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| **Name of Committee** | FIT Europe: Regional Centre Europe Steering Committee |
| **Mandate** | Matters concerning FIT in Europe |
| **Chairperson** | Eyvor Fogarty |
| **Members** | Cristiana CoblisSabine ColombeNatacha Dalugge-MommeRenate DockhornDoris Grollman |
| **Work programme** |
| **Objectives** | **Results** |
| Round Tables: London, 2012Nice, 2013Prague, 2014Athens, 2014 | Nice, 2013*General*: Discussions on progress, dissemination of information that can be implemented at a pan-Europe level. Useful information for members’ own members*Specific*: 3 outcomes from Nice Meeting1. LifeLong Learning: as a Europe-wide initiative2. Research into Translation Houses in Europe3. New project - Macroeconomic study of the translation/translator situation in Europe based on EU procurement legislation  |
| Website | New website launched. Streamlining, new look. Work in progress. |
| TransCert | Continuing involvement and representation. FIT Europe position successfully maintained. |
| Monitoring | Availability of relevant information on European topics |
| Search Engine | Initial work on mechanism. |
| Technologies | Analysis of likelihood of free platforms (TM etc), leading to Round Table in March, in Prague. |
| LIND-Web | Continuing pressure/expert group at DGT |
| CIUTI | Networking on behalf of FIT Europe.Opportunity for discussions with key players in European projects |
| Translating Europe Forum, DGT Brussels | Active input and platform/panel representation at DGT Forum, following on from successful forum in 2013 |
| Additional: Promotion of FIT Congress in Berlin | Talks and presentations given at various venues |
| **Objectives for the next 12 months** |
| Round Table: Prague. New TechnologiesRound Table: Athens. TBAWebsite: consolidation and translationMonitoring: cascadingTransCert: continuingLIND-Web: continuing*Mandate ends November 2014. Elections to be held 01 November 2014.* |
| **Communication within the committee (email/skype/face-to-face meetings)** | All of these:Skype meetings once a monthFace-to-face at annual meetings and General Meeting |
| **General comments and recommendations for future work** | TransCert (continuing)Lifelong LearningMacroeconomic study (based on public procurement)Translation Houses in EuropeAdmissions Criteria (professional associations: continuation)Cascading informationCommunication within FITMore information about members to be available on websiteFacilitating process of sharing approved assessors |
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