

2nd European Meeting of Coaches Associations and Coaching Organisations

Athens, 23-24 May 2016

Program

Monday 23rd May

13:00 Registration opens

14:00 – 15:45 Opening plenary session (Chair: Ladislav Petrovic, Sergio Lara-Bercial)

Greeting from: Mr John Bales (ICCE president)

Mr Haralambos-Stavros Kontonis (Deputy Minister of Sports)

Mr Ioulios Synadinos (General Secretary of Sports)

Ms Athina Spakouri (General Director of Greek National Tourism Organisation)

Mr George Patoulis (President of Union of Greek Municipalities)

Mr Spyros Capralos (President of Hellenic National Olympic Committee)

Presentations: Sport tourism opportunities in Greece (GNTO)

Athanasios Villiotis (POPA president) – Representing sport coaches in Greece

Ilias Mylonas (Sailing Coach, Greece)

Javier Imbroda (Basketball Coach, Spain)

15:45 – 16:15 Coffee break

16:15 – 18:00 Coaches Associations – past and present (Chair: Jose Curado)

Jose Curado: Road to Athens

Examples of good practice: Netherlands (Henk-Jan Geelen), Czech Republic (Lukas Kozacek), Finland (Pekka Potinkara), UK/Swimming (Brian McGuinness), Spain/European Basketball, (Juan Maria Gavalda)

Set-up for discussions on Day 2

20:00 Dinner by Greek National Tourism Organisation
Electra Palace hotel at Plaka

Tuesday 24th May

- 9:30 – 10:00 Opening of Day 2
Agata Dziarnowska (European Commission): EU Sport Policies in relation with sport coaching
- 10:00 – 11:30 Parallel sessions:
- Coaches Associations (coordinator: Jose Curado) – way forward, young coaches, coaches of youth
 - Education issues in sport coaching (coordinator: Sergio Lara-Bercial) – European Sport Coaching Framework, CoachLearn and SPEACH projects, education issues in sport coaching
 - Ethics, integrity (coordinator: Antero Wallinus-Rinne) – Match fixing (FtF project), Women in coaching (SCORE project)
- (10:45 – 11:00 Coffee break)
- 11:30 – 12:00 Closing plenary:
Summaries of the parallel sessions
Way forward
POPA Coaching award of Honorary Presidency to two Greek coaching personalities
Closing remarks
- 12:00 Lunch and departures