



SUMMIT ON THE 2014 DUBROVNIK CHARTER ON CITIZENSHIP

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On the 11th of April 2014 delegates of the countries of Europe gather in Dubrovnik to negotiate and decide upon a charter on citizenship. This charter will function as an advice to the governments and peoples of the different nations as well as an advice to the European Commission.

Due to its different pasts and differences in its present position within international cooperation on the European level, the assembly of delegates of the countries starts its talks in 3 different chambers:

The first chamber is the previous EU 15, the so-called old member states. (From Sweden to Portugal and from Greece to Ireland). Representing 15 countries.

The second chamber is formed by the new millennium member states. (From the Baltic states to Croatia). Representing 13 countries.

The third chamber is formed by the candidate and potential candidate member states. Representing 10 countries. (Belarus, Ukraine, Azerbaijan, Turkey, Macedonia, Bosnia, Montenegro, Albania, Kosovo, Serbia).

A group of independent consultants (the resource persons) may attend the chamber meetings to assist in the formulation of the preliminary statements.

Assignment

The assembly has decided to address three domains of citizenship in 3 committees:

1. Committee on sustainable development and ecology
2. Committee on social inclusion
3. Committee on admission and migration

Each chamber assigns a head of chamber and assigns at the start of the chamber meetings 3 'committees'. Each committee formulates for its own domain 2 main problems/issues and 2 main solutions or strategies. Each problem and/or solution is formulated in one sentence and not more.

Programme of the summit

- 15.05 Each chamber constitutes the three domain groups and assigns a head of delegation
- 15.10 Within each chamber the three domain groups formulate their problems and solutions
- 15.40 The chambers discuss plenary and decide upon their draft charter on citizenship
- 15.50 Small break
- 16.00 Plenary session of the summit. Each chamber delivers a 2-minute pitch defending and propagating their draft charter.
- 16.10 Plenary voting on the alternative problem/solution formulation of the charter.
- 16.15 Presentation of '**the 2014 Dubrovnik Charter on Citizenship**'