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Two workshops reflecting on social economy and sustainable development Monday afternoon, October 6th

At 2 PM: (A10) Conditions for sustainability and development of social economy organisations in leisure and social tourism in Quebec, France and Brazil

Chairman: Louis Jolin, Department of Urban and Tourism Studies at the School for Urban Management and Tourism Sciences at Montreal University

With Sonia Vaillancourt, Coordinator for Development (CQL),
Nancy Neamtan, President and General Manager of the Chantier de l'économie sociale,

François Soulage, President and General Manager of the Institut de développement de l'économie sociale (Ides),

Ana Maria Cardachevski, représentante du SESC SP

Linda Binhas, Project Leader, Research and Analysis (CSMO-ÉSAC)

"In Quebec, we have developed an excellent social economy expertise. We constantly work with innovation. This is a research and development activity, just like in the private sector." – Nancy Neamtan

"Social economy produces goods and services because of capital. Capitalist business, on the contrary, benefits from capital because of goods and services."
– François Soulage

At 4PM: (B2) Sustainable Development: what are the issues and challenges for leisure and social tourism in Quebec and in France?

Chairman: Jacques Kirouac, Conseil québécois du loisir

With Andrée Gignac General Manager of the Quebec 4-H Clubs

Jean-Michel Coëffé, General Manager of the Fédération Cap France

Harvey L. Mead, Founder of Nature Québec, Sustainable Development Commissioner, Deputy to Quebec's Auditor General

"We would need three planet Earths to support the Quebecker's way of life if all human beings lived like them.." – Harvey L. Mead

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