


Personnel News

 Centre international de formation européenne

CIFE



Jean-Claude Juncker
President
Nationality: LU 
Working Languages:
DE, EN, FR, LU
Start date: 30.11.2011

Juncker re-elected President of CIFE

The Prime Minister of Luxembourg and President of the Eurogroupe, Jean-Claude Juncker, has been re-elected President of the Centre International de Formation Européenne (CIFE) by CIFE's General Assembly. First elected in November 2005, it is Juncker's third term at the head of this institute of excellence which, since 1954, has provided various high European Studies programmes on European integration.

 confederation of european paper industries

CEPI



Jussi Pesonen
Chairman
Nationality: FI 
Working Languages:
EN, FI
Start date: 01.01.2012

Pesonen appointed CEPI Chairman

The Confederation of European Paper Industries (CEPI) has appointed Jussi Pesonen as its next Chairman. Pesonen is the CEO of UPM-Kymmene Corporation, and will replace Berry Wiersum, the current CEPI Chairman, who will take the post of Vice Chairman for the next two years. Pesonen was named President and CEO of UPM in January 2004, and under his leadership, the company has taken consistent measures to reposition itself as the Biofore Company. He joined UPM in 1987 as a Production Engineer.

 Toy Industries of Europe

Toy Industries of Europe



Peter Broegger
Chairman
Nationality: DK 
Start date: 21.11.2011

Broegger elected Chairman of TIE

Peter Broegger has been elected Chairman of the Board of Directors at the Toy Industries of Europe (TIE), replacing Christian Iversen (LEGO). Broegger has been SVP General Manager of Mattel Central and Northern Europe, Middle East and Africa since May 2006, and is a toy industry veteran with 18 years' experience. He joined Mattel in 1996, holding assignments in Malaysia and Hong Kong, before moving back to Europe in October 2003. He has been closely involved in the management of TIE, as Treasurer and a Member of the Board since 2007.

 European University Association

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David Gani
Chair of the Steering Committee for Doctoral Education
Nationality: UK 
Working Languages: EN
Start date: 01.12.2011

EUA Council announces new committee

The board of the European University Association (EUA) has elected five new members for the Steering Committee of the EUA Council for Doctoral Education (EUA-CDE), including a new Chair, Professor David Gani, the Deputy Principal for External Affairs & Advancement at the University of Strathclyde. Also newly-elected alongside Gani are: M. Teresa Anguera, Vice Rector for Teaching and Science Policy, University of Barcelona; Lucienne Blessing, Vice Rector for Research, University of Luxembourg; Frank Bremmer, Vice Rector for Research, University of Marburg; and Mary McNamara, Head of Graduate Research Programmes, Dublin Institute of Technology.

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Veronique Steukers
Director, Global Government Affairs and Advocacy
Nationality: BE 
Working Languages:
EN, FR
Start date: 09.01.2012

Nickel Institute appoints new Director

The Nickel Institute has appointed Dr Veronique Steukers as Director, Global Government Affairs and Advocacy. Steukers has more than 18 years of professional experience in the areas of regulatory affairs, government affairs and advocacy with a number of corporate metal and chemicals companies. Prior to joining the Nickel Institute, she was the Advocacy Director in the Corporate Sustainability Department of Albemarle, where she was responsible for the management of the European, China and US advocacy team.

Conference EU PUBLIC AFFAIRS

9/10 February 2012, Brussels

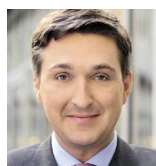
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Speakers



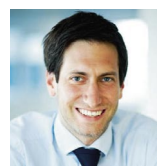
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Events outlook: Highlights for the next two weeks

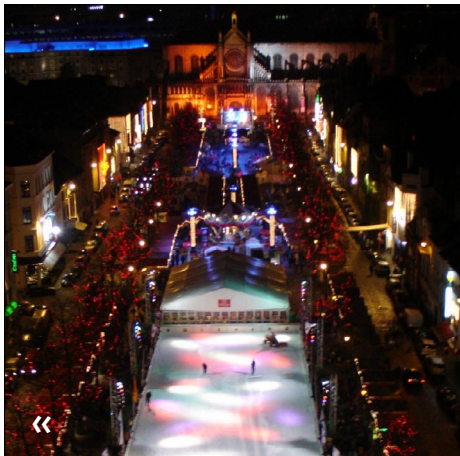
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Plaisirs D'Hiver Winter Pret

A wealth of festive activities take over Brussels throughout December, including a two-kilometre-long Christmas market, fairground attractions, beautiful illuminations and concerts for all the family.

Various locations
Centre of Brussels

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19 DEC

The Unbearable Lightness of the Butterfly: What New Taxes will the New Belgian Government Bring Us?

This seminar from the British Chamber of Commerce in Belgium will explain what new taxes can be expected from the new government.

British Chamber of Commerce in Belgium
11 Boulevard Bischoffsheim

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19 DEC

The Impact of the Financial Crisis on Popular Support for the Euro

This event sees the launch of a CEPS Special Report, with the financial support of the Mercator Foundation. It will be chaired by Wolfgang Munchau, associate editor and European Economic Columnist at the Financial Times.

