



## Organization for Security and Co-operation in Europe

### Special Representative and Co-ordinator for Combating Trafficking in Human Beings

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#### **DRAFT AGENDA** **ALLIANCE AGAINST TRAFFICKING IN PERSONS**

#### **An Agenda for Prevention: Non-Discrimination and Empowerment**

Vienna, Hofburg, Neuer Saal  
11-12 October 2012

#### **Thursday 11 October**

- 13.30 – 15.00      Registration
- 15.00 – 16.10      **Welcome and Opening Remarks**
- Frank Cogan*, Ambassador, Head of Irish OSCE Chairmanship Taskforce  
*Lamberto Zannier*, Secretary General, OSCE  
*Janez Lenarčič*, Director, ODIHR  
*Knut Vollebaek*, High Commissioner on National Minorities (HCNM), OSCE  
*Morten Kjaerum*, Director, European Union Agency for Fundamental Rights (FRA)  
*Maria Grazia Giammarinaro*, OSCE Special Representative and Co-ordinator for Combating Trafficking in Human Beings
- 16.10 – 16.40      *Coffee Break*
- 16.40 – 17.45      **Keynote Addresses**
- Kenneth Morris*, President, Frederick Douglass Family Foundation  
*Matteo Mecacci*, Member of the Italian Chamber of Deputies, Chairman of the General Committee on Democracy, Human Rights and Humanitarian Questions of OSCE Parliamentary Assembly  
*Marjan Wijers*, Human rights consultant and researcher
- 17.45 – 18.15      Discussion
- 18.30                **Opening of the Photo Exhibition “Human Trafficking Through Children’s Eyes”** by the Ambassador of Liechtenstein, *H.S.H Maria-Pia Kothbauer*, the Ambassador of Moldova, *Valeriu Chiveri*, and the OSCE Special Representative and Co-ordinator for Combating Trafficking in Human Beings, *Maria Grazia Giammarinaro*

***The Opening will be followed by a reception in the Hofburg cafeteria, generously sponsored by the delegations of Andorra, Liechtenstein, Monaco and San Marino.***

## **Friday 12 October**

- 09.30 – 10.30      **Panel 1: Discrimination on any Grounds – a Vulnerability Factor**
- Moderator: *Mariana Katzarova*, Senior Adviser on Anti-trafficking Issues, ODIHR
- Andrzej Mirga*, Roma Focal Point, ODIHR  
*Bridget Anderson*, Deputy Director, Centre on Migration, Policy and Society  
*Kadri Soova*, Advocacy Officer, PICUM
- 10.30 – 11.00      Discussion
- 11.00 – 11.30      *Coffee Break*
- 11.30 - 12.40      **Panel 2: Exploring Non-Discrimination, Empowerment and the Law**
- Moderator: *Petya Nestorova*, Executive Secretary of the Council of Europe Convention on Action against Trafficking in Human Beings, Council of Europe
- Ryszard Piotrowicz*, Professor of law, University of Aberystwyth  
*Patricia Le Cocq*, Belgium Centre for Equal Opportunities and Opposition to Racism  
*Parosha Chandran*, Human rights barrister  
*David Lopez*, General Counsel, U.S. Equal Employment Opportunity Commission
- 12.40 – 13.00      Discussion
- 13.00 – 15.00      *Lunch Break in Cafeteria, Hofburg, 2<sup>nd</sup> floor*
- Side events:**
- 13.45 – 14.45      ***Preventing Human Trafficking in Children without Parental Care in the Republic of Moldova***
- 13.45 – 14.45      ***Arts and Culture in the Fight Against Slavery***
- 15.00 – 15.15      **Special Address**
- Anastasia Crickley*, Head of Department of Applied Social Studies, National University of Ireland, Founder and chair of Pavee Point Travellers Centre
- 15.15 – 16.30      **Roundtable Discussion: Non-Discrimination and Empowerment as a Prevention Strategy**
- Moderator: *Mark Urnov*, Professor, Moscow Higher School of Economics
- Madina Jarbussynova*, Ambassador, OSCE Project Co-ordinator in Ukraine  
*Kristine Skytte Glue*, KVINFO-Danish Centre for Information on Gender, Equality and Diversity  
*Nivedita Prasad*, Project Co-ordinator, Ban Ying  
*Lisa Wong*, Senior officer, Program to Promote the Fundamental Principles and Rights at Work, ILO  
*Olivier Peyroux*, Sociologist and Deputy Director, Hors La Rue  
*Rani Hong*, UN.GIFT Special Advisor for Victims, Executive Director, Tronie Foundation
- 16.30 – 17.00      Discussion
- 17.00 – 17.15      **Concluding Remarks** by *Maria Grazia Giammarinaro*, OSCE Special Representative and Co-ordinator for Combating Trafficking in Human Beings



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### SIDE EVENT

### ARTS AND CULTURE IN THE FIGHT AGAINST SLAVERY

12 October 2012, 13:45 – 14:45, Room 201, Hofburg

*English language only*

Art and culture can be a creative and effective means to raise awareness about trafficking in human beings with the general public and civil society. This event presents three initiatives developed by OSCE participating States and its Partners for Co-operation.

