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## Newsletter No. 12

Hamburg, 13<sup>th</sup> August 2003

Dear Partners and Friends,

We have pleasure in informing you that the European Commission, DG Employment and Social Affairs, has renewed the contract for STEPS for the second year (September 2003 to August 2004). Many thanks to all of you who has supported us with reports, contributions and information!

The second year of STEPS starts busy! Many activities as the Documentation of the Lidingö-Conference and the Comparative framework has been going on now. We are planning the Conferences in Barcelona and London as well as the User-Conference which will take place in Hamburg in Spring 2004.

Please find in this newsletter the most important data for the next month for your information.

We hope that you have had nice Holidays and wish you a highly motivated re-start after the summer break!

With good wishes

Dorothee Bittscheidt

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## Schedule for the 2<sup>nd</sup> year of STEPS

### 2003

1 <sup>st</sup> September	Start of the 2 <sup>nd</sup> year of STEPS
1 <sup>st</sup> /2 <sup>nd</sup> September	Dorothee and Anne are going to Barcelona to prepare the Conference in November
7 <sup>th</sup> – 14 <sup>th</sup> September	A group of users from the Rauhes Haus in Hamburg is going to visit Lidingö.
8 <sup>th</sup> of September	Session with the Phase II promoters of the transnational actions to combat discrimination at the European Commission, Brussels (Anne will take part on behalf of STEPS)

### 26<sup>th</sup> – 29<sup>th</sup> of November IV. International STEPS-Conference in Barcelona

Until End of November	Final report for the first year has to be submitted to the European Commission
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**2004**

**25<sup>th</sup> – 29<sup>th</sup> of February      International User-Conference “Independent Living in Europe”**

**12th – 16th of May              V. International STEPS-Conference in London**

31<sup>st</sup> August                      End of the second year of STEPS

Until End of November      Final report for STEPS has to be submitted to the European Commission

The schedule is published on the STEPS-web site as well.

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## **Move of the STEPS-office – new address!**

Finally, Anne Ernst has moved the STEPS-office to the University of Applied Sciences.  
Please notice her new telephone-number and email-address!

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