



**Das Land
Steiermark**

3rd AER Communication Atelier

Making Europe more democratic? - The European Citizens' Initiative

11 February 2010, Steiermark Office Brussels
Avenue Tervuren 82-84, B-1040 Brussels, 14h00-17h00

DRAFT PROGRAMME

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| 14.00 | Registration + Networking Coffee |
| 14.30 | Introduction and welcome
Presentation AER Communicating Europe Award winners |
| 14.45 | Topic: European Citizens initiative - What is it and how does it work?
Johannes W. PICHLER – Professor for European Legal Development at the University of Graz and Director of the Austrian Institute for European Law and Politics in Salzburg |
| 15.15 | Point of view of European Commission - First results of consultation and further perspectives
Sebastian KURPAS, European Commission |
| 15.40 | Panel discussion with Q&A session |
| 16.40 | Launch of the 4th AER Communication Award |
| 17.00 | END |