



# Workshop 1

## Integration & Resettlement

- Patrick Spinnoy, Belgium – visited The Netherlands
- Miroslav Hrubos, Czech Republic – visited UK
- Linda Rijpstra, Netherlands – visited Hungary
- Kjetil Optun, Norway – visited Belgium
- Jackie Claybrook, UK – visited Sweden

Will you educate them in the English language or will you educate them in your national language?

- The situation – all countries teach or will teach only in the language of that country
- Recommendation – language of that country as the first and then possibly the integration course in language of that country

Will you give them access to all kinds of schooling including university education?

- Situation – the school is compulsory until 15 or 16 or 18
- Recommendation – full access to all kinds of schools on equal terms as citizens of the country on basis of academic skills (except Patrick, he has his own comment)

# Should work be allowed?

- Situation – different in each country
- Recommendation – no recommendation. Many opinions why to allow and why not. Working during the procedure and working after the procedure.

What if people in a later stage have to go back to their own or a third country?

- Situation – different in each country
- Recommendation – accelerated programme of learning skills on voluntary basis.
- Confidence building programme with country of origin.