



Agenda
NGO Outreach meeting of the EIB Complaints' Mechanism
18 October 2011
Le Châtelain Boutique Hotel Brussels, Rue de Châtelain 17, B-1000 Brussels

09:00 – 09:30 Arrival, Registration, Coffee

09:30 – 09:45 Welcome by F. Alcarpe, Head of the EIB Complaint's Mechanism

09:45 – 11:45 Panel session

IFI's Accountability - with the participation of the Accountability Mechanisms and representatives of the Civil Society organisation (chaired and moderated by Bram Schim van der Loeff):

- Why Accountability Mechanisms are important and the role of Civil Society;
- International Accountability Mechanism Benchmarking Trends. A Comparative Look at the Policies of Eight Accountability Mechanisms", Nathalie Bridgman Fields;
- Comments and new developments by the Accountability Mechanisms present.
- Civil Society views on the IFI's Accountability Mechanisms

11:45 – 12:00 Coffee break

12:00 – 13:00 Case studies

Presentations by case-officers - E. de Kruijff, R. Rando, O. El Sabee and M. Martin - (i.a. on co-financed projects) followed by Q&A.

13:00 – 14:00 Lunch

14:00 – 15:30 Presentation and debate

EIB Complaints' Mechanism, where do we stand - Current operating procedures, on-going cases, current trends, successes and challenges:

- Presentation by EIB CM
- Feedback and debate from Civil Society regarding the operation of the EIB Complaints Mechanism

15:30 – 16:00 Wrap-up of the day by F. Alcarpe.