

Would you like to take part in this conference?

Participation is free for local participants, but we kindly ask you to register yourself **before 22nd of april** by sending an email to one of these persons below, who are responsible for the organisation of the conference in Abegondo.

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For more information you can consult the following web pages:

<http://www.abegondo.es/>

<https://es-es.facebook.com/abegondo.es/>

<https://es-es.facebook.com/xuventude.deabegondo/>

Do you want more information about the project?

You can also contact the same persons if you want to have more information about the project 'On Tour for Europe' in general or you can consult the group On tour for Europe on facebook <https://www.facebook.com/groups/740626399405340/> or the forum On tour for Europe http://s13.zifboards.com/On_Tour_for_Europe/index.php

PROJECT PARTNERS

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Bringing youth step by step to active citizenship and job creation



**PROGRAM ABEGONDO CONFERENCE,
28 - 29 APRIL 2016
CONCELLO OF ABEGONDO**

We are organizing an international European conference about the introduction on the strength that citizens have to affect EU-policy, insight in EU-structures and possibilities for dialoguing. We will also start pilot action to enter into a dialogue with EU on creating youth-employment and entrepreneurship. The days are filled with public debates, workshops, historic reflections and visits.

Take part in our conference and share your best practices!

THURSDAY, 28TH APRIL

9:00 - 12:00

- Official opening of the conference (José Antonio Santiso Miramontes, Mayor of Abegondo, Minister of Economy, Empleo and Industry of the Xunta de Galicia & Mr Ivo Belet, European parliament commission member)
- Round Table "Impact of programs / EU projects in local communities" Intervene development coach Diego Lopez.
"Biosphere Reserve Mariñas Coruñas and Terras do Mandeo", Venancio Salci- nes, President of the School of Finances of A Coruña
- Initiatives under the LIFE program and Ecowas, Carlos Ameijenda (City Council of Abegondo)
- "Mariñas-Betanzos" and the Leader Programme, Diego Lopez (Development Coach "Mariñas- Betanzos)
- Entrepreneurial opportunities in the Biosphere Reserve/ relator / Juana de Vega Foundation (José Manuel Andrade)
Moderator: Luis Freire Pérez de Juan, Councillor for Education and Culture of the City of Abegondo.

Only international participants!

12:00 – 15:00

- Visit to the primary School
- Farm house: explanation on the project 'Galiña Piñeira'
- Presentation of an entrepreneurship project + Program Emprended II

15:00 – 18:00

- Explanation of the project of the museo: Alfredo Erias
- Visit of the Lupulus project in Presedo Abegondo
- Visit to a planting vine "Vino de la Tierra de Betanzos" in Paderne (Initiatives Leader Program)
- Visit to the medieval village of Betanzos, city of the Knights

FRIDAY, 29TH APRIL

9:00 – 12:00

- Introduction on youth guarantee plan
- Videoconference by Mr. Stanislav Rangelov (ESF manager for Spain and Malta, B4 unit DG Employment of the European Commission)
- Intervention regional authority (Ministry of Economy, Empleo and Industry Xunta de Galicia)
- Implementation in small groups: Youth Guarantee Plan
- Explanation on Europe Direct by Cristina Couto Palla, "Advice and information services of the European Union"

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12:00 – 15:00

- Concrete solutions in 2 groups
 - a. Romyna Fraga Lesta, Chamber of Commerce: helping youngsters to discover talents and prepare them for the labour market
 - b. Adrián Saborido Lopez, Chamber of Commerce: working with young entrepreneurs & coaching entrepreneurs
- Concrete solutions in 2 groups
 - a. Covadonga López, Galicia Public Employment Service EURES adviser: cooperation network between public employment services in 32 countries in Europe
 - b. Fernando Rodriguez, Technical Department of Youth and Volunteering: experience of young students studying abroad or volunteers in other countries

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15:00 – 18:00

- Presentation of projects by other partners (Kaunas (LI), Hasselt (BE), St Omer (FR) & Sandwich (UK)
Presentation of agrifood park project, Professor Francisco J. Ferreiro Seoane, professor of applied economics at the University of Santiago de Compostela (USC)
- Presentation of agrifood park project Abegondo
- End of conference: schedule programs for the next conferences in Detmold (DE) and Hasselt (BE)

18:00 – 18:30

- Closing ceremony with local and regional authorities in the field of youth and employment
Speakers:
- Cecilia Suárez Vázquez, Director General of Youth, Participation and Volunteer of the Ministry of Social Policy of the Xunta de Galicia
- José Antonio Santiso Miramontes, Mayor of Abegondo
- Valentín González Formoso, President of the Provincial Council of A Coruña