

## Western European MEP 2 Lier, Belgium, do 25 – di 30/01/2018

### Thursday January 25, 2018

- 10,00 – 15,00 Arrival of delegations in Lier (pick up at Zaventem/NMBS-station Lier)  
Location: polyvalent hall 027 at SGC, K. Davidlaan 10, Lier
- 15,00 – 17,45 Teambuilding activities in Lier  
Delegates get to know each other in an informal way + cultural tour in Lier
- 18,00 Delegates will be picked up and spend the night in their hostfamily  
Location: polyvalent room 027  
Cultural exchange between guest(s) and host family
- 19,00 Presidency and CPs: Welcome dinner and briefing  
Location: Rosario, Eikelstraat 15, Lier
- 19,00 Teachers/directors: Welcome dinner and briefing  
Location: Hof van Aragon, Aragonstraat 6, 2500 Lier

### Friday January 26, 2018

- 8,15 All participants present at Official Opening:  
Location: Auditorium Thomas More Campus Lier, Antwerpsestraat 99, 2500 Lier
- 8,30 – 10,30 Official Opening of 2nd session of Western-Europe MEP-conference  
Speakers:  
Organization: Paul van Turenhout (introducing President)  
Emma Hanegraef (opening)  
Lier: Mayor of Lier Frank Boogaerts  
Head of Delegation of Belgium  
EU: Pascal Arimont, Belgian Member of European Parliament (tbc)  
David Geerts Member of the Federal Belgian Parliament (tbc)  
2 HoD of Denmark and HoD of France  
3 HoD of Germany, HoD of Luxembourg and HoD of the Netherlands  
3 HoD of Norway, HoD of Russia, HoD of UK
- 13,00 – 13,30 Lunch provided after Official Opening and taken along to location committees
- 11,00 – 18,00 Committee meetings: per committee to various places in Lier:  
Locations:  
1 Committee Industry, Research and Industry: 'Climate Change/Circular Economy'  
Stadskantoor Dungelhoeff, 'Pallierter', Paradeplein 2 1, 2500 Lier  
2 Committee on Civil Liberties, Justice, Home Affairs: 'Migration/Refugee Crisis'  
Stadskantoor Dungelhoeff, 'Symforosa', Paradeplein 2 1, 2500 Lier  
3 Committee on Education and Culture: 'Euroscpticism/Youth Empowerment'  
Youth Center Moevement, Aarschotsesteenweg, 2500 Lier  
4 Committee on Economic Affairs: 'Youth Unemployment'  
Wezenkapel, Margarethastraat Pompstraat 4, Begijnhof, Lier  
5 Committee on Security and Defense: 'Terrorism'  
Politiebureau, Polyvalent room, Paradeplein 1, 2500 Lier
- 14,00 – 18,00 Committee meetings (1, 2, 3, 4 and 5)  
locations: as above
- 14,00 – 15,00 Committee 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5: **Meeting the experts**  
Committee 1: Industry, Research and Industry: 'Climate Change/Circular Economy'  
Location: Stadskantoor Dungelhoeff, 'Pallierter', Paradeplein 2, 2500 Lier  
Expert: **Bart Martens**, BBL (Bond Beter Leefmilieu)  
specialist energy & durable development, former student SGC,  
former member of European Parliament
- 14,00 – 15,00 Committee 2: Civil Liberties, Justice, Home Affairs: 'Migration/Refugee Crisis'

Location: Stadskantoor Dunglehoff 'Symforosa', Paradeplein, 2500 Lier  
Expert: Elhasbia Zayou, Vluchtelingenwerk Vlaanderen 11 11 11

14,00 – 15,00 Committee 3 on Education and Culture: 'Euroscepticism/Youth Empowerment'  
Location: Youth Center Moevement, Aarschotsesteenweg 1, 2500 Lier\_  
Expert: **Rolf Falter**, author, directeur Bureau European Parliament

14,00 – 15,00 Committee 4 on Economic Affairs: 'Youth Unemployment'  
Location: Wezenkapel, Margarethastraat Pompstraat 4, Begijnhof, Lier  
Expert: Jeroen Van Ranst (ACV)

14,00 – 15,00 Committee 5 on Security and Defense: 'Terrorism'  
Location: Politiebureau, polyvalent room, Paradeplein 1, 2500 Lier  
Expert: Police Superintendent Sophie Raeymaekers, Lier

18,30 – 19,00 Briefing Committee Presidents & Presidents: Location SGC,  
Location: (Conference room = Presidents' room)

18,00 – 19,00 Buffet op SGC  
Location: SGC Basement refectory, entrance playground 1

19,00 – 21,00 **Meeting with delegation from Russia on Climate Change**  
Location: 027 polyvalent room SGC All present, please.

