Northern European Congress „Active Ageing and Solidarity between Generations“

The Ministry of Labour, Social Affairs and Health of Schleswig-Holstein and the PARITÄTISCHE Landesverband Schleswig-Holstein intend to contribute to the European Year 2012 „Active Ageing and Solidarity between Generations“ by a collaborative project which will represent a central event in North Germany and North Europe.

Please make a note of the following date:

**September 17th and 18th, 2012**

**Atlantic Hotel, Raiffeisenstraße 2, 24103 Kiel**

**Aims:**
- Impulses to generate a debate to „activate senior citizens“ by taking a diversity of volunteering into consideration
- International exchange of experience, learning from each other by presenting and exchanging measures and actions for active ageing
- Support for synergy and establishment of new contacts
- Development of new projects and actions - local, national and international

**Key Aspects:**
- Enabling participation in the labour market and society in general easier for senior citizens through voluntary activities
- Preventing social exclusion
- Profiting from the potentials of all generations

**Target Group:**
- Predominantly national participants and participants from the Baltic rim
- Participants who are concerned with the concept of active ageing at either a theoretical, strategic or practical level.

**Organisation:**
- Ministry of Labour, Social Affairs and Health of Schleswig-Holstein
- the PARITÄTISCHE Landesverband Schleswig-Holstein

**Sponsors:**
- Federal Ministry of Family Affairs, Senior Citizens, Women and Youth
- Zukunftsfonds Generali Deutschland Holding AG
- Bertelsmann Stiftung
Monday, September 17th 2012 , 10:00 am – 6:00 pm

Words of Greeting

- EU Commission
- Federal Ministry of Family Affairs, Senior Citizens, Women and Youth
- Ministry of Labour, Social Affairs and Health of Schleswig-Holstein
- PARITÄTISCHER Landesverband Schleswig-Holstein

Presentations

- Prof. Dr. Ulrich Reinhardt, Stiftung für Zukunftsfragen, Hamburg
  „Diverse or dull – How do we want life to be in 20 years from now?“
- Prof. Dr. Thomas Klie, EH Freiburg
  „Ageing – Chance or Challenge for Civil Society?“
- Prof. Dr. Pasqualina Perrig-Chiello, University of Bern
  „Intergenerational Solidarity – Still existing?“

Discussion forum

Tuesday, September 18th 2012 ,  9:00 am – 1:30 pm

Presentations

- Loring Sittler, Generali Zukunftsfonds Deutschland Holding AG
  „Generation 50+ - How do we get involved?“
- Dagmar Vogt-Janssen, City of Hannover
  „Demographic Change – An Impetus for Civil Society?“

Forums

- Working Environment/Moving to Retirement
- Demographic Change
- Intergenerational Solidarity
- Civil Society

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