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Dear EASSW member,

2009 will become an important year for our association. We would like to inform you right from the beginning of the year about upcoming events.

Conference

On April 26-29 EASSW organises together with the other Ensact-members (FESET, IFSW, IFSW, ICSW and FICE) the Dubrovnik Conference.

We kindly invite you and colleagues and students of your school and service users related to your school to participate in this conference.

The pre-conference programme is on *HUMAN RIGHTS IN TEACHING AND PRACTICE 26* April 2009 10-18hours. All details can be found on our website <http://www.eassw.org>

Fee 2009

The conference fee for members is €320, which includes a reduction of €50. Make sure that you have paid your membership fee before the conference date! The invoice is included in this package, which is addressed to the contact we have in our EASSW-database. We also have added the email address coming from our database. If email is blank, we do not have any correct e-mail address. We would like so send in the future electronically information to our members. If any of these data are not correct or missing, and to make sure that we have updated information on your membership, please fill in the electronic form on our website <http://www.eassw.org/html/membership/membership.htm> Thank you for your help!

For the payment, PLEASE ADD THE NUMBER OF YOUR MEMBERSHIP (on top of the invoice: ID....) AND THE NAME AND ADDRESS OF YOUR SCHOOL TO YOUR BANK PAYMENT.

If you have paid already for 2009 and we have received the fee on the EASSW bank account, we do not send you an invoice. We will send you an electronic receipt if we have your correct e-mail address.

General Assembly

During the conference our General Assembly will take place on Tuesday 28 April 2009 at 16.00 hours (4 pm). We will dedicate our GA on information and discussion. A newsletter is included in this package.

Discussing current topics as there are “how can EASSW represent a voice for Europe?” and “Europe and its regional associations” is important for the future of EASSW. An invitation for the General Assembly is included in this package

We also will organize elections for new EC-members. Nomination regulations are included in this package.

Each member has one vote. Make sure that you have paid your membership fee before the general meeting.

International Definition of Social Work

During the conference we would like to collect as much as possible ideas about the how to proceed with the “International definition on Social Work” A pre-survey is included in this package. We would like you to answers the questions and send us back the form

Thematic Network “DIALOGUES”

Currently a core group is working on a new application for a Thematic Network EUSW “Dialogues”. The application can only be approved if there are partners in 31 countries. All partners have to sign up for concrete activities, belonging to a work package. We would like to inform you that on one side active participation in this new thematic network will link your department/faculty with many others in Europe and on the other side you will become involved in a concrete activity related to your expertise. A summary of the application is included in this package. Would you to become an active partner in Dialogues, send your intention to "Heirman, Freia" <Freia.Heirman@INHOLLAND.nl>

Website

Furthermore we would like to inform you that all sent documents are available on our website under General Assembly: <http://www.eassw.org/html/generalAssembly/genassembly.htm>
And for Dialogues under Links: <http://www.eassw.org/html/links/links.htm>
If you have any suggestion to improve our website, please let us know!