



Working together towards the Eradication of Trafficking in Human Beings: The Way Forward

The Sixth **EU Anti-Trafficking Day** 18 October 2012

Albert Borschette Conference Centre,
Room CCAB 0A, Rue Froissart 36, Brussels, Belgium

PROGRAMME

Morning Session

08.30 – 09.00: Registration

Chair: Myria Vassiliadou, EU Anti-Trafficking Coordinator, European Commission

09.00 – 09.30 Welcome and opening address

- **Eleni Mavrou**, Minister of the Interior, Cyprus
- **Cecilia Malmström**, EU Commissioner for Home Affairs
- **Edit Bauer**, Member of the European Parliament

09.30 – 11.15 Panel 1:

The way ahead: 3 priority future actions

- **Kristina Berta**, Deputy State Secretary of EU and International Relations, Ministry of Interior and NREM, Hungary
- **Klaus Rösler**, Director of Operations Division, Frontex
- **Joy Ezeilo**, UN Special Rapporteur on trafficking in persons, especially in women and children
- **Eva Biaudet**, Ombudsman for Minorities and NREM, Finland
- **Jozef De Witte**, Director, Centre for Equal Opportunities and Opposition to Racism and NREM, Belgium

11.15 – 11.45 Coffee Break

11.45 – 12.00 Intermezzo

Excerpts from The Olivier award-winning production, Roadkill, presented by Scottish director **Cora Bissett**.

12.00 – 13.00 Panel 2:

The way ahead: 3 priority future actions

- **Michèle Coninx**, President of Eurojust
- **David Gilbride**, Principal Officer, Department of Justice and Equality and NREM, Ireland
- **Nicolas le Coz**, President of GRETA
- **Linda Lapa**, Cyprus STOP Trafficking, NGO, Cyprus

13.00 – 14.30 Lunch break

(buffet lunch will be served outside the meeting room)

Side Event

13.30 – 14.30 Informal discussion on an EU Platform for civil society organisations and service providers to be established



Afternoon Session

14:30 – 16:30 Working groups

Working group 1: Prevention: reduction of demand (including supply)

Moderator: Elisabeth Tichy-Fisslberger, Ambassador, Federal Ministry for European and International Affairs and NREM, Austria

Rapporteur: Josie Christodoulou, Policy Coordinator, Mediterranean Institute of Gender Studies, NGO, Cyprus

Stefan Descheemaeker, Chief Executive Officer, Delhaize Europe of Delhaize Group, Belgium

Howard Rosen, former President, Council of British Chambers of Commerce in Europe, United Kingdom

Grégoire Thery, Secretary General, Mouvement Nid, France

Sarah Schwarze, Advisor KOK-German nationwide activist coordination group combating trafficking in women and violence against women in the migration process

Working group 2: Prosecution: financial investigations

Moderator: Liam Vernon, Deputy Head, UK Human Trafficking Centre, United Kingdom

Rapporteur: Mickaël Roudaut, Policy Advisor, European Commission

Burkhard Mühl, Senior Specialist, Europol Criminal Assets Bureau and CARIN Secretariat, Europol

Adrian Petrescu, Head of Monitoring, Evaluation and Victims Coordination Unit, National Agency against Trafficking in Persons, Romania

Cor Veenman, Senior Forensic Scientist, Knowledge and Expertise Centre for Intelligent Data Analysis, Netherlands Forensic Institute, the Netherlands

Roberto Forte, Flare (Freedom, Legality and Rights in Europe), NGO, Italy

Working group 3: Protection: EU Transnational Referral Mechanism

Moderator: Laurence Hart, Head, Migrants Assistance Division, International Organisation for Migration

Rapporteur: Elisa Trossero, Programme Manager, International Centre for Migration Policy Development

Mark Ovensen, former victim of human trafficking for labour exploitation, United Kingdom

Sarah de Hovre, Director, PAG-ASA, NGO, Belgium

Antoaneta Vassileva, Secretary General, National Commission for Combating Trafficking in Human Beings and NREM, Bulgaria

Mitar Đurašković, Anti-Trafficking Coordinator, Serbia

16:30-16:45 Coffee break

16:45 – 18:00 Plenary

16:45-17:15: Presentation of the main findings of the working groups by the rapporteurs, followed by a discussion

17:15-17:45 **Myria Vassiliadou**, EU Anti-Trafficking Coordinator – Day Summary

17:45-18:00 **Eleni Mavrou**, Minister of Interior of Cyprus - Closing Remarks

* Speakers indicated in the programme as 'NREM' participate in the meetings of the Informal Network of National Rapporteurs or Equivalent Mechanisms (NREMs). Article 19 of Directive 2011/36/EU, to be transposed by April 2013 by the Member States, stipulates that Member States shall take the necessary measures to establish National Rapporteurs or Equivalent Mechanisms.