

# EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT

COMMITTEE ON CULTURE AND EDUCATION

## **PUBLIC HEARING**

on

**"CULTURE 2000: lessons from the implementation of the Programme"**

30 May 2006

from 9 am. to 12.30 pm.

*Chairman: Nikolaos Sifunakis*

Room: ASP 3G2

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# PROGRAMME

9.00 p.m. – 9.05 a.m. Opening by the Chairman Nikolaos Sifunakis

Welcome to the experts:

- Mrs **Bornemann Sabine**, "Cultural Contact Point - Germany", Germany,
- Mr **Brunet Pascal**, Director, "Relais Culture Europe", Member of the Board of the "European Forum for the Arts and Heritage", France,
- Mr **Frisoni Claude**, Director, "Centre de Recontre Abbaye de Neumünster", Luxembourg,
- Mrs **Laenen Ann**, " European Network of Education Departments in Opera Houses", "Opéra de la Monnaie", Belgium,
- Prof. **Zouros Nikolaos**, Director, "Natural History Museum of the Lesvos Petrified Forest", Greece.

All the experts will participate to Parts I, II and III of the programme of the Hearing.  
European Commission representatives will participate to all parts of the Hearing.

9.05 a.m. - 9.45 p.m. **Part I - The assessment of the participation to the Programme Culture 2000**

- a) Positive experiences and results and difficulties encountered (financing, procedures, advice and technical assistance, application process, selection procedures, etc).
- b) Achievements attained with the support of the Programme (impact and sustainability of projects, etc.).
- c) Other

9.45 a.m. - 10.05 a.m. *Debate*

10.05 a.m. - 10.45 a.m. **Part II - The European and cultural added value of the Programme Culture 2000**

- a) Cultural expression and creativity, movement of artistes, socio-economic impact, promotion of cultural diversity and cultural heritage, specific sectors, etc.
- b) Trans-national cooperation and partnerships, representativeness.
- c) Other

*10.45 a.m. - 11.05 a.m. Debate*

*11.05 a.m. - 11.45 a.m. **Part III - Anticipating the New Programme***

- a) Lessons learned from Culture 2000 for a better implementation of the Culture 2007-2013 Programme.
- b) Further improvements (the relationship between objectives and achievements, selection, information, financing, contracts, simplification of procedures, etc).
- c) The building up of a common European cultural space.
- d) Other

*11.45 p.m. - 12.10 p.m. Debate*

*12.10 p.m. - 12.30 p.m. **Part IV - Conclusions***

12.10 p.m. - Remarks by the European Commission

12.25 p.m. - Closing of the Hearing by the Chairman