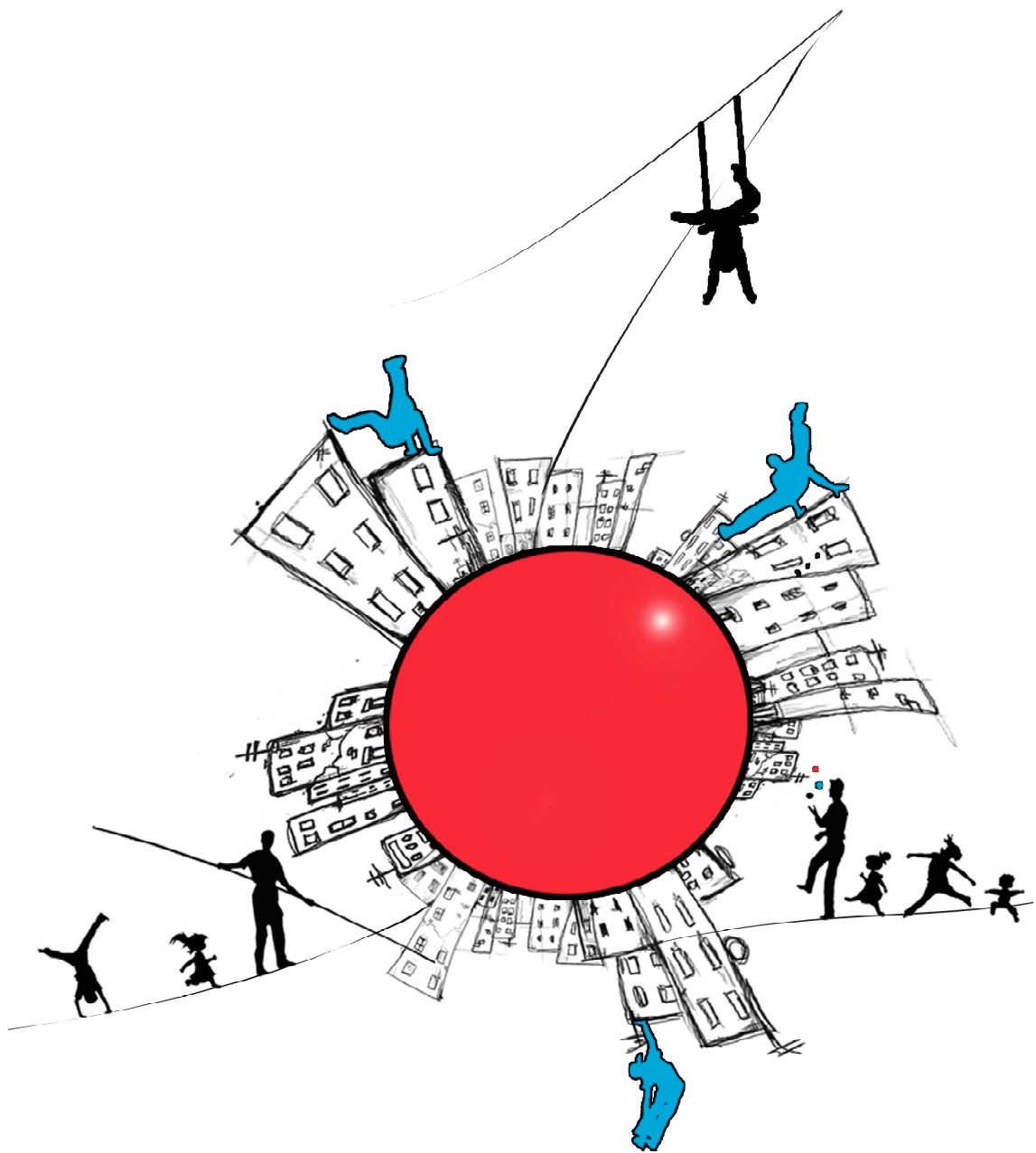


# Programme

“Circus, Inclusion & Citizenship”



# Thursday 19 September

## «Circus, inclusion, citizenship» day

*Location: Ecole de Cirque de Bruxelles (11, Rue Picard – 1000 Bruxelles)*

9h – 9h30                      **Welcome coffee**

9h30 – 9h45                      **Opening**  
*Vincent Wauters*, Director, Ecole de Cirque de Bruxelles  
*Agnès Hubert*, BEPA, European Commission

9h45 - 10h15    **Curtain raiser**  
*Jean-Luc Vanraes*, Member of the Brussels-Capital Region Parliament  
*Caroline Emond*, Québec Delegate General in Brussels  
*Roberto Romero*, Vice-president of the Île-de-France Region

10h15 – 11h30                      **Come into play - *Circus, Inclusion & Citizenship***

*Presentation of the activities carried out by the three circus arts partners:*  
*Vincent Wauters*, École de Cirque de Bruxelles  
*Eleférios Kechagioglou*, Le Plus Petit Cirque du Monde  
*Gil Favreau*, Cirque du Soleil

*Presentation of the work on social inclusion*  
by *Sofia-Charlotta Kakko*, Tampere University

11h30 – 12h                      **Coffee break on a tightrope**

12h – 13h15                      **Part 1 – *Social circus and its professionalization***  
Moderator: *Jean Pitz*, consultant in business strategy and lecturer at the Brussels University.

