

EU-PROMENS: Strengthening Europe's Mental Health Community

Building a Skilled, Multidisciplinary Network for Holistic and Resilient Mental Health Systems

Wednesday 9 December 2026 · Comet Meetings – Louise
Pl. Stéphanie 20, 1050 Bruxelles, Belgium

10:00 – 11:00		**Registration**
11:00 – 11:15	WELCOMING	**Welcome** **Keynote speech: Sandra Gallina** *Director-General, DG SANTE* **Eva Schildbach** *Department Director Health, GFA Consulting Group* **Moderator: Laura Shields**
11:15 – 12:15	PRESENTATION	**EU-PROMENS Exchange and Training Programme: Key Results and Lessons Learnt** CHAIR **Janine de Zeeuw** *Deputy Project Manager, EU-PROMENS* INVITED TO SPEAK **Cornelia Ciofu** *Training Programme Coordinator, EU-PROMENS* **Ildiko Meny** *Exchange Programme Coordinator, EU-PROMENS* **Piotr Toczyski** *Psychologist and Sociologist, Maria Grzegorzewska University (APS) & Institute of Psychiatry and Neurology (IPiN), Poland* **Lucie Durocher** *Head of Europe, Projects, Innovation, UNESSA, Belgium*

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12:15 – 13:00

PANEL

Panel Discussion: From Country Experience to Implementation – Reflections from EU-PROMENS Partners

CHAIR

Heiko Königstein

Deputy Project Manager, EU-PROMENS

INVITED TO SPEAK

Ana Boaventura

Clinical and Health Psychologist, Instituto S. João de Deus · **Local partner – Portugal**

Ana Radulescu

Former President, National Authority for the Rights of Persons with Disabilities · **Local partner – Romania**

Karilė Levickaitė

Director, NGO Mental Health Perspectives · **Local partner – Lithuania**

Lars Münter

International Director, Nordic Wellbeing Academy ·**Local partner – Denmark**

13:00 – 14:00

Buffet Lunch

14:00 – 14:30

PRESENTATION

Presentation of the Toolkit

CHAIR

Tomislav Zuljevic-Salamon

Project Manager, EU-PROMENS

INVITED TO SPEAK

Katerina Jelissejeva

Mental Health Specialist, EU-PROMENS

Dora Redruello

Education Specialist, EU-PROMENS

Irena Stanković

Mental Health Specialist, EU-PROMENS

14:30 – 15:15

PANEL

Panel Discussion: From Toolkit to Practice – How can the Toolkit be used in your country?

INVITED TO SPEAK

Benita Barman

Project Coordinator, Valo-Valmennusyhdistys ry · **Local partner – Finland**

Fabiola Gattringer

Deputy Head of Department, Team Leader, pro mente OÖ · **Local partner – Austria**

Koen Westen

Lecturer, Avans University of Applied Sciences/Senior Researcher, Reinier van Arkel · **Local partner – Netherlands**

Martina Rojnic-Kuzman

Professor, Psychiatrist and Psychotherapist, University of Zagreb · **Local partner – Croatia**

Sara Siddi

Neuropsychologist, Parc Sanitari Sant Joan de Déu, Barcelona · **Local partner – Spain**

Zbyněk Roboch

Lecturer, Ombudsperson and Peer Worker, National Institute for Mental Health (NUDZ) · **Local partner – Czechia**

15:15 – 15:45

PANEL

Mental Health Professionals In Europe: How to Foster the Multidisciplinary Approach in Mental Health

INVITED TO SPEAK

Kadri Soova

Director, Mental Health Europe

Laura Shields-Zeeman

Head of the Department of Mental Health and Prevention, Trimbos Institute

Ledia Lazeri

Programme Coordinator, Mental Health and Disability at WHO

Philip Dodd

Deputy Chief Medical Officer, Ireland Department of Health

15:45 – 16:00

CLOSING

Final Greetings and Closure of the Conference

Tomislav Zuljevic-Salamon

Project Manager, EU-PROMENS

Marc Tachelet

Director, HaDEA