The **City of Nantes** created one of the largest monuments in the world dedicated to slave trading, slavery and its abolition, in recognition of its role as France's largest slave port in the 18<sup>th</sup> century. The memorial uses art and intercultural exchanges to raise awareness about the city's history and the fight against slavery through the ages.

The **NGO "Leader"** (Kyrgyzstan) is using theatre – with professional actors, students and unemployed persons - as a tool to raise awareness about human trafficking as part of an information campaign on the issue. Each performance is followed by discussions which allow in-depth exchange of information and opinions with the audience.

The **Golda Meir Mount Carmel International Training Center**, based in Haifa (Israel), conducts training seminars in the socio-economic area, with an emphasis on gender equality and community development. In May 2012, the training centre held a seminar on the fight against human trafficking, with a focus on the relationship between government and non-governmental organizations and related dilemmas and challenges.

The presentations will be followed by a discussion.

**Ms. Françoise Vergès**

*President of the Committee for the Memory and History of Slavery, City of Nantes, France*

**Ms. Elmira Khasanova**

*NGO "Leader", Karakol, Kyrgyzstan*

**Ms. Hava Karrie**

*Deputy Director, Golda Meir Mount Carmel International Training Center, Israel*

***This side event will be chaired by Maria Grazia Giammarinaro, OSCE Special Representative and Co-ordinator for Combating Trafficking in Human Beings.***



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### SIDE EVENT

### OSCE PROJECT: “PREVENTING HUMAN TRAFFICKING IN CHILDREN WITHOUT PARENTAL CARE IN THE REPUBLIC OF MOLDOVA”

12 October 2012, 13:45 – 14:45, Room 525, Hofburg

*English language only*

Together with several local organizations, the OSCE has set up an 18-month project, *Preventing human trafficking in children without parental care in the Republic of Moldova*, targeting 133 residential school graduates in the districts of Bender, Orhei and Leova. It teaches professional and life skills to children without parental care in order to contribute to the prevention of trafficking in human beings and irregular migration from Moldova.

The side event will provide an overview of the project. Speakers will discuss the achievements, lessons learned, challenges and its concrete impact on the children. More specifically, the project led to the creation of the photo exhibition “Human Trafficking through Children’s Eyes”. The photographer will describe how he worked with the children and the training affected them.

The presentation will be followed by a discussion.

**Chair: Ambassador Elena Molaroni**, Deputy Head of Delegation of the Republic of San Marino.

- **Screening of short video on the project**
- **Aliona Stepan**, Project coordinator, Child Rights Information Center of Moldova
- **Oleg Culea**, Photographer

*The OSCE project is implemented by the Child Rights Information Centre Moldova in partnership with Moldova’s Education Ministry and the Ministry of Labour, Social Protection and Family, with the financial support of the Principalities of Andorra, Liechtenstein and Monaco and the Republic of San Marino.*



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### **OPENING OF THE PHOTO EXHIBITION "HUMAN TRAFFICKING THROUGH CHILDREN'S EYES"**

**11 October 2012, 18:30, Cafeteria 2<sup>nd</sup> floor, Hofburg**



*"These pictures describe poverty, violence, loneliness and sorrow, but also hopes, dreams and plans for the future. Through this activity, the children became aware of the risks related to trafficking, and simultaneously contributed to making society aware of this scourge."*

Maria Grazia Giammarinaro  
OSCE Special Representative and Co-ordinator for Combating Trafficking in Human Beings

The photo exhibition "**Human Trafficking Through Children's Eyes**" was produced by 14 to 18 year-old residential school students in Moldova. The children were given professional photography training and then they went to their home regions to create photographs that deal with the subject of trafficking in human beings. Their work is part of an OSCE project that teaches professional and life skills to children without parental care in order to prevent trafficking in human beings and irregular migration from Moldova. The OSCE project is implemented by the Child Rights Information Centre Moldova in partnership with Moldova's Education Ministry and the Ministry of Labour, Social Protection and Family, with the financial support of the Principalities of Andorra, Liechtenstein and Monaco and the Republic of San Marino.

**H.S.H. Ambassador Maria-Pia Kothbauer**, *Head of Permanent Mission of the Principality of Liechtenstein to the OSCE*

**Ambassador Valeriu Chiveri**, *Head of Permanent Delegation of the Republic of Moldova to the OSCE*

**Maria Grazia Giammarinaro**, *OSCE Special Representative and Co-ordinator for Combating Trafficking in Human Beings*

The Opening will be followed by a Reception generously sponsored by the delegations of Andorra, Liechtenstein, Monaco and San Marino.