



EESC Liaison Group in 2017

Activities and Achievements



**Liaison
Group**

European Economic and Social Committee

OUR MAJOR EVENT:

► CIVIL SOCIETY DAYS

More than 300 participants – European and national civil society organisations, leaders and entrepreneurs, academics, EU policy- and decision-makers and interested journalists – joined us to take part in six workshops on populism, technological revolution, empowerment of CSOs, social cohesion, etc.



OUR WORK:

► PROVIDING INPUT AND EXPERTS FOR

• EESC opinions on

- Financing of civil society organisations by the EU
- Launching a consultation on a European Pillar of Social Rights
- Impact of the social dimension & the European Pillar of Social Rights on the future of the EU
- New EU education strategy
- European Solidarity Corps
- The role and opportunities of social partners and other civil society organisations in the context of new forms of work
- Provision and development of skills, including digital skills, in the context of new forms of work



• EESC studies on

- The future evolution of civil society in the European Union
- Improving the social media outreach of civil society organisations and the EESC: EU consultation in a digital age



• Hearings

- Financing of civil society organisations by the EU
- Impact of the social dimension & the European Pillar of Social Rights on the future of the EU



▶ **CONTRIBUTION TO THE EUROPEAN COMMISSION'S WORK PROGRAMME**



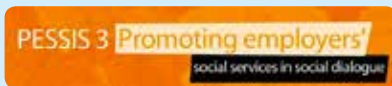
▶ **FOLLOW-UP TO THE RIGA ROADMAP**
(internal working group)



▶ **ORGANISATION OF EXPOSITIONS:**



▶ **ORGANISATION OF PARTNERSHIPS:**



We will shortly be covering the environmental sector with a new CSO member.



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