

PROGRAM WORKSHOP III: PERFORMANCE IN MULTI-SECTOR/ORGANIZATION COLLABORATIONS

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THURSDAY, JUNE 1ST 2006

16.00 – 17.30: MEETING 1: NETWORKS AND PERFORMANCE

1. *Evaluating Network Arrangements: towards revised performance measures*
 - Myrna MANDELL, Queensland University of Technology, U.S.
 - Robyn KEAST, Queensland University of Technology, U.S.
2. *Putting network performance to the test*
 - Joris VOETS, Hogeschool Gent, Belgium
 - Filip DE RYNCK, Hogeschool Gent, Belgium
3. *Can public services be improved through co-operative reforms? Triggers, diffusion and success of reforms at Swiss Local Governments*
 - Reto STEINER, University of Bern, Switzerland

FRIDAY, JUNE 2ND 2006

9.30 – 11.00: MEETING 2: PUBLIC PRIVATE PARTNERSHIPS

1. *Good governance at the public-private boundary*
 - Cor VAN MONTFORT, Algemene Rekenkamer, The Netherlands
2. *Critical Infrastructure Protection in the US and the UK; PPP during the Y2K crisis*
 - Kevin QUIGLEY, University of Edinburgh, U.K.
3. *Specific aspects of PPP in Romania*
 - Lucica MATEI, National School of Political Studies and Public Administration, Department of Public Administration, Romania
 - Ani MATEI, National School of Political Studies and Public Administration, Department of Public Administration, Romania

11.30 – 12.45: MEETING 3: LOCAL NETWORKS

1. *Assessing Vertical Meta Governance against horizontal history: a longitudinal study*
 - Bodil DAMGAARD, Danish National Institute of Social Research, Denmark
2. *Performance of urban partnerships: myths and realities*
 - Christos APOSTOLAKIS, Bournemouth University, U.K.
3. *Assessing the quality of local governance: a case study of public services in Carrick, UK*
 - Tony BOVAIRD, University of Birmingham, U.K.
 - Elke LOEFFLER, Governance International, U.K.

14.00 – 15.30: MEETING 4: DEMOCRATIC PERFORMANCE OF NETWORKS

1. *Network governance, democratic performance and the impact of the national political context*
 - Chris SKELCHER, University of Birmingham, U .K.
2. *How to manage public sector performance with participation: is it possible to guarantee public accountability in “hybrid” management?*
 - Hiroko KUDO, Chuo University, Japan
3. *Organizational learning from municipal benchmarking activities in Norway. The impact of experiential learning capabilities – the shadow of the past*
 - Jostein ASKIM, University of Oslo, Norway

SATURDAY, JUNE 3RD 2006

8.30 – 10.00: MEETING 5: PEOPLE IN NETWORKS

1. *The contribution of boundary spanning individuals throughout the development of a multi-organisational relationship*
 - Keith BAKER, University of Birmingham, U.K.
2. *Government Performance and Street Level Networks: findings from the international literature*
 - Peter HUPE, Erasmus University Rotterdam, The Netherlands
3. *Co-ordinating Government from the Bottom-up? Implementation Gaps in Joined-up Government Initiatives and Alternative Forms of Street-level Co-ordination*
 - Oliver JAMES, University of Exeter, U.K.

10.30 – 12.00: MEETING 6: CONTRACTING WITH THIRD PARTIES

1. *Collaborative governance: assessing the performance of contracting for service delivery with third parties by American state administrative agencies*
 - Chung-Lae CHO, Ewha Womans University, Korea
 - Yoo-Sung CHOI, Korea Institute of Public Administration, Korea
 - Deil WRIGHT, University of North Carolina Chapel Hill, U.S.
 - Jeffrey L. BRUDNEY, University of Georgia, U.S.
2. *Forward together: non-profit – state government contracting relations*
 - Kathryn DENHARDT, University of Delaware, U.S.
 - Maria ARISTIGUETA, University of Delaware, U.S.
 - Lynne FOOTE, University of Delaware, U.S.