

International conference

Implementation of Measures to Fight Violence Against Women. From Words to Action!

Ljubljana, Cankarjev dom, Klub CD, 28 October 2016, 8.30 - 15.00

Programme

8.30 – 9.00	REGISTRATION
9.00 – 9.20	WELCOME SPEECHES <i>Maja Plaz</i> President of the Association of the SOS Help-line for Women and Children – Victims of Violence <i>Martina Vuk</i> State secretary, Ministry of Labour, Family, Social Affairs and Equal Opportunities <i>Eva Tomič</i> Permanent representative of the Republic of Slovenia to the Council of Europe <i>Vlasta Nussdorfer</i> Ombudswoman
9.20 – 10.00	INTERNATIONAL MECHANISMS TO COMBAT VIOLENCE AGAINST WOMEN <i>Implementation of the provisions of the United Nations Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Discrimination Against Women and implementation of the recommendations of the CEDAW Committee on the prevention of violence against women</i> <i>Mag. Špela Veselič</i> Association of the SOS Help-line for Women and Children – Victims of Violence GREVIO – Monitoring the implementation of the Istanbul Convention <i>Rosa Logar, MA</i> Representative of GREVIO Group
10.00 – 10.30	BREAK

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10.30 – 11.30

INTERNATIONAL MECHANISMS TO COMBAT VIOLENCE AGAINST WOMEN

Data collection: supporting EU Member States in meeting reporting requirements for the Istanbul Convention

Barbora Holubova

European Institute for Gender Equality

Ratification of the Istanbul Convention by the European Union

Sabine Boehmert

European Commission, Directorate for Equality

Discussion – Questions and Comments

11.30 – 12.45

IMPLEMENTATION OF THE ISTANBUL CONVENTION IN SLOVENIA

Inter-governmental Working Group for the Implementation of the Istanbul Convention

Mag. Sara Slana

Ministry of Labour, Family, Social Affairs and Equal Opportunities

Role of Police in Respect to the Implementation of the Istanbul Convention

Mag. Tatjana Bobnar

Ministry of Interior - Police

Reservations to the Istanbul Convention and amendments to criminal legislation for its effective implementation

Katarina Bervar Sternad

Legal-Informational Centre for NGOs - PIC

Trainings of Judges on Violence Against Women: Added value for the Implementation of the Istanbul Convention

Dr. Tadeja Jelovšek

Judicial Training Center

Discussion – Questions and Comments

12.45 – 13.30

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13.30 – 15.00

**MONITORING IMPLEMENTATION OF THE ISTANBUL CONVENTION
FROM THE NON-GOVERNMENTAL ORGANISATIONS**

Women`s Lobby Slovenia Activities for the Promotion of the Istanbul Convention

Sonja Lokar

Women`s Lobby Slovenia

Panel discussion:

**Reporting on the Implementation of the Istanbul Convention and Review of the Status of its
Ratification**

Dr. Tanja Ignjatović

Autonomous Women`s Center, Serbia

Adriana Bego

Center for Women War Victims – Rosa, Croatia

Gorica Ivić

Foundation »United Women« Banja Luka, Bosnia and Herzegovina

Natasha Dimitrovska, mag.

Association National Council for Gender Equality, Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia

Jovana Hajduković

Women`s Safe House, Montenegro

Barbara Stelmaszek, MA

WAVE – Women against Violence against Women, Austria

Katja Matko, mag.

Association SOS Help-line for Women and Children – Victims of Violence, Slovenia

Discussion and Conclusion

The conference will be moderated by dr. Jasna Podreka, Association SOS Help-line for Women and Children – Victims of Violence.

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