

International Joint Meeting of Screenwriters' Guilds in PARIS

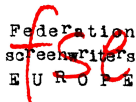
proposed by the Federation of Screenwriters in Europe (FSE), the International Affiliation of Writers Guilds (IAWG) and the *Guilde Française des Scénaristes* (La Guilde)

on **Wednesday 19th October 2016 from 10:00 AM to 5:30 PM**
followed by a reception at SACD from 6:00 to 10:00 PM

at **La Maison des Auteurs of SACD**, Paris, France
7 rue Ballu, 75009 Paris (Metro : Blanche or Place de Clichy)

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PROGRAMME

10:00

Registration

10:15 to 10:30

Welcome notes by **SACD** and the **Guilde Française des Scénaristes**

10:30 to 11:30

ORGANIZING & COLLECTIVE BARGAINING SUCCESSES

La Guilde Française des Scénaristes will present a summary of their key accomplishments and the elements responsible for their great success in a relatively short time and the barriers it encountered along the way. The Writers Guild of Norway, which recently became a registered trade union, will join a panel to give a summary of this accomplishment and pose the question: what are the three most important next steps. ALMA (Spanish Union of Screenwriters) and the Writers Guild America East will contribute to the debate.

- France : Jean-André Yerlès, La Guilde
- Norway : Monica Boracco, chair of the Writers Guild of Norway
- USA: Lowell Peterson, Executive Director, WGA East
- Spain : Josep Gatell and Teresa de Rosendo, board members of ALMA
- Moderator: Robert Taylor, President FSE

11:30 to 12:00

Coffee Break, Café des Auteurs

12:00 to 12:45

PRODUCTION NOTES

What is getting made and what are writers getting paid, including online, trends in co-productions.

- USA : Ellen Stutzman, Senior Director of Research and Public Policy, WGA West
- France : Alexandre Manneville, screenwriter and board member of La Guilde
- Moderator: Maureen Parker, Executive Director, Writers Guild of Canada

12:45 to 14:15

Lunch/Networking

Lunch will be split at two nearby restaurants.

14:15 to 15:00

EQUALITY AND DIVERSITY, WOMEN AND MINORITIES

Revisiting and checking in on progress since the WARSAW WOMENS RESOLUTION adopted at the 3rd World Conference of Screenwriters in 2014. Several guild representatives will update the meeting on recent initiatives, progress and ongoing frustrations.

- Great-Britain : Ellie Peers, Acting General Secretary of the Writers Guilds of Great Britain
- Sweden: Camilla Alghren, Chair of the Writers' Guild of Sweden
- Ireland: David Kavanagh, General Secretary of the Writers Guild of Ireland
- Moderator: Jill Golick, President, Writers Guild of Canada

15:00 to 15:45

FREEDOM OF EXPRESSION / FREEDOM TO WRITE

La Guilde Française des Scénaristes will invite a special guest to address this issue. Followed by a discussion with the audience.

15:45 to 16:15

Coffee Break, Café des Auteurs

16:15 to 17:00

INTERNATIONAL CO-PRODUCTIONS

How do we cooperate internationally - between us Europeans and across the oceans ?
Challenges in co-production from the perspective of management of rights.
With Frank Spotnitz, writer & producer

17:00 to 17:30

THE PARIS RESOLUTION & CLOSING REMARKS

18:00 – 22:00

SACD Reception
