

## EU-China Academic Workshop

### 中欧学术座谈会

***Monday, 20 February 2012***

**Conference centre**

**9.00- 9.30 Welcome remarks**

**9.30-10.30 Session 1: 'Children Left Behind in an International Comparative Perspective'**

UK: Bernadette Robinson, Honorary Professor, School of Education, The University of Nottingham

❖ **'Left-Behind Children: Who Are They?'**

China: Dr Zhibin Lin, Independent Researcher and Practitioner

❖ **'Stories of Left-Behind Children and their Families'**

**10.30-10.50 Refreshments**

**11.00-12.20 Session 2: 'EU and China : common problems, common solutions?'**

EU: Mr Gheorghe Pascaru, Sociologist, Alternative Sociale Association (AAS), Romania

**'The Home Alone Programme: A Systematic Approach in Working with Left-Behind Children, Caregivers, Parents and Professionals'**

EU: Ms Inete Ielite, Lawyer, Children's Forum of Latvia (Latvia)

**'Children left behind in Latvia'**

China: Save the Children China

***'International cooperation and child welfare'***

**12.20-14.00 Lunch**



## EU-China Dialogue on

### ‘Left-behind children Problems and Solutions’

中欧民间对话

—— 留守儿童问题与解决方案

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**14.00          Group picture**

**14.00-18.00    World Café<sup>1</sup>**

Conduct of interactive, bottom-up World Café with the following three leading questions :

- Why am I passionate about the issue of left-behind children?
- What is my hope for the future of children welfare in Europe and China?
- What needs to happen in the following two days in order for met to feel that this was a fruitful dialogue?

**18.30          Dinner**

***Tuesday, 21 February 2012***

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**9.00-12.00    Open Space<sup>2</sup> 1**

- A) What are the problems experienced by left-behind children?

**12.00-14.00    Lunch**

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<sup>1</sup> For details on this method, see <<http://www.theworldcafe.com/method.html>>

<sup>2</sup> For details on this method, see <<http://www.openspaceworld.org/cgi/wiki.cgi?AboutOpenSpace>>

**14.00 -18.00 Open Space 2**

- B) What are good practices in Europe and China in dealing with left-behind children? What is not working?
- Chinese NGOs
  - EU NGOs
  - EU-China partnerships

**18.30 Dinner**

***Wednesday, 22 February***

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**9.00-13.00 Open Space 3**

- C) What can European and Chinese societies do to improve the situation of left-behind children in China?

**13.00-14.00 Lunch**

