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## NEW TEAM MEMBERS FOR THE EUROPEAN VENDING ASSOCIATION

**Brussels, 15 November 2013 –** The EVA Office re-opened on 12 November and we are pleased to announce that we have two new team members.

## David Irvine has joined the EVA as a Communication and Public Affairs Manager



David Irvine is a British national who studied European Integration at Queen's University Belfast. He is enthusiastic and passionate about the interests of the vending industry within the European Institutions, as a consequence of his background in working for a coffee vending machine operator in the United Kingdom.

Prior to taking up his new post, David worked in local government in the UK and as an assistant to a Member of the European Parliament in Brussels. He has worked extensively with legislation and the EVA is confident that his professional experience and knowledge combined with his mother tongue English will assist and complement the EVA team.

## Laura Zerbini is the new EVA Office Assistant



Laura Zerbini graduated in June this year as a Management Assistant, and is already familiar with the European world through a traineeship in the European Council. She is a Belgian national and is fluent in French, English, Dutch and Italian. Laura is

also highly motivated to serve the vending industry, and will support the team in several areas including updating the website, maintenance of the database, and administrative and events support.

The EVA is very pleased to welcome our new colleagues to the team.

About the European Vending Association

The European Vending Association (EVA) is a not-for-profit organisation established in Brussels. It represents the interests of the European vending industry vis-à-vis the European Institutions and other relevant authorities or bodies.

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