

The Project “Libraries for Innovation 2” Introductory Conference

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Government of the Republic of Lithuania

Gedimino ave. 11, Vilnius

PROGRAMME

09:00–10:30 Arrival and Welcome Coffee

PART ONE

Moderator Ginas Dabašinskas

10:30–11:10 Welcome Greetings

Algirdas Butkevičius, Prime Minister of the Republic of Lithuania

Šarūnas Birutis, Minister of Culture of the Republic of Lithuania

Representatives from Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation (video)

11:10–11:40 National Library in the context of competitive advantage of the nation

Prof. dr. Renaldas Gudauskas, Director General of Martynas Mažvydas National Library of Lithuania

11:40–12:10 Presentation of the project “Libraries for Innovation 2” and project implementation team, responsibilities and project operating rules

Eugenijus Stratilatovas, “Libraries for Innovation 2” Project manager, Head of Strategic Project Development Department, Martynas Mažvydas National Library of Lithuania

12:10–12:40 Presentation of the project “Libraries for Innovation 2” and project implementation team, Project activities and responsibilities (trainings, impact assessment, advocacy and partnership)

Dr. Ineta Krauls, “Libraries for Innovation 2” Impact assessment coordinator, Director of Library and Information Science Centre, Martynas Mažvydas National Library of Lithuania

12:40–13:00 From book storage to public space – Why change the way we work?

Kari Lämsä, Manager of Library 10 & Meetingpoint, Helsinki City Library, Finland

13:00–14:00 Lunch (Restaurant at the Government, 1st floor)

PART TWO

Moderator Ginas Dabašinskas

14:00–14:45 Opportunities of education and other social welfare technologies

Simonas Gaušas, Research Manager and Partner at UAB “Visionary Analytics”

14:45–15:10 Service delivery to the public: where to start?

Saulius Šukaitis, Director at UAB “Creative Media Services”

15:10–15:25 How libraries can play a key role in open source hardware and the spread of maker culture

Carl Bärstad, Lead Instigator at “Entreprenorskyrkan”, Sweden

15:25–16:00 Letter of Intent and other questions, Goodbye Coffee

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