

Study Visit to the Council of Europe (CoE) and the European Court of Human Rights (ECtHR)

Strasbourg, 12-14 September 2017

PROGRAMME

Tuesday, 12 September 2017

08.30 – 09.00 *Registration of participants – AGORA building, room G04*

09.00 – 09.30 Welcome and Introduction

- Ms. Zorana Gajic and Dr. Dusko Glodic, ReSPA Secretariat
- Ms. Tatiana Termacic, Head of Human Rights National Implementation Division, Directorate General Human Rights and Rule of Law, Council of Europe

09.30 – 10.30 Status and Effect of the European Convention on Human Rights (ECHR) in the Western Balkan Countries

Presenter: Prof. Dr. Tanasije Marinkovic, ReSPA Expert

Discussion moderator: Prof. Dr. Violeta Besirevic, ReSPA Expert

10.30 – 11.00 *Coffee break*

11.00 – 12.30 Principles of the European Court of Human Rights (ECtHR) and Impact of the ECtHR Case-Law on National Legal Systems

Presenter: Prof. Dr. Dragoljub Popovic, ReSPA Expert

Discussion moderator: Prof. Dr. Migena Leskoviku, ReSPA Expert

12.30 – 14.00 *Lunch Break*

14.00– 15.30 Council of Europe Standards in the field of Administrative Judiciary

Presenter: Dr. Vuk Cucic, ReSPA Expert

Discussion moderator: Dr. Dusko Glodic, ReSPA

15.30 – 16.00 *Coffee break*

16.00 – 17.00 Human Rights Education for Legal Professionals (HELP)

Presenter: Ms. Eva Pastrana, Head of HELP Unit – Human Rights Education for Legal Professionals, Human Rights National Implementation Division, Directorate General Human Rights and Rule of Law, Council of Europe

End of the 1st Day at 17:00



Wednesday, 13 September 2017

Visit to the European Court of Human Rights (ECtHR)

08.45 – 08.55 *Arrival of Participants – Building of the European Court of Human Rights – Allee des Droits de l'Homme – Seminar Room*

08.55 – 09.00 [Welcome by the Visitors' Unit](#) – Ms. Anne Kennewell

09.00 – 10.00 [Administration, Working Methods and Case Management of the ECtHR](#)

Presenters: Mr. Michael Wischuf, Deputy to the Registrar, Head of Administration, and Ms. Paola Tonarelli-Lacore, Head of Case Management and Working Methods

10.00 – 11.00 Meeting with Mr. Nebojsa Vucinic, Judge elected in respect of Montenegro
[Topic: Right to access to information of public interest](#)

11.00 – 11.30 *Coffee break*

11.30 – 12.30 Meeting with Mr. Faris Vehabovic, Judge elected in respect of Bosnia and Herzegovina
[Topic: Right to free elections](#)

12.30 – 14.00 *Lunch Break / Networking*

14.30 – 15.30 Meeting with Ms. Ksenija Turkovic, Judge elected in respect of Croatia
[Topic: Children's rights](#)

15.30 – 16.00 *Coffee break*

16.00 – 17.00 Meeting with Mr. Branko Lubarda, Judge elected in respect of Serbia
[Topic: Pension and disability cases and labour law cases](#)

End of the 2nd Day at 17:00



Thursday, 14 September 2017

Visit to the European Parliament

09.15 – 09.30 *Arrival of participants – European Parliament, entrance of the Louise Weiss building on Allee du Printemps (entering into building at 09.40)*

10.00 – 11.00 Meeting in the European Parliament – presentation by a speaker / MP (*tbc*)

11.00 – 12.00 Parliamentary Chamber – Following the Session from the Public Gallery (topics: Academic further and distance education as part of the European lifelong learning strategy; Debates on cases of breaches of human rights, democracy and the rule of law – Rule 135)

12.00 – 13.20 *Lunch Break*

13.20 – 13.30 *Registration of participants – AGORA building, room G02*

13.30 – 15.00 [The European Commission for the Efficiency of Justice \(CEPEJ\)](#)

Implementation of policies aiming to prevent violations of the Right to a fair trial within a reasonable time (case-flow management, timeframes per types of cases, waiting times within proceedings, dealing with backlogs, etc.)

Presenters: Mr. Yannick Meneceur and Ms. Lidija Naumovska (*tbc*)

Discussion moderator: Ms. Ivana Goranic, RCC Rule of Law Expert

15.00 – 15.30 *Coffee break*

15.30 – 16.45 [Execution of Judgements of the ECtHR](#)

Topic: Meaning of Enforcement and Challenges

Presenter: Ms. Katarina Nedeljkovic, Head of Section, Department for the Execution of Judgments of the European Court of Human Rights, DG I – Human Rights and Rule of Law, Council of Europe

Discussion moderator: Dr. Dusko Glodic, ReSPA

16.45 – 17.00 [Closing Session: Conclusions, Final Remarks and Evaluation](#)

Ms. Zorana Gajic, Ms. Ivana Bajo, and Dr. Dusko Glodic, ReSPA Secretariat

End of the 3rd Day / Seminar at 17:00



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