UNITED KINGDOM
The leader of the pack

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EU Panel session
Jeff French
Structure for my ten minutes

1. Some background about Europe
2. Differences and similarities between European and other forms of social marketing
3. Some key developments in the UK

Key Facts and Quiz

How many countries in the EU?

27
Candidate countries

* Turkey
* Macedonia
* Croatia
* Iceland

What is the European anthem?

Beethoven's "Ode to Joy"

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GDP in billions of euro (2007)

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Europe Day?

9th May

What is the EU motto?

United in diversity
Who drinks the most?

Ireland Wins

Who has the most fat?

Italy Wins
Who eats the most Chocolate?

The Swiss Win

Who has the most Road deaths?

Lithuania Wins

SOURCE: European Commission
Recycling Champions?

Germany Wins

Who is the happiest?

Denmark Wins

Figure 1: Life satisfaction and happiness index, by country

Question 29: All things considered, how satisfied would you say you are with your life these days? Scale from 1 (‘very dissatisfied’) to 10 (‘very satisfied’). Question 42: Taking all things together, how happy would you say you are, on a scale from 1 to 10 where 1 means you are ‘very unhappy’ and 10 means you are ‘very happy’.

Source: EQLS 2007 for all figures in this résumé.
Who has the most Crime?

- Poland
- France
- Netherlands
- Belgium
- Austria
- Germany
- UK
- Portugal
- Spain
- Lithuania
- Sweden
- Finland
- Rest of Ireland
- Slovenia
- Greece
- Hungary
- Czech Republic
- Slovakia
- Cyprus
- Malta
- Luxembourg
- Denmark
- Latvia
- Estonia
- Bulgaria
- Romania
- Other (non-EC)

Poland Wins

The UK Must be the best at something!
Teenage pregnancy: The UK wins!

Social Marketing theory and practice in Europe

1. Is it different
2. How developed is it
3. Big challenges
4. A few key developments in the UK
Is European SM different?

**YES and NO**

- **YES**
  - Liberal Social Policy
  - Social democracy
  - A focus up stream
  - Communitarian ethic
  - Academic scrutiny and interdisciplinary
  - Huge variation across Europe

Social Marketing

Social Marketing
NO

* Focused on citizens needs
* Focused on Behaviour
* Focused on creating valued exchange
* Focused on effectiveness
* Still confused with social advertising and social media marketing

How developed is it?

![Graph showing the adoption curve with the Chasm highlighted. The Chasm is the gap between Early Adopters (13.5%) and Early Majority (34%). The chart includes the following segments: Innovators (2.5%), Early Adopters (13.5%), Early Majority (34%), Late Majority (34%), and Laggards (16%).]
How developed is it

Key UK developments

- New Coalition Government
- Less money
- High interest in the science of change
- Commitment to a second social marketing strategy
  - Growing number of academic courses
- Growth of social marketing in the public sector
- National Occupational standards
- Growth in provider market
Big challenges in Europe

- Confusion over what SM is
- Grow the champions
- Grow the academic base
- Grow the provider base
- Develop a professional associations and networks?