



Supplementary Human Dimension Meeting

ACCESS TO JUSTICE AS A KEY ELEMENT OF THE RULE OF LAW

16-17 November 2017

Hofburg, Vienna

AGENDA

Day 1 16 November 2017

13:00 – 14:45 Side events

15:00 – 16:00 **OPENING SESSION**

Opening remarks:

Amb. Florian Raunig, Head of Task Force, OSCE Chairmanship 2017

Amb. Lamberto Zannier, OSCE High Commissioner on National Minorities (HCNM)

Ms. Ingibjörg Sólrún Gísladóttir, Director of the OSCE Office for Democratic Institutions and Human Rights (OSCE/ODIHR)

Keynote speech:

Prof. Katharina Pabel, Member of the Human Rights Council Advisory Committee, Dean of the Law Faculty, University of Linz

Technical Information – **Ms. Katarzyna Gardapkhadze**, First Deputy Director of the OSCE/ODIHR

16:00 – 18:00 **SESSION I: Current trends, challenges and opportunities in the area of access to justice**

Introducers:

Dr. Borbala Fellegi, Executive Director of the Foresee Research Group, Hungary

Dr. Martin Schneider, Public Prosecutor, Federal Ministry of Justice of Austria

Dr. Jonas Grimheden, Senior Policy Manager, Freedoms and Justice Department, EU Fundamental Rights Agency (FRA)

Moderator:

Ms. Andrea Huber, Deputy Chief of the Rule of Law Unit, OSCE/ODIHR

18:00 Reception hosted by the Austrian OSCE Chairmanship at Palmenhaus (Burggarten 1, 1010 Vienna)

Day 2 **17 November 2017**

10:00 – 12:00 **SESSION II: Access to justice and conflict prevention**

Introducers:

Dr. Jennifer Jackson-Preece, Deputy Head, European Institute, London School of Economics and Political Science

Mr. Laurentiu Hadirca, Senior Legal Adviser, OSCE High Commissioner on National Minorities

Moderator:

Mr. William Romans, Senior Legal Adviser, OSCE High Commissioner on National Minorities

12:00 – 14:00 Lunch break /side events

14:00 – 16:00 **SESSION III: Gender, diversity and access to justice**

Introducers:

Ms. Tanya Sue Wanageshik, Chief Judge, Grand Traverse Band of Ottawa and Chippewa Indians Tribal Court

Mr. Dezideriu Gergely, former Executive Director of the European Roma Rights Centre

Moderator:

Ms. Tatjana Peric, Adviser on Roma and Sinti Issues / Deputy Chief of the Contact Point for Roma and Sinti Issues, OSCE/ODIHR

16:00 – 17:00 **CLOSING SESSION**

Reports from the working sessions

Comments from the floor

Closing remarks

Ms. Katarzyna Gardapkhadze, First Deputy Director of the OSCE/ODIHR

Amb. Clemens Koja, Chairperson of the OSCE Permanent Council, Permanent Representative of Austria to the OSCE

17:00 Closing of the meeting