Policy Department C - Citizens' Rights and Constitutional Affairs
for the Committee on Women's rights and Gender Equality

WORKSHOP ON

"Barcelona Targets Revisited"

Monday, 25 November 2013, 16.00h to 18.30h
Room Altiero Spinelli A1G2, European Parliament, Brussels

Draft Programme

Welcome by the Chair

PANEL 1: RELEVANCE OF CHILD CARE FACILITIES FOR THE
EQUAL PARTICIPATION OF WOMEN AND MEN IN THE LABOUR MARKET

16.00 - 16.10  Introduction “Barcelona Targets Revisited”
Marije Cornelissen MEP

16.10 - 16.25  Barcelona objectives: The development of childcare facilities for
young children in Europe with a view to sustainable and
inclusive growth – state of play
Muriel Bissieres, Directorate-General for Justice, Unit for Gender
Equality, European Commission

16.25 - 16.40  The effects of the crisis on childcare facilities and consequently
on the employment situation of men and women with children in
the EU
Katie McCracken, OpCit Research, London

16.40 - 16.55  The role of childcare facilities for the reconciliation of work and
private life of men and women
Prof. Dr. Janneke Plantenga, Utrecht University School of
Economics

16.55 - 17.10  Q+A with Members
### PANEL 2: DIFFERENT MODELS OF CHILDCARE OFFERED IN SELECTED MEMBER STATES

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