CEPS
1 Place du Congrès

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19 – 23 DEC

BE Film Festival

The Belgian film scene is internationally celebrated, with recent films veering from the quirky to the perplexing. The Belgian Cinema Fête showcases Belgian filmmakers' works, with five days of screenings, talks, readings and concerts. On the menu: retrospectives of films which have impressed the biggest festival, but also exclusive previews, concerts and, of course, parties.

Bozar/Cinemathek
Boulevard Anspachlaan

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20 DEC

The European Energy Roadmap 2050

The Liaison Agency Flanders-Europe (Vlewa) is organising this seminar, which will include topics such as 'Low carbon energy: the evidence for Scotland' and 'South-East Sweden, a fossil fuel free region'.

VLEVA
71 Avenue de Cortenberg

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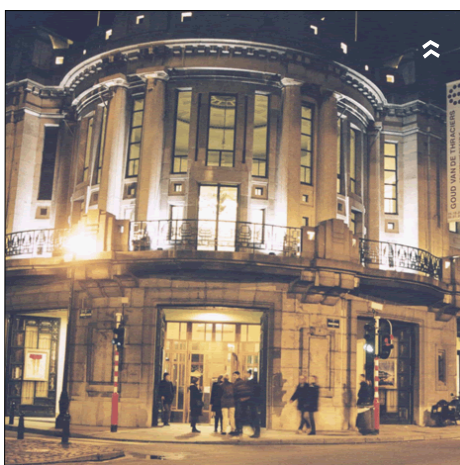
20 DEC

Is Europe Heading Towards Another Wave of Recapitalisation?

The Eurozone debt crisis is turning into another financial crisis due to banks' exposure to the assets of deficit countries. But who is going to pay for the next financial crisis? Jean-Paul Gauzès, Coordinator of the Economic and Monetary Affairs Committee, will take part in this Citizen's Controversy.

Madriga College of Europe Foundation
14 avenue de la Joyeuse Entrée

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31 DEC

Fuse New Year's Eve Party

Fuse night club has established itself as an unofficial Brussels institution. Guaranteed to be a top night out, its New Year's Eve party sees guest DJs Sascha Funke and Le Loup join German electronica genius Marc Romboy for a full-on night of house and techno.

Fuse
Rue Blaesstraat

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HAPPY BIRTHDAY



Andrew Duff
President,
Union of
European
Federalists
25.12.1950

★ Martin Schulz, Chair, Group of Progressive Alliance of Socialists & Democrats, 20.12.1955 ★ Julie Girling MEP, 21.12.1956 ★ Sandra Kalniete MEP, 22.12.1952 ★ Othmar Karas MEP, Vice Chairman, Group of the European People's Party (Christian Democrats), 24.12.1957 ★ Eduard Kukan MEP, 26.12.1939 ★ Inge Vervotte, Minister of Public Service and Public Enterprises, Federal Public Service Organization and Persona, 27.12.1977 ★ Tadeusz Zwiefka MEP, 28.12.1954 ★ Andreas Berger, Adviser, EuroCommerce, 29.12.1979 ★ Gay Mitchell MEP, 30.12.1951 ★

Job Market

Please mention **European Agenda** when you apply.



Deputy Director

The Deputy Director will assist the APP Executive Director to support the Chair and Panel members, and manage specific tasks as required and dependent upon the skills and experience of the candidate.

Organisation: Africa Progress Panel

Deadline: 15 December



FEANTSA

Policy Officer

FEANTSA (the European Federation of National Organisations Working with the Homeless) is recruiting two Policy Officers: a full-time Policy Officer to lead its work on Employment, Youth and Data Collection; and a part-time Policy Officer to lead its work on Health.

Organisation: FEANTSA

Deadline: 21 December



Director

The European Network on Debt and Development is looking for a Director. The successful candidate will manage a busy, small team, ensuring high quality research outputs and good communication of key messages to target audiences in official institutions and NGOs.

Organisation: Eurodad

Deadline: 06 January



Deputy Head of Economic Policies Department

ADE is looking for an experienced and driven individual to become Deputy Head of its Economic Policies department. ADE supports decision-makers in formulating, monitoring, implementing and evaluating economic choices.

Organisation: ADE

Deadline: 13 January



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Policy Adviser

EBA is a non-profit organisation aiming to promote the deployment of sustainable biogas production and use in Europe. Its network unites the most experienced biogas experts from over 20 countries across Europe. It is seeking a Policy Adviser to follow up the activities of the association in Brussels.

Organisation: EBA

Deadline: 15 January



EU Liaison

The EU Liaison is an exciting and important position within RAP, delivering and overseeing the activities of RAP in Europe and engaging with policy-makers and partners in the region.

Organisation: RAP

Deadline: 15 January



Director of Administration

The EFTA Surveillance Authority Director of Administration leads a team of 10 persons to provide administrative support and assistance to the College, which consists of three members appointed by the EEA EFTA States, and departments of the Authority.

Organisation: EFTA Surveillance Authority

Deadline: 16 January



Secretary General

The European Parkinson's Disease Association (EPDA), is the only European Parkinson's disease umbrella organisation. The association is looking for a freelance Secretary General.

Organisation: EPDA

Deadline: 20 January

