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**Monday, 23rd May 2011**

Venue: Pörsitalo (Stock House), Fabianinkatu 14, Helsinki

09:30 – 17:30 Registration at the Lobby
09:30 – 14:00 Institutional Round Tables

15:00 – 16:30 **Visit to the Ministry of Employment** ([http://www.tem.fi/?l=en](http://www.tem.fi/?l=en))
Venue: Aleksanterinkatu 4, Helsinki
Host: State Secretary **Mr Jari Heiniluoma**, Ministry of Employment and the Economy,
Ministerial Adviser **Ms. Marikki Järvinen**, Ministry of Employment and the Economy. Regional Development Department

19:30 – 21:00 **Welcome Cocktail/Reception**
Venue: Helsinki City Hall, Pohjoisesplanadi 11-13

**Tuesday, 24th May 2011**

All day participation in **INSME Annual Meeting**
Venue: Pörsitalo (Stock House), Fabianinkatu 14, Helsinki

09:00 – 12:30 Registration at the Lobby
09:30 – 13:30 Morning Working Sessions
14:00 – 17:00 Afternoon Working Sessions

**Wednesday, 25th May 2011**

AM participation in **INSME Annual Meeting**
Venue: Pörsitalo (Stock House), Fabianinkatu 14, Helsinki

09:00 – 12:30 Registration at the Lobby
09:15 – 13:40 Morning Working Sessions
Venue: Porkkalankatu 1
Host: Director **Mr. Jarmo Karesto**
Venue: Eteläranta 10
Host: Programme Manager at Technology Industries of Finland, **Mr. Harri Jokinen**

**Thursday, 26th May 2011**

All day **trainings:**
Venue: G.W. Sundman’s Restaurant, Eteläranta16

08:45 – 09:15 Registration at the Sundman’s Restaurant
09:15 – 17:00 Working Sessions incl. Lunch
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Friday, 27th May 2011

Whole day (09:00 – 14:30) at Technopolis Innopoli
Venue: Innopoli 1 Espoo, Tekniikantie 12
http://www.technopolis.fi/toimitilat/espoo/technopolis_espoo

09:00 – 9:45  Tekel - The Finnish Science Park Association TEKEL is a nationwide co-operation network of Finnish science parks and technology centres, containing 31 members in Finland’s university cities (www.tekel.fi)
Host: Communication Manager, Ms Pia Pere-Vanhanen

The main function of the Helsinki Region Centre of Expertise company - Culminatum Innovation Oy Ltd - is to implement the National Centre of Expertise Programme in the Helsinki region in association with the host organisations for the selected expertise sectors.
Host:

10:45 – 11:30  Spinno (Spinno Enterprise Center delivers world class, award winning pre-incubation and incubation programs for technology and knowledge based start-ups aiming at rapid growth and international success)
(www.spinno.fi/inenglish/)
Host: Director Mr. Tuomas Maisala

11:30 – 12:15  InnoPraxis - consulting company (Spinn-off from Technopolis) which develops an effective innovation system and supporting innovation infrastructures (http://www.innopraxis.fi/)
Host: CEO, Ms Mervi Käki

12:15 – 13:00  Lunch hosted by Innopraxis
13:00 – 14:00  Tekes – the Finnish Funding Agency for Technology and Innovation
Host: Mr Esko Virtanen