



DIGITAL CONFERENCE

Political Participation in Europe -

Towards effective Involvement of Persons with Disabilities

MONDAY, 30 NOVEMBER 2020

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Program

13:00 Greeting and Introductory Statement
Dr. Rolf Schmachtenberg

State Secretary, Federal Ministry of Labour and Social Affairs

13:10 Presentation on the socio-economic situation of people

with disabilities in the European Union

Daphne Ahrendt

Researcher at Eurofound

13:20 Presentation on legal classification: Political participation –

preconditions and challenges

Prof. Dr. Ulrike Lembke

Humboldt University of Berlin

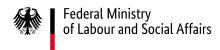
13:30 Contribution from the European Commission on the results of

the evaluation of the European Disability Strategy 2010-2020

on the issue of participation

Joost Korte

Director General for Employment, Social Affairs and Inclusion of the European Commission





13:45 Round table discussion

- Daphne Ahrendt
 Researcher at Eurofound
- Andreas Bethke
 Managing Director of the German Federation of the Blind and Partially Sighted (DBSV)
- Jürgen Dusel
 Federal Government Commissioner for Matters relating to
 Persons with Disabilities
- Prof. Dr. Ulrike Lembke
 Professor of Public Law, Anti-Discrimination Law and Gender Studies,
 Humboldt University of Berlin
- Alejandro Moledo
 Policy Coordinator, European Disability Forum
- Dr. Rolf Schmachtenberg
 State Secretary, Federal Ministry of Labour and Social Affairs

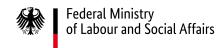
You are welcome to send questions to the panel in advance via: partizipation-in europa@bmas.bund.de

14:50 Prospects and conclusion

Dr. Annette Tabbara

Director General, Participation and Matters Concerning Persons with Disabilities, Federal Ministry of Labour and Social Affairs

Ninia LaGrande leads through the conference.





PRACTICAL INFORMATION

Organiser

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Accessible livestream:

Our digital conference will be held in German and offers the following assistance: English translation, International Sign and live captioning in English. It will be available at: www.gemeinsam-einfach-machen.de/participation-in-europe

Registration:

For our technical planning it is helpful if you **register at:** http://reg.bmas.de/participation-in-europe

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