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SELF-ORGANIZED SESSION INFO

o **The organization in charge:** *DIESIS NETWORK*

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o **Session title:** The Internationalization of SSE – lessons learned from the Social Solidarity Economy International Learning and Knowledge Community of Peers

o **Date/ Duration:** October 7th 18:00-19:30 Seoul time

o **Session format** (please indicate the detailed format of the session):

Moderated panel

o **Target audience:**

SSE professionals, local, sub-national and national governments, students, researchers,

o **Session Objectives/ Descriptions:**

The SILK project is one of the six Peer Learning Partnerships of the OECD Global Action, funded by the European Union's Foreign Partnership Instrument Coordinated by Diesis Network, it gathers a consortium of important SSE organizations from EU countries, USA, Canada, Brazil, Mexico, India and Korea. It aims to facilitate Peer Learning among public officials and senior managers from SSE companies and SSE networks about the internationalisation of SSE organisations.

Facilitated by Samuel Barco and reuniting 4 policy experts (two coming from SSE representative organisations and the other two from governments) that participated in the PLP this session proposes a discussion on the many lessons learned from the 11 varied cases presented and discussed during the Social Solidarity Economy International Learning and Knowledge Community of Peers.

We expect to:

- Share preliminary findings on project research on SSE enterprise internationalisation
- Engage with GSEF participants to get feedback on the project insights and activities in order to inform the project conclusions and recommendations
- Enlarge the conversation on the topic of SSE enterprise internationalisation to other ecosystems beyond those already present in the SILK project.
- Raise awareness on the significant potential of a new approach on internationalisation of SSE organisations

○ **Moderator and Speakers**

- **Moderator** : Samuel Barco
- **Speakers** : see bellow

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○ **Expected results:**

- Share and disseminate with the GSEF audience the material and lessons produced during the PLP on SSE enterprise internationalisation
- A widened dialogue on the same issues with practitioners and researchers from countries and organisations not present in the SILK project.
- Raise awareness on the significant potential of a new approach on internationalisation of SSE enterprises in the current context where traditional neoliberal internationalisation has shown its limitations and threats to local communities and the environment.