



A special event on entrepreneurship education, where the sessions will be practical, hands-on, giving different stakeholders in entrepreneurship education the chance to network and create valuable connections , share good practices and contribute to moving entrepreneurship education forward in Europe.

Research: [Innovation Cluster for Entrepreneurship Education \(ICEE\)](#)

Policy: [The European Entrepreneurship Education Network Roundtable \(EE-HUB\)](#)

Schools: [The Entrepreneurial School Awards 2016](#)

Representatives from 20 schools in 5 countries | 15-20 national ministries | Research institutions | European Commission representatives | The (15) Entrepreneurial School Award winners



**The Innovation Cluster for Entrepreneurship Education (ICEE)** is a large field trial on the general impact of entrepreneurship education and how we can ensure that every young person has a practical entrepreneurial experience before leaving compulsory education. Policy makers, ICEE partners and representatives of the schools involved in the field trials are invited to participate. We will share the interim results of the [ICEE Innovation Clusters](#) on National Strategies, Teacher Training, Content and Tools and Assessment.



**The European Entrepreneurship Education NETWORK (EE-HUB)** is a focal point for entrepreneurship education in Europe, bringing together experts at regional, national and European level. Through multiple channels, the experts in the EE-HUB have collected, analysed and recommended “good practice” from the field from multiple countries. The network is an advisory body to politicians and EU institutions. Representatives from 15 - 20 national ministries across Europe and from the European Commission will participate.





**The Entrepreneurial School Awards** is annual recognition of outstanding primary and secondary schools championing entrepreneurship education. The award was introduced in 2015 when 11 schools from 11 countries joined the ceremony in the European Parliament in Brussels. This year the event is in Riga supported by Siemens and with even more nominees.




# Agenda

THURSDAY SEPTEMBER 22, 2016



13:00	<b>Arrival, Registration and Lunch</b>	
14:30 - 14:45	<b>Opening</b> <i>Welcome by the host and welcome to Latvia</i>	
14:45 - 15:30	<b>Focus on Mini-Companies in Schools</b> <b>What do we know about the short- and long-term impact, transversal skills, learning outcomes and start-up rate?</b> <i>A summary of research, documentation and studies done on the impact of the JA Company Programme. Preliminary findings from the ICEE research.</i> Q&A  <i><b>Vegard Johansen</b> is a Research Professor at the Eastern Norway Research Institute (ENRI). He has published more than thirty refereed articles, three books and about sixty research reports. He is an expert in quantitative research design, surveys and statistical analysis. He has managed a dozen small, medium and large-scale projects on entrepreneurship education – both national and international.</i>	
15:30 - 15:40	<i><u><b>Simple Plus</b></u>, winner of the national competition in Latvia 2015 is now a “real” and growing business. CEO Kristiāns Lancmanis will tell you how the experience of participating in entrepreneurship education program helped them to develop real business.</i>	
15:40 - 16:00	<b>Coffee break</b>	
16:00 - 16:45	<b>Case Study Sweden</b> <i>This year, 26 500 students participated in the Company Programme of Ung Företagsamhet. That is 27% of a year group of all the high school students in Sweden. More than 330 000 young students have participated since they started and Ung Företagsamhet has produced several reports on what happened later with their former participants.</i> Q&A  <i><b>Cecilia Nykvist</b> is the CEO of Ung Företagsamhet. Sweden has the highest penetration rate at upper secondary school in Europe and is therefore the closest country to the EU goal of “giving every student a practical entrepreneurial experience before leaving school”.</i>	
17:00 – 18:30	<b>Steering &amp; Coordination Committee Meeting in the ICEE project</b> <i>Internal meeting for the members of the ICEE Steering and Coordination Committee. Specific agenda to be distributed.</i>	<b>Guided tour in Riga</b> <i>Old Town Riga, with its narrow cobblestone streets, not only features gorgeous Medieval-era buildings, but unique sacral structures as well.</i>
19:30-2130	<div><b>The Entrepreneurial School (TES) Awards &amp; Dinner</b> <i>The TES Awards will be given to the most entrepreneurial schools in Europe. The TES Awards are supported by Siemens.</i></div> <div></div>	

# FRIDAY SEPTEMBER 23

	EE-HUB Round Table for Ministries and EU Representatives	Workshop for TES schools	Workshop for ICEE schools and JA representatives
	 European Entrepreneurship Education Network		 Innovation & Research Entrepreneurship Education
08:30	<b>Welcome</b> <i>Sharing progress in entrepreneurship education</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Caroline Jenner, CEO JA Europe</li> <li>• Simone Baldassarri, Policy Officer, DG for Internal Market, Industry, Entrepreneurship and SMEs</li> </ul>	<b>Welcome</b> <i>The Entrepreneurial School Awards, a national and European recognition of the best schools championing entrepreneurship education</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Jarle Tømmerbakke, JA Europe</li> <li>• Livia Di Nardo, JA Europe</li> </ul>	<b>Welcome</b> <i>The ICEE field trials and the cooperation with the schools. Learning from the experience gained in the first round of the research.</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Veronica Mobilio, JA Europe</li> <li>• Vegard Johansen, ENRI</li> </ul>
09:00	<b>The National Perspectives</b> <i>Ministry representatives discussing: Where are we in entrepreneurship education? Focus on progress and what's working at the national level</i>	<b>Presentations from the TES schools</b> <i>TES schools providing an overview of their activities on entrepreneurship education and discussing key elements of success and hindrances. Group discussion.</i>	<b>Moving ahead with ICEE research</b> <i>ICEE schools and JA representatives discussing the ICEE field trials. Lessons learned and good practices.</i>
10:15	<b>Coffee Break</b>		
10:30	<b>The National Perspectives</b>	<b>Presentations from the TES schools</b>	<b>Moving ahead with ICEE research</b>
12:00	<b>Policy Recommendations and Conclusions</b> <i>Including 3 experts from the EE-HUB (below) and representatives from participating Ministries</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• André Roos, Policy Advisor at Ministry of Economic Affairs in The Netherlands</li> <li>• Christian Vintergaard, CEO The Danish Foundation for Entrepreneurship</li> <li>• Slavica Singer, Professor Emeritus of Entrepreneurship at the J.J. Strossmayer University</li> </ul>	<b>Discussion based on the presentations</b> <i>What advice frontrunners as the TES schools give on how to increase entrepreneurship education in European schools</i>  <b>Conclusions and closing Remarks</b>	<b>The qualitative research</b> <i>The plan for the II round of the qualitative research. Presentation and discussions.</i>  <b>Conclusions and closing Remarks</b>
13:00	<b>Lunch &amp; Departures</b>		

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