You are warmly welcome to

United Nations Commission for Social Development, 47th session

Side-event hosted by Finland in co-operation with the European Youth Forum with active participation from the Youth NGOs participating in the International Coordination Meeting of Youth Organisations (ICMYO).

Volunteering, Children and Youth the right to participate

Date and Time: February 6th, lunch time (13:00-14:30)

Place: the Consulate General of Finland 866 United Nations Plaza, Suite 250, New York

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Draft Programme

13:00 Snack lunch served
13:15 Welcome speech, Mrs. Paula Risikko, Minister of Social Affairs and Health, Finland
13:30 Panel discussion: “Volunteering and Participation”, Moderator UN Youth Delegate of Finland, Ms. Anna Ranki

Panellists:
Ms. Emma Kuusi, Senior adviser, Ministry of Education and Youth, Finland
Mr. Christoffer Grönstad, Vice-President, European Youth Forum
Other panellists are to be confirmed

14:15 Questions and answers
14:30 End of the event