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## „Europe local – Community media in the Union“ September 12<sup>th</sup> and 13<sup>th</sup>, 2013, Berlin

Moderation: Karin Kraml

### Programme

#### Thursday, September 12<sup>th</sup>

14.00: *Reception*

Bettina Wiengarn, Head of Bundesverband Offene Kanäle

14.15: *Opening*

Karin Kraml and the guests from France, Ireland, Luxembourg, Poland, Slovakia, Spain and Germany:  
„European feeling in my country“

14.45: *Q & A*

15.00: *Input*

Brigitte Russ-Scherer, A Soul for Europe / Speaker of the initiative Cities for Europe, mayor off duty:  
„A Soul for Europe“

15.30: *Open discussion*

16.00: *Coffee break*

16.45: *Round of talks*

„Where Europe is alive: Community media in town and country“  
Karin Kraml interviews guests from abroad

18.00: *Break*

19.00: *25 years BOK e.V.*

Greeting Jochen Fasco, Commissioner of the State Media Authorities for media literacy and community media

Christian Schurig, friend of open channels since 1979:  
„A quarter of a century“

19.30: *Hessen-Bufferet*

#### Friday, September 13<sup>th</sup>

10.00: *Input*

Katrin Abele, Press Officer European Commission / Representation in Germany: „Europe informs“

10.30: *Input*

Karoline Münz, Deputy General Secretary Network European Movement Germany:  
„Community media: Effort for Europe“

11.00: *Q & A*

11.15: *Round of talks*

„Europe over here“  
Guests from seven countries present their activities and ideas

13.15: *Solutions on a letter to Bruxelles*

Berlin Declaration number 2  
„Commitment to Europe“

13.30: *Snack*

14.00: *Concluding comments for ending*