



11th National Conference of EMN France

Attracting and retaining foreign startups in France and the EU

Thursday, 7 November 2019

Morning Coworking, 104 rue de Richelieu, 75002 Paris

- 8:30-9:00 **Registration and coffee**
- 9:00-9:15 **Welcome and opening remarks**
Pierre-Antoine MOLINA, Director General for Foreign Nationals in France, Ministry of the Interior
- 9:15-10:30 **Roundtable 1: Main measures to attract and retain foreign startups in the EU and the OECD countries**
Moderation: Isabelle BUREL, Deputy Director, Sub-Directorate for stay and work, Directorate-General for Foreign Nationals in France, Ministry of the Interior
Overview of the situation in Finland, Spain and the OECD countries
 - Tuukka LAMPI, EMN Finland
 - Gladys ROY CHICHARRO, EMN Spain
 - Jean-Christophe DUMONT, International Migration Division, OECD**Questions and answers**
- 10:30-11:00 **Coffee break**
- 11:00-12:00 **Roundtable 2: Attraction policies dedicated to foreign startups in France**
Moderation: Jean-Baptiste HERBET, Head of Department for studies and statistics, Directorate-General for Foreign Nationals in France, Ministry of the Interior
 - Isabelle BUREL, Deputy Director, Sub-Directorate for stay and work, Directorate-General for Foreign Nationals in France, Ministry of the Interior
 - Representative of the General Directorate for Business, Ministry of Economy and Finance
 - Representative of Business France (national agency supporting the international development of the French economy)**Questions and answers**
- 12:00-13:00 **Roundtable 3: Reception and accompanying foreign startups in France**
Moderation: TBD
 - Startups' & incubators' testimonies
- 13:00-14:30 **Lunch**

In order to facilitate the discussion, simultaneous interpretation for the conference will be provided in French and in English from 9:00 to 1:00 pm.



14:30 - 16:00 **Workshop (of your choice)**

Workshop 1: Good practices at the local level (*simultaneous translation French / English*)

- Some cities' testimonies

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Workshop 2: Support structures for startups

- The role of universities and incubators / accelerators

16:00 - 16:30 **Conclusions**

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