcome addresses

- **Luigi Campitelli**, President of the Board of Directors of EBN and CEO of BIC Lazio
- **Benoît Cerexhe**, Ministre du Gouvernement de la Région de Bruxelles-Capitale

17.15 - 17.30: "The economic and territorial impact of the BICs"

- **Lennard Drogendijk**, Vice-President of EBN & CEO of BDF Friesland
- **Joe Greaney**, Vice-President of EBN & CEO of WestBic Galway

17.30 -18.30: "Towards a new EU perspective for innovation"

- **Mikel Landabaso**, Head of Unit, Thematic coordination, Innovation, Policy Coordination, DG REGIO, EC
- **Robert-Jan Smits**, Director, European Research Area: research programmes and capacity, DG RTD, EC
- **Peter Droell**, Head of Unit, Innovation Policy Development, DG ENTR, EC
- **Lambert van Nistelrooij**, Member of the European Parliament, EP
- **Michel Courtois**, Director of Technical and Quality Management, ESA

18.30 -19.15: Roundtable: "Entrepreneurs and Innovators talk to policy-makers"

- **Professor Thomas Koulopoulos**, Founder and President of Boston-based Delphi Group
- **3 BIC's Entrepreneurial Champions**
 1. **Daniel Lynch**, Technical director, EXILICA
Coventry, UK
BIC: Coventry University Enterprises Ltd
 2. **Philippe Rousseau**, Chief Financial Officer, VIVALIS
Nantes, France
BIC: Atlanpole, Nantes
 3. **Frédéric Levaux**, CEO CODASYSTEM, Luxembourg
BIC: Technoport (CRP Tudor), Esch/Alzette

19.15 – 21.00 Cocktail Reception

20.00-20.30

- **ESA/ESINET Award Ceremony**

Michel Courtois, Director of Technical and Quality Management, ESA

Winner: Jeroen Rotteveel, Innovative Data Systems (IDS) Delft, The Netherlands

- **UNDP “Eco-Innovation” Award Ceremony**

Giancarlo Canzanelli, Coordinator UN - ILSLEDA Programme (International Liaison Service for Local Development Agencies)

Winner: Jean-Claude REY, CEO, COURTIREY, Thonon Les Bains, France

BIC: Thésame Innovation, Annecy, France



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