

EUROPEAN FORUM ON THE ROLE OF WOMEN IN SUSTAINABLE RURAL DEVELOPMENT



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Cáceres, Spain, 27- 30 April 2010



Motivation

General context review opportunity in the light of

NY NGO Global Forum for Women: Beijing +15

Spanish EU Presidency

Need for a defined position with regard to specific topics on positive gender-focused action in post 2013 EU instruments

mutually balanced with

Open conceptual / philosophical debate on rural development, governance and territorial cohesion state of the art and trends

General Structure

- The technical seminar (50 -75 participants)
 - a) Detailed discussion upon advanced draft of the document on “Rural Development and Gender Equity in the European Union”, the outlined outcome of which will be referred to as the “Cáceres Declaration”.
 - b) Country case studies on positive gender-focused action
- The EU MS DG meeting.
Takes notice of the Cáceres Declaration, and other relevant documents proposed.
- The proper Forum (300 – 400 participants).
Open discussion about views, scenarios, and trends of European rural development, rural governance and territorial cohesion, including gender focused aspects.
- Cáceres, “The Rural City”.
Related social and cultural events: Light and Sound shows about the old town buildings, cinema cycle, photography exhibits, virtual portraits...



Technical Highlight:

Discussed analysis of chapter 3 and 4 of the draft declaration:

Legal UE context regarding gender focused
“positive action” in European funds other than EAFRD (CE 1698/2005)

Country case studies on positive gender-focused action
during the 2000 – 2006 period

the calendar

CÁCERES, EXTREMADURA, SPAIN
27 – 30 APRIL 2010

	TUESDAY 27		WEDNESDAY 28		THURSDAY 29		FRIDAY 30
	AM	PM	AM	PM	AM	PM	
Technical Seminar on Rural Women							
EU MS DG Meeting							
Forum proper							
Field Trip (several options)							
Cinema							
Photography exhibits							
Rural Innovation Exhibit							
Virtual portraits							

contributions

- Technical representatives of 27 EU MS from both, Rural Development and Gender Equity Units invited to participate in the seminar.
- Working draft to be circulated in 3 languages by Feb 28, 2010
- Please furnish updated national RD DG contact details !

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See you in Cáceres!



Thank you for your attention !