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Venue	IT-Dynamo Building, Auditorium Piippukatu 2, Jyväskylä
Admission	Free
Organisers	Jyväskylä College Jämsä College Jyväskylä Institute of Adult Education Skills Finland Centre for International Mobility CIMO
Chair of the Seminar	Mr Jukka Koivisto <i>Head of Unit Business and Services</i> <i>Jyväskylä College</i>
Target Groups	National and International Networks of the Organisers Skills Trainers, Experts, Team Leaders International Guests of Taitaja2012 Competition National Agencies Work Placement Providers in Finland and Abroad Management and Staff of Education Providers
Contact Person	Ms Aino Malin, <i>International Affairs Manager</i> <i>Jyväskylä Educational Consortium</i> +358 40 341 5147, aino.malin@jao.fi

Preliminary programme

9.00-9.30	Registration
9.30-9.45	Opening of the Seminar Ms Kirsti Kosonen, <i>Principal, Jyväskylän College</i>
9.45-10.45	Keynote Quality and Attractiveness of VET in the Light of Current European Policy and Programme Developments Ms Alison Crabb, <i>Deputy Head of Unit, EAC B4 Vocational Training, European Commission</i>
10.45-11.30	Quality Assurance of VET in Finland Ms Tarja Riihimäki, <i>Counsellor of Education, Finnish Ministry of Education and Culture</i> Comments Ms Olga Oleynikova <i>Russian Federation, Centre for Vocational Education & Training Studies</i>
11.30-12.15	Lunch served in the lobby
12.15-13.15	Research on the Competitors' Success in the World Skills Competitions Mr Petri Nokelainen, <i>Postdoctoral Researcher, Adjunct Professor, University of Tampere</i> Comments
13.15-13.45	Aspects of Development and Quality in National and International Skills Competitions Ms Eija Alhojärvi, <i>Executive Director, Skills Finland Ltd.</i>
13.45-14.00	Closing of the Seminar Mr Mika Saarinen, <i>Head of Unit, Vocational Education and Training, Centre for International Mobility CIMO</i>

Registration

by 31 March, 2012, at the latest by using this link:
www.taitaja2012.fi/international_seminar

Accommodation

All reservations preferably by 16 March, 2012,
to Jyväskylä Booking by e-mail booking@jyvaskylabooking.fi
or by phone +358 20 748 1830.

Following information needed: first name, last name,
organisation, address, mobile phone, e-mail, invoicing
address, time of arrival, time of departure.

Further information

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