

**EFJ Freelance Expert Group (FREG)**  
**BRUSSELS, 26 February 2015**  
**11.00-16.00h**

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**Draft Agenda**

1. Welcome by co-chairs and approval of the agenda
2. Approval of minutes of last meeting (October 2014, Minsk) and follow-up
3. European Briefing:
  - Meeting with Commissioner Thyssen, employment and social affairs
  - European Parliament
  - Court of Justice of European Union (Case C-413/13) re right of self-employed workers to collectively bargain through their trade union
  - Proposals for lobbying EU on collective bargaining for freelances
4. Short up-date on EFJ issues including Steering Committee; Annual Meeting in Moscow (see resolutions dealing with freelances enclosed) and other expert groups (LAREG; AREG and CONEG); EFJ project work: Rights and Jobs in Journalism (first seminar 11 Mai 2015: recruitment, Skills and Youth; EFJ/UNI-MEI: New forms of employment in the Audiovisual sector)
5. National developments of interest to FREG (*additional info or questions arising from written reports*)
6. Next Webinar: Themes: social security; security issues in war reporting; digital security, other)
7. 2-3 July Pigistes meeting on European journalism in Strassbourg (*48h de la pige européennes de Strasbourg des 2-3 juil. 15 (European Convention of Freelance Journalism)*)
8. Next meeting(s).