

FACTS EUROSKILLS 2016

EUROSKILLS IN GOTHENBURG

The fifth EuroSkills Competition is the first to be hosted in Scandinavia. With a population of 990,000 the region of Gothenburg forms a Nordic centre for science and latest technology and gathers over 70% of Scandinavias industrial capacity in a 500 km radius.

ALL UNDER ONE ROOF

The venue for EuroSkills 2016 brings the Ceremonies, Competition, conferences, accommodation and even Gothenburg's great entertainment attractions such as the Liseberg Amusement Park and the Universeum Science Centre to one spot and all within **direct walking distance**. That offers a unique **networking experience** for all EuroSkills stakeholders attending the event.

EUROSKILLS 2016 SCHOOL PROGRAMME

The expected number of visitors for the event has grown above **40,000**. In fact, **over 25,000 students** already registered one month before the Competition starts and there is a notable interest of visitors from outside Sweden. Students and school staff are not only attending as visitors, but some of them are also involved in the organization and execution of the event. **Over 400 schools will visit EuroSkills 2016**.

SUSTAINABILITY

EuroSkills 2016 will set standards in sustainability and serve as an example for future events. To minimize the environmental impact, there is a **Zero-Waste-Target**. That means that all materials, tools, equipment, etc. will be recycled or reused and no waste will go to a landfill. The venue is **100% powered by wind energy**. Due to the All-Under-One-Roof concept every spot can be reached on foot and motorized shuttles are unnecessary.

FIGURES

28 European and 7 non-European countries

488 registered Competitors

including 24 Guest Competitors from Canada, China, Hong Kong (China), India, Japan, Republic of Korea and United Arab Emirates

and 20 Competitors in presentation Skills

314 Volunteers speak over 40 different languages

44 Skills in 6 sectors

40,000 m² of Competition area

25 Try-a-Skill possibilities

250 journalists