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From Ongoing Evaluation towards the Evaluation Plan

Vienna, 14 May 2012

Good Practice Workshops – What for?

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- Forum for exchange on practical issues in relation to monitoring and evalaution → topics proposed by MS

- Produce practical outcomes

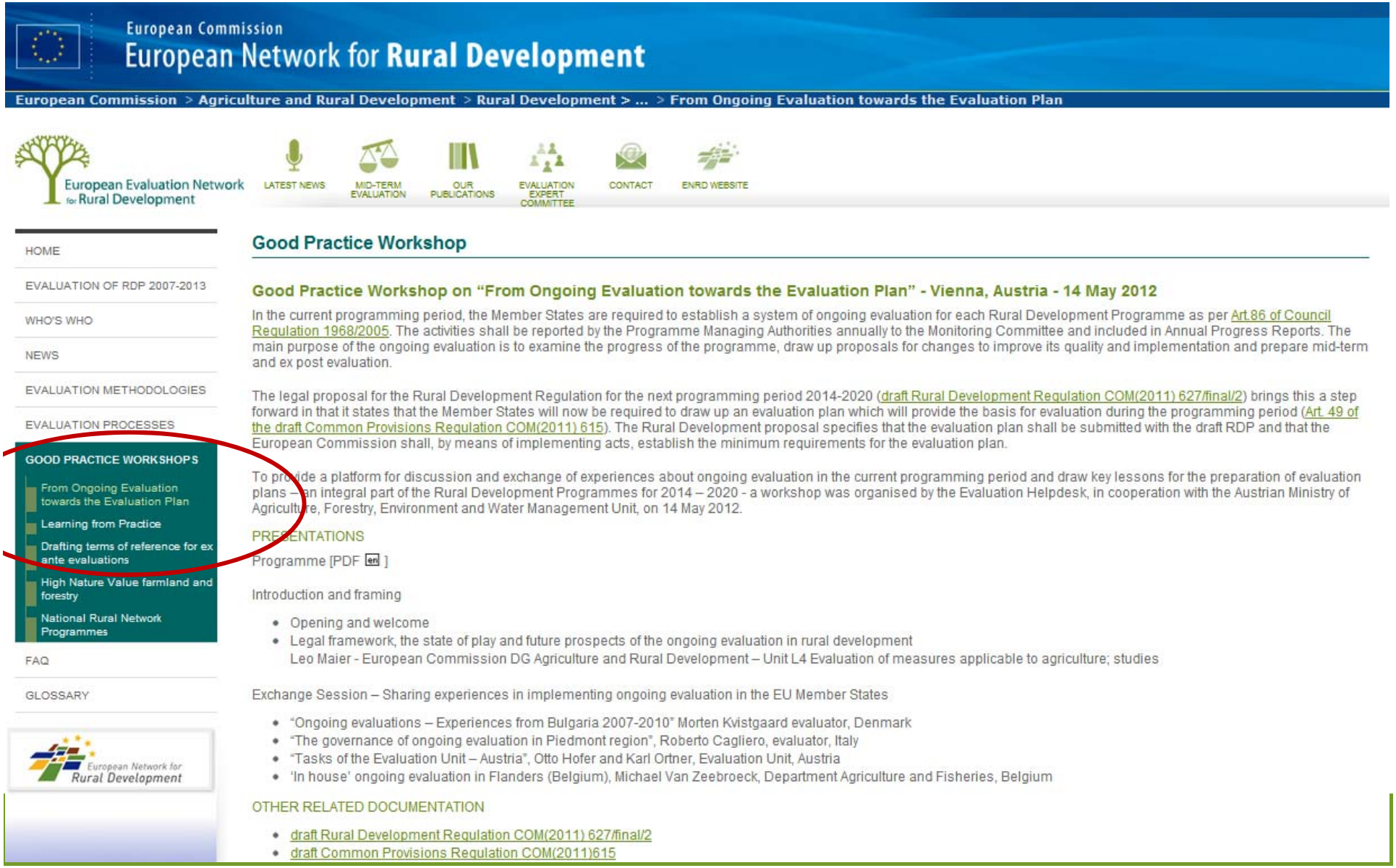
- Create knowledge on M&E and feed it back to Member States‘ and EU actors

Good Practice Workshops – which one have taken place so far?

- Evaluation of National Rural Network Programmes Brussels, Belgium – 7 February 2012
- High Nature Value farmland and forestry Edinburgh, Scotland – 20 February 2012
- Drafting terms of reference for ex ante evaluations Brussels, Belgium - 1 March 2012
- From Ongoing Evaluation towards the Evaluation Plan - Vienna, Austria - 14 May 2012

Would you like to propose a topic and/or host a Good Practice workshop? → info@ruralevaluation.eu

Where can I find the outcomes?
http://enrd.ec.europa.eu/evaluation/



Today‘s workshop

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- Exchange experiences from ongoing evaluation and draw key lessons learned
- Reflect on new requirements
- Prepare the contents of an evaluation plan

