



XII UBC General Conference "Investing in young people. Combating youth unemployment and marginalization - from words into action", Mariehamn, Åland, 1-4 October 2013

Pauliina Haijanen to speak at the XII UBC General Conference in Mariehamn



The participants will hear about the CoR policies concerning youth. Also, the Baltic Sea Strategy and Macro Regions will be highlighted.

Pauliina Haijanen has been a Member of the Committee of the Regions of the European Union since 1995. She has been a Member of the Bureau, Member of the Commission for Citizenship, Governance, Institutional and External Affairs (CIVEX), Member and Second Vice-Chair of the Commission for Territorial Cohesion Policy (COTER). She is a President of the Interregional Group Baltic Sea Regions.

The UBC General Conference in Mariehamn will focus on difficult situation regarding the high level of youth unemployment in the Baltic Sea Region. The youth representatives, as well as the cities, will both prepare their plan of action to combat youth unemployment and marginalization. The guiding principle in all proceedings is "*combating youth unemployment and marginalization - from words into action*".

The bi-annual General Conference is the highest organ and central event of the UBC, the main organisation and representative of the local authorities in the BSR.

More information and registration to the conference at:

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