



INTERNATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF EDUCATING CITIES,
NORTHERN EUROPE WORKING GROUP
STUDY VISIT TO BRUSSELS 10-11, October 2019

PROGRAM

10 th October :

9.30	Welcome and Introduction	Boulevard de l'Abattoir 50, 1000 Brussels
10.00	Visit of an Advanced Technology Center [see Note 1]	Boulevard de l'Abattoir 50, 1000 Brussels
12.30	Lunch offered by the City of Brussels	Cultural and Sports Center Tour à Plomb
13.30	Visit of Neighborhood contracts project [see Note 2]	Cultural and Sports Center Tour à Plomb
15.30	Coffee break and meeting with Ms Faouzia Hariche, deputy Mayor of Public Education of the City of Brussels	Grand Place 1, 1000 Brussels
16.00	Visit of the City Hall (<i>Hôtel de Ville</i>)	Grand Place 1, 1000 Brussels
17.30	Transfer back to the city centers and hotels	
19.30	Dinner offered by the City of Brussels	Place to be confirmed

11 th October :

9.00	IAEC Northern group meeting	La Maison Patricienne Rue du Chêne 10, 1000 Bruxelles
10.00	Presentation of good practices from members of the IAEC Northern Europe Group [See Note 3]	La Maison Patricienne Rue du Chêne 10, 1000 Bruxelles
12.00	Lunch offered by the City of Brussels	La Maison Patricienne Rue du Chêne 10, 1000 Bruxelles
13.30	Meeting with the team of the House of European History and visit to its premises [See Note 4]	Rue Belliard 135,1000 Brussels, Belgium
15:15	Closure of the meeting	
15:30	Free visit to the Parliamentarium exhibition [See Note 5]	Rue Belliard 135,1000 Brussels, Belgium

About :

[Note 1]

Advanced Technology Centers

An Advanced Technology Center (ATC) is an infrastructure recognized by the Government of the Wallonia-Brussels Federation, set up in a qualifying secondary school and providing state-of-the-art teaching equipment for students, teachers of secondary education, higher education and social inclusion programs (regardless the network or educational pathway). The ATCs are also available for apprentices and trainers from programs offered by other educational agents (such as small and medium sized enterprises federations, agencies working with people with disabilities, jobseekers and workers) aiming at offering qualifying and technical training for all.

[Note 2]

Neighborhood contracts for urban revitalization

A tool for integrated urban development in Brussels Capital Region. Neighborhood Contract = a program of urban revitalization focused on neighborhoods that concentrate infrastructural, economic difficulties, largely populated by poor population. Five interrelated fields of intervention (Housing, public facilities, Environment, public spaces, social cohesion).

[Note 3]

Presentation of good practices from members of the IAEC Northern group.

All the group members participating at the meeting will briefly (10 minutes) present an experience of their city related to social inclusion through education. After the presentations, a debate will be open to reflect on the most relevant aspects of the best practices presented.

This activity will be open to other Belgian cities.

[Note 4]

The House of European History

The House of European History is a forum for learning, reflection and debate, open to audiences from all generations and backgrounds. Its primary mission is to enhance understanding of European history in all its complexity, to encourage the exchange of ideas and to question assumptions.

More info [here](#)

[Note 5]

Parlamentarium

Multimedia guides lead visitors to the heart of the European Parliament, explaining the path towards European cooperation, how the European Parliament works and what its Members are doing to meet the challenges of today.

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