Workflow of today‘s meeting

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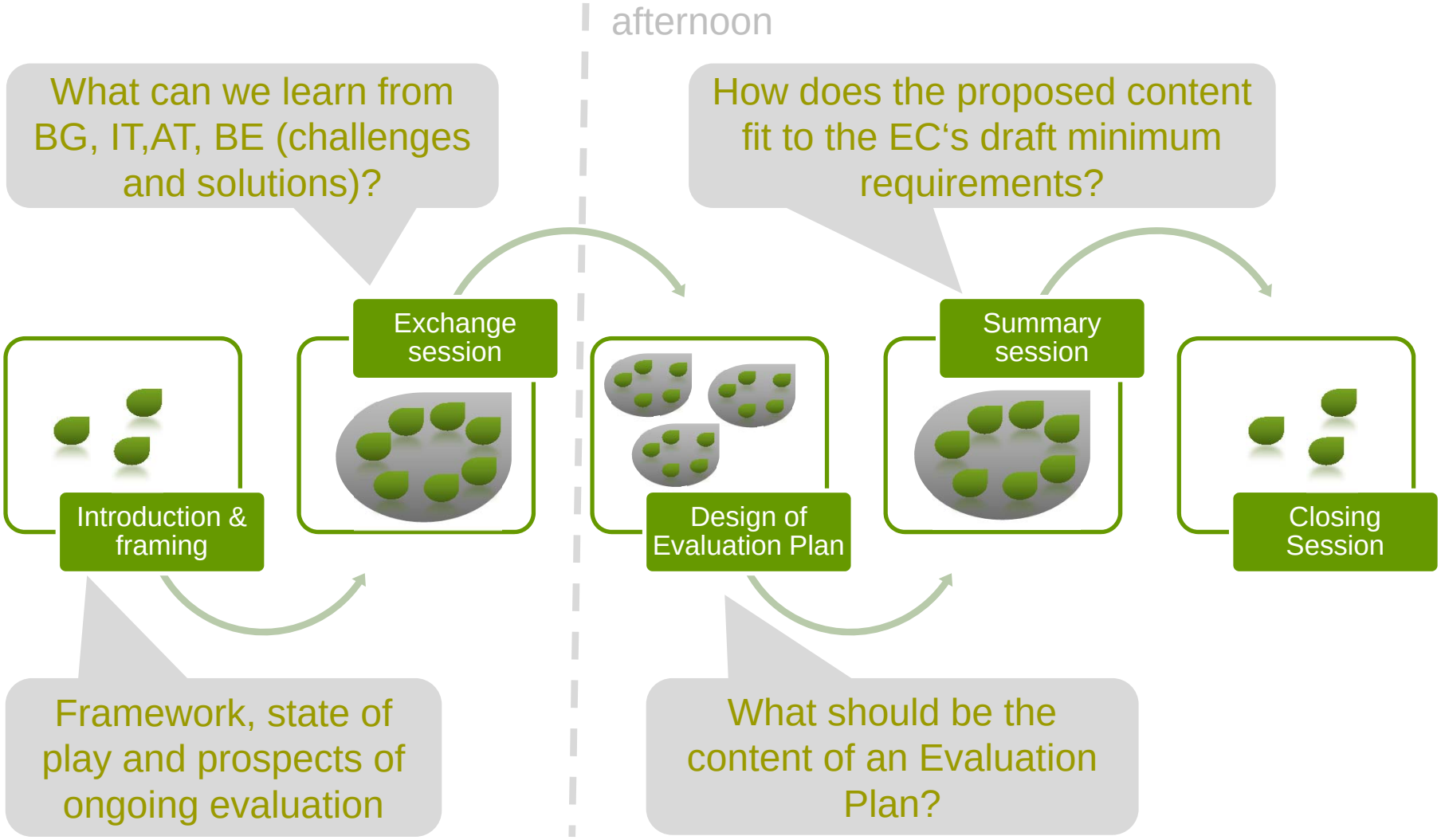

Meeting place for a drink and/or dinner at GASTHAUS WILD, Radetzky-Platz 1, 14 May, 6 p.m. (If you can‘t find it call Hannes +43 / 699 10 10 50 85)

Lebensministerium
(workshop venue on 14 /05)

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Character of Evaluation Plan

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BG:
- No Evaluation Plan, only decision to implement 2 tenders with the tasks into two clusters 07-10 and 11 - 15
- output: ongoing evaluation reports, MTE report
- Contract covers period 2007-2010

IT Piemonte:
- formal act of MA (for requirements of EC and national bodies)
- Contains „clarification about what MA means with evaluation“
- Not flexible
- Defined by MA
- Covers whole period

AT:
- „Project Handbook“ updated yearly
- CONTENT: Evaluation environment, tasks of evaluation, definition of roles and responsibilities (!); timing / reporting, guidelines, demand, data support
- Project plan: management, basics, indicators, contracts, reports
- Has management function

BE Flanders:
- Since January 2010 formaly written down, before on ad-hoc basis
- Yearly updated
- Started to introduce project management principles in team (execution plan is part of it)
- Used for project management