Reconciling Work and Welfare in Europe: research findings and policy challenges

Brussels, 18 March 2011

8.45 a.m. Reception

9.15 - 9.30 Welcome, David Natali, European Social Observatory - OSE

Denis Bouget, RECWOWE Coordinator
Introducing Reconciling Work and Welfare

Part One Reforming Work and Welfare to reconcile them

9.30 – 9.50 Bruno Palier, RECWOWE Coordinator
What Future for Social Investment?

9.50 – 10.10 Tine Rostgaard, Danish National Centre for Social Research
Care, Work and Welfare in Europe

10.10 – 10.20 Discussant, Pascale Vielle, Université Catholique de Louvain - UCL

10.20 – 11.00 Open Debate
Introduced by Birgit Daiber, Rosa Luxemburg Foundation and
Matthieu Meaulle, Foundation for European Progressive Studies - FPES

11.00 – 11.15 Coffee Break

Part Two The role of Europe in Reconciling Work and Welfare

11.15 – 11.35 Sophie Jacquot, Sciences Po Paris
The EU and the Domestic Politics of Welfare State Reforms

11.35 – 11.55 David Natali, European Social Observatory - OSE
Europe 2020: Towards a more social EU?

11.55 – 12.05 Discussant, Philippe Pochet, European Trade Union Institute - ETUI

12.05 – 13.00 Open Debate
Introduced by Pierre Jonckheer, Green European Foundation
and Roland Freudenstein, Center for European Studies - CES

13.00 Buffet