

# FROM BLUEPRINT TO REALITY: HOW DO WE EDUCATE THE NEXT GENERATION OF SOCIAL ENTREPRENEURS?

**29th** of January 2024  
at the European Economic and Social  
Committee (**EESC**)

Rue Belliard 99/101, 1040 Bruxelles



Workshop 1

**What are the educational needs of the social economy?**

Workshop 2

**Educational innovations: cultivating social economy values and methodologies**

Workshop 3

**Delivering the SE4Ces materials: empowering educators, inspiring students.**

Workshop 4

**What is next in social economy education?**

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# Agenda

**9:30**

Arrival, coffee and registration

**10:00**

Introduction by Giuseppe Guerini (EESC Member - group III)

**10:15–11.30**

**Workshop 1:** What are the educational needs of the social economy?

*Moderator: Sarah De Heuch (SEE)*

- *Cornelia Grosser, European Commission*
- *Daniel Sorrosal, FEBEA*
- *Agnès Mathis, Cooperatives Europe*
- *Eleni Bletsas, Development Agency of Karditsa*
- *Valerie Fournier and Georgios Kokkinidis of Essex University*

**11:30–13:00**

**Workshop 2:** Educational innovations: cultivating social economy values and methodologies.

*Moderator: Dr. Maria Daskalaki, Oxford Brookes Business School*

- *Dr. Yiorgos Alexopoulos, AuA/Aristotle University of Thessaloniki*
- *Arno Schrooyen, European Student Union*
- *Pauline Boivin, Lifelong Learning Platform*
- *Martin Parker, University of Bristol*

**Lunch**

**14:00–15:00**

**Workshop 3:** Delivering the SE4Ces materials: empowering educators, inspiring students.

*Moderator: Effie Amanatidou, Aristotle University of Thessaloniki*

- *Prof. Dr. Peter Bloom, Essex University, introduction SE4Ces Virtual Game*
- *Eleni Bletsas, ANKA - Development Agency of Karditsa presents the skills module*
- *Valerie Fournier and Georgios Kokkinidis of Essex University present the values module*

**15:00–16:00**

**Workshop 4:** What is next in social economy education?

*Moderator: Mathilde Delabie, Cooperatives Europe*

- *MEP Brando Benifei, Group of the Progressive Alliance of Socialists and Democrats*
- *Prof. Dr. Giorgos Gritzas, Aristotle University of Thessaloniki*
- *Prof. Dr. Maria Daskalaki, Oxford Brookes University*
- *Eduardo Martín, Jóvenes por Fiare*

# Speakers

# Moderators



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