

From National to European: Linking Qualifications Frameworks Effectively

29 November 2006

Programme

8.30	Registration
9.00	Introductory Remarks <i>Dr Gabriella Pace</i> <i>CEO – Forum Malta fl-Ewropa</i>
9.10	Opening Address <i>The Hon. Louis Galea</i> <i>Minister for Education, Youth and Employment</i>
9.20	The EQF and Sectoral Qualifications – An Overview <i>Dr James Calleja</i> <i>Acting CEO - Malta Qualifications Council</i>
9.40	The EQF: an Instrument for Mutual Recognition <i>Mr Anthony DeGiovanni</i> <i>Mutual Recognition Coordinator</i>
10.00	<p style="text-align: center;">PANEL DISCUSSION Moderator – Keith Demicoli (Journalist, Media.Link Communications)</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>How Will the EQF Benefit Individuals and Training Providers?</i></p> <p>Discussion and Questions from the Floor. Panellists include representatives from the National Youth Council, the Association of Parents of Children in Church Schools, Assoċjazzjoni Kunsilli Skolastiċi, Malta Association of Professional Training Providers, Staff Development Organisation (OPM), BeautyTech College, Institute for Financial Services</p>
11.00	Coffee Break

11.20	<p>The National Qualifications Framework in Malta – Where do We Stand?</p> <p><i>Mr Charles Mizzi</i> <i>Chairman - Malta Qualifications Council</i></p>
11.40	<p>PANEL DISCUSSION Moderator – Norma Saliba (Journalist, PBS)</p> <p><i>Qualifications Frameworks – For Further Learning or Job Opportunities</i></p> <p>Discussion and Questions from the Floor. Panellists include representatives from the Malta Hotels and Restaurants Association, the General Retailers and Traders Union, the Building Industry Consultative Council, the Malta Employers Association, Confederation Of Malta Trade Unions, Malta Federation of Professional Associations, General Workers Union</p>
12.45	<p>Closing Address</p> <p><i>The Hon. Lawrence Gonzi</i> <i>Prime Minister of Malta</i></p>