*Presentation of the Circus Trans Formation project*  
*Laurent Beauthier*, Caravan and *Léopold Paquay*, professor emeritus  
in Education Sciences at the Université catholique de Louvain.

*Presentation of the training for social circus instructors by*  
*Karine Lavoie*, senior advisor, Cirque du Soleil

*European Commission*  
*Sophie Bellieni*, programme manager for the Lifelong Learning Programme, DG EAC  
*Julius Op De Beke*, policy officer, Social Inclusion and Poverty Reduction, DG EMPL

*Roberto Roméro*, Vice-president of Île-de-France Region

13h15 – 14h45                      **Interval - Lunch**

14h45 – 16h **Part 2 - When arts promote social inclusion and citizenship in Europe**  
Moderator: **Dominique Charrier**, University Paris Sud

*Presentation of the Hip Cirq Europ' project by Eleférios Kechagioglou*

*Presentation of Europe Creative*

**Laura Cassio**, Culture Policy, Diversity and Intercultural Dialogue, DG EAC, European Commission

*Partners regions*

**Pierre Kanuty**, regional Councilor, President of Île-de-France Europe

**Gil Favreau**, Cirque du Soleil, Québec

**Rachid Madrane**, Minister of Culture for the COCOF

16h – 16h15 **Conclusion**

**Jimmy Jamar**, Head of the European Commission's representation in Belgium

19h30 **Diner - Moroccan specialities**

**17h00 For the pleasure of everyone**  
**Invitation to the dress rehearsal of the Hip Cirq Europ' show, followed by a**  
**“meet and greet” with the artists.**

# Friday 20 September

## Day of reflection

*Location: Centre Communautaire Maritime (93, rue Vandenboogaerde – 1080 Bruxelles)*

9h – 9h30                      **Welcome coffee**

### **Morning - Circus Trans Formation**

*Presentation of the projet – progress and results : origin, partners, objectives, methodology, impacts, evaluations, national sessions of the training programme,...*

*Two workshops of reflection on the following themes (one workshop in English and the other one in French):*

- What are the perspectives of development for the national training sessions in each country and in Europe ?

How do we see the future of the Circus Trans Formation's results (teaching manual, curriculum of 20 days, Platform for exchanges on Internet,...) at the European and National level.

- Circus and University

Think tank on a potential « Circus Trans Formation 2 ».

What could be the possibilities for developing a research on a training programme integrated in an university programme.

In which European framework this could be done ?  
with which partnership (Caravan, Universities,...) ?

12h-00 – 12h30              **Reports of each group**

12h45 – 14h15              **Lunch**

### **Afternoon - Artistic project on social inclusion**

14h15 – 15h45              *Circus and urban cultures, the future of Hip Cirq Europ ?*

15h45 – 16h00              **Coffee break**

16h00 – 16h30              *Presentation of the research on the impact of social circus on the local dynamics by the University Paris-Sud*

16h30 – 17h30              *Europe, citizenship and tightrope walking...*

How in a project linking river sides, borders, professionals and non-professionals, young and elderly people, priority neighbourhoods and privileged areas, do we build the Europe of the citizens walking on the tightrope of equality and collective challenges...

17h45 – 18h30              **Practical workshop on tightrope walking**

20h30                          **Première of Hip Cirq Europ' show**

21h30                          **Evening meal – Moroccan specialities**

# Saturday 21 September

## Caravan Day - Board meeting of Caravan

*Location: Centre Communautaire Maritime (93, rue Vandenboogaerde – 1080 Bruxelles)*



- 9h00** **Welcome coffee at Centre Communautaire Maritime**  
(Only for Caravan members)
- 9h30 – 10h45** **Presentation of each member**  
(10 mins by presentation)
- 10h45 – 11h** **Coffee break**
- 11h-12h30** **Presentation of Caravan 2008 - 2013**
- 12h30-14h** **Lunch at Marmitime**
- 14h – 17h** **Caravan Board meeting**  
(only the directors of the representatives of one member)
- Election of the new treasurer of Caravan +  
Circus Elleboog's situation*
- Caravan in 2018  
Discussions on the perspectives of Caravan  
How do the members see Caravan in 2018 ?  
What is the image of Caravan for each member ?  
What do you want to accomplish through Caravan ?  
What do you want to bring to Caravan?*
- Organisation of the next Board Meeting in Prague*
- EACEA*
- 21h30** **Evening meal -**  
**Asian specialities at the Ecole de Cirque de Bruxelles**

**For those interested, possibility to enjoy the Festival “Embarquement Immédiat” organised by Ecole de Cirque de Bruxelles in the neighbourhood around the circus school, the Sunday 22 September from 1 p.m**

## The organisers of the first day



## Organiser of the next days



## The Partners