21,00 Participants head back to their host families

## **Saturday January 27, 2018**

8,30 Delegates arrive at St.-Gummaruscollege, Kan. Davidlaan 10, 2500Lier  
Locations of their committee meetings:  
1 Committee Industry, Research and Industry: 'Climate Change/Circular Economy'  
room: SGC (104)  
2 Committee on Civil Liberties, Justice, Home Affairs: 'Migration/Refugee Crisis'  
room: SGC (109)  
3 Committee on Education and Culture: 'Euroscepticism/Youth Empowerment'  
room: SGC (115)  
4 Committee on Economic Affairs: 'Youth Unemployment'  
room: SGC (213)  
5 Committee on Security and Defense: 'Terrorism'  
room: SGC (215)

9,00 – 12,00 Committee meetings: the delegates discuss their resolutions

12,00 – 13,00 Lunch  
Location: SGC Basement refectory, entrance playground 1

13,00 – 17,30 Committee meetings (5)  
Locations: SGC, rooms: idem

13,30 – 15,30 Teacher meeting: Handing over legal procedures from The Netherlands to Belgium  
Location: (Conference room = Presidents' room)  
Present: all teachers/directors/organization WEMEP I, organization, WEMEP II and organization WEMEP III

17,30 – 18,15 Youth pass time: individual and multilateral group-reflection on learning process  
(outcome of the day: knowledge, skills, attitudes, insights)

18,30 – 20,00 Delegation dinner (at their own expense)/ Committee dinner  
Locations: in Lier + **envelop**

20,00 Participants head back to their host families

## **Sunday January 28, 2018**

- 8,30 – 13,00 Delegates arrive at the location of their committee meetings  
Locations: SGC, same rooms as on Saturday: 104, 109, 115, 213, 215
- 11,30 – 13,00 Workshops: Delegates: “Public Speaking and Body Language”  
Presidents: Training for Presidency
- 13,00 Lunch at SGC  
location: SGC Basement refectory, entrance playground 1
- 13,00 – 14,45 Free time spent in Lier.
- 14,45 – 16,45 Quiz on Europe by Provincie Antwerpen:  
Location: SGC Polyvalent room 027: **all present, please!**
- 13,00 Teachers (3/5): Correction panel  
Location SGC (Conference room = Presidents’ room)
- 17,00 – 19,00 Delegation meetings  
Locations: rooms committee meetings, Grand Hall, Upper refectory
- 19,00 – 21,30 Lobbying + snacks/ BBQ  
Speaker EU lobbyist Raphaël Lepot (NL)  
Location: SGC Polyvalent room 027  
Locations for actual lobbying: SGC Grand Hall and Upper Refectory
- 21,30 Participants head back to their host families  
(writing of amendments, speeches against, speeches in favour, textual changes;  
preparation for General Assembly)

## **Monday January 29, 2018**

- 8,15 Participants, teachers/directors/coordinators present  
Location: Former Jesuit Church, Berlaarsestraat 12, 2500 Lier
- 8,30 – 9,00 Opening General Assembly,  
Welcome speech: Anna Boysen-Carnicé  
Speech: Peter Bellens, Deputé of Province Antwerpen  
There will be discussions about the resolutions in an open parliamentary debate and votes (methodology: plenary session of the Model European Youth Parliament)  
The committees present the resolution they've worked out to the plenary, explain them, answer open questions and convince the majority of the plenary. Some participants work on pro- and contra-debates and present them. (methodology: simulation, debate, argumentation)
- 9,00 – 10,15 Resolution 1  
10,15 – 11,30 Resolution 2
- 11,30 – 11,50 Coffee break  
11,50 – 12,45 Resolution 3
- 12,45 – 13,45 Lunch  
Location: Hof van Aragon, Aragonstraat 6, 2500 Lier
- 13,45 – 15,00 Resolution 4  
16,15 – 17,30 Resolution 5
- 17,30 – 18,00 Closing Ceremony  
Speech: President Emma Hanegraef  
Paul van Turenhout  
Oral and written evaluation of the participants, teamer\_, teachers, coordinators,  
Youth Pass certification (different versions acc. to the role (delegate, CP or President)
- 18,30 – 22,00 Dinner and Farewell Party + Jo Laureys, Tim van Turenhout  
Handing over organization WEMEP III  
to Herr Wolfram Kienel of Hilda Gymnasium, the hosting school in Koblenz  
Location: 't Kafaat, Eikelstraat 10, 2500 Lier
- 22,00 Participants head back to their host families for the last night

## **Tuesday January 30, 2018**

Delegates leave Lier and head back home to: B, D, DK, F, I, LUX, N, NL, RU, UA, UK.



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