



The
Europe
Challenge

If Librarians Ran Europe:

The Amsterdam Summit of The Europe Challenge

Event Programme

- 09:30 - 10:30 *Registrations:* Pick up your goodie bag, grab your name tag, and enjoy a coffee to start the day!
- 10:30 - 10:40 *Welcome*
- 10:40 - 11:30 *Opening Inspiration Dialogue:* Libraries as Democratic Spaces for All
- 11:30 - 11:40 *Address by Marjolein Moorman,* deputy mayor of the Municipality of Amsterdam
- 11:55 - 12:55 *Living Libraries Marketplace, Part 1:* Meet librarians and their Europe Challenge initiatives from western & central Europe!
- 12:55 - 13:45 *Networking Lunch*
- 14:00 - 14:50 *Afternoon Inspiration Dialogue:* Libraries as Spaces of (Environ)Mental Wellbeing
- 15:05 - 16:05 *Living Libraries Marketplace, Part 2:* Meet librarians and their Europe Challenge initiatives from northern, eastern & southern Europe!
- 16:20 - 17:10 *Closing Inspiration Dialogue:* Libraries in Europe - Surviving or Thriving?
- 17:10 - 17:30 *Closing the Day*

From 20:00 onwards: PARTY TIME!

But that's not all! Throughout the day, you'll have the chance to dive into a variety of fun activities—from a VR tour of the library of the future (created by teenagers in Minecraft) to our European Book Corner (where you can grab some free books!), and video readings from the *How a Library Changed My Life* writing competition winners, plus so much more.

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