

Yearly Report BETA Netherlands (Bringing Europeans Together Association) 2019

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1. Introduction and activities

Dear members,

It has almost been 1,5 years since the foundation of our association and it has been an extremely busy period in which we managed to organise a significant number of events all aimed at educating students about the workings of the EU. Below we will describe the highlights of the past year and give an overview of the current state of our organisation.

The This Time I'm Voting Campaign

In May of last year we had the elections for the European Parliament and BETA Europe had asked us to organise some Mini Model European Unions (Mini-MEUs) for that. Mini-MEUs are a short one-day format and we organised three of them, one in Rotterdam, one in Maastricht and one in Delft. Especially the ones in Maastricht and Delft had a large amount of participants and this offered a great opportunity to get more people acquainted with our organisation.



MEU Netherlands 2019

Our first 5-day edition of MEU Netherlands ended up being a big success. Even though we had initially some issues with recruiting participants we managed to organise an event that most participants were very happy with, and many of them who were first-timers ended up doing other MEUs or even organising them. For quite a few team members on the team of MEUNL 2020, last years' edition was their first one. Of course this would not have been possible without all the advice from our members and everyone on the team.



Mini-MUN Lodewijk College

Even though we generally do not organise simulations of the United Nations, the Lodewijk College in Terneuzen approached us with the question if we could organise an Mini-MUN for them. The Management Board took this opportunity to develop a format for this and organise a one-day simulation for 40 participants.



MEU Netherlands 2020

Of course we have also started preparing this year's edition of Model European Union Netherlands. This year the team is headed by Casper Kroes, Eleonora Di Franco and Mathias Quickert. Our team largely consists of participants of last year's MEU who were very enthusiastic about the project, supplemented with people who have experience in other MEUs or are otherwise experienced in their roles. Currently we are on track to organise the event July 13th-16th as planned, but this might be delayed due to the COVID-19 crisis.

2. Financial statement:

a. Income and Expenses:

Winst & verlies 01-11-2018 t/m 31-12-2019

Code	Omschrijving	Verlies	Winst
4810	bankkosten boekhoudkosten en administratiekosten	554,26	
8005	Inkomsten Mini MEU's		476,56
8006	uitgaven Mini MEU	476,56	
8007	hotelkosten	4.727,60	
8009	Inkomsten MEU participanten zonder hotel		1.537,86
8010	Inkomsten MEU participanten met hotel		4.890,02
8011	inkomsten PayPal		0,30
8014	uitgaven voedsel	456,35	
8015	uitgaven transport	200,20	
8016	Uitgaven vergoedingen	22,04	
9990	overige kosten/opbrengsten		400,00
	Saldo winst	867,73	
		7.304,74	7.304,74

b. Balance:

Balans t/m 31-12-2019

Code	Omschrijving	Activa	Passiva
1000	Kas	467,73	
1300	Debiteuren	400,00	
	Saldo		867,73
		867,73	867,73

Note: On the balance there is still €400 from one of the organisations we organised a simulation for under "debtors". That money has been received by now.