

Audrey Frith, appointed director of Eurodesk Brussels Link (EBL)

The Eurodesk Brussels Link is glad to announce the appointment of its new Director, Audrey Frith, as from 1st July 2016.

Audrey has been working in EU affairs and project management in the field of education, training and youth for more than 10 years. She has been acting as the director of Lifelong Learning Platform since 2010. Previously she was European Affairs Manager at the Ligue de l'Enseignement headquarters in Paris in the field of popular education.



"I am convinced about the need to invest in education worldwide because of its role for empowering people; learning mobility is particularly powerful in opening up the minds of young people. In the current European context, and the rise of populism and far-right movements, offering such an opportunity to all young person could really make a difference in building a society that is much more open and tolerant to diversity. This is without mentioning the wider benefits of learning mobility in developing social, civic and intercultural competences and in improving employability. All Europeans should have such an opportunity, especially those from disadvantaged groups. For that, access to quality information is central."

Audrey has a master's degree in European project management from the Sorbonne University, Paris and a master's degree in English language, literature, and civilisation from University Paul Valéry, Montpellier. She speaks English, French and Spanish.

"I am very glad to join the Eurodesk network and to work with the national contact points and multipliers. As Director, my aim is to contribute, thanks to the support of the executive committee and EBL, to building a strong network offering quality information to young people on the opportunities offered to learn, work and volunteer abroad."