

## CABLE Knowledge Development Project

Workshop 1

Helsinki, Finland

26 – 29 September 2018



### Context

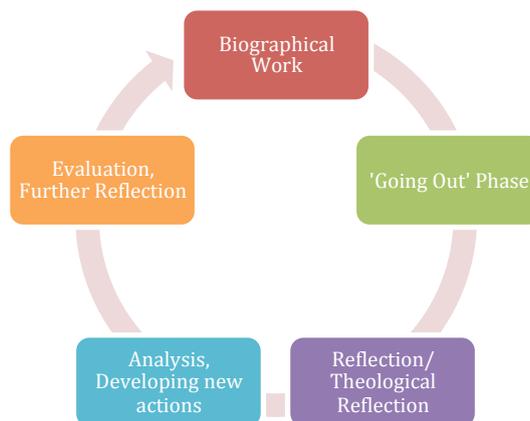
In the last five years there have been many developments that have used the CABLE approach in different countries and contexts. The time is right to bring together a new community of CABLE practitioners to share knowledge and experience and to constitute a network for support and exchange.

### Invitation

The organisers are involved in developing CABLE based initiatives and you are invited to participate in the upcoming workshop. The only prerequisite is that you also have experience to share and ideas to contribute as well as a desire to learn from others' practice.

### Programme

The programme will begin with a sharing of participant's experience and thematic reflection and on this basis specific themes will be deepened. The main entry points will be based on the CABLE approach, which involves a continuous process:



The relevance of CABLE to different sites and learning processes will also be explored. These may include, singly or in combination:

*Professional development of new service models*

*Initial learning for social and diaconal work*

*Volunteer and activist learning programmes*

*Work in local communities*

*Work with service users, volunteers and activists*

*Cross-sectoral working (e.g. with citizens and professionals)*

*Congregational development*

*Project development, especially involving civil society and/or church*

*Organisational development (implementing CABLE across an organisation or church)*

### **Continuity & Further Development**

The workshop will be followed up by further exchanges and will also provide a space for developing longer-term research and development initiatives. A special working group will be devoted to this issue.

The link of the CABLE network to the newly launched CODE Forum, which brings together three approaches on community diaconia (Use Your Talents, CABLE & Seeking Conviviality), will also be a topic for discussion. For more information about CODE please contact Tony Addy.

### **Practical Information**

The workshop will take place in Helsinki and will begin on 26<sup>th</sup> September at 14.00 and end on 29<sup>th</sup> September with lunch.

The venue will be in the city centre.

The participation fee for the workshop is 300€ for participants from local/regional funded organisations and 150€ for personal participation. In case of questions contact the organisers. Meals during the programme will be provided.

Participants are responsible for organising their own accommodation (guidance will be available from the organisers, who are negotiating special rates for the event) as well as their own transport to and from the workshop.

The language of the workshop will be English

### **Applications**

Please apply using the attached form (or download it from the web site [www.cardijn-verein.org](http://www.cardijn-verein.org)).

**Last date for applications: 1<sup>st</sup> June 2018**

**Participation will be confirmed at the latest by 15<sup>th</sup> June**

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