

SCHEDULE OF SIDE EVENT

To take place during the OSCE CHAIRMANSHIP CONFERENCE ON INTOLERANCE AND DISCRIMINATION AGAINST MUSLIMS

(Cordoba, 9 and 10 October 2007)

	Tuesday, 9 October
Title:	<i>Religious symbols and freedom of religion or belief</i>
Convenor:	<i>OSCE/ODIHR Advisory Council on Freedom of Religion or Belief</i>
Time:	14:30 - 15:30
Venue:	<i>Ambrosio de Morales Room</i>
Speakers:	<i>Dr. Jeremy Gunn Prof. Malcolm Evans Prof. Javier Martinez Torron Prof. Rafael Palomino Lozano</i>
Languages:	English, Spanish

- The side-event will include a short presentation on:
- (1) revisiting the issues (basic framework, what is a symbol, etc).
 - (2) introducing the essential elements for the Council of Europe approach, as set out in the ECHR case law and report;
 - (3) presenting preliminary thoughts on how to approach and resolve the tensions around the issue of symbols, offering up strategies and seeking suggestions (i.e. priming discussion at the event) on options.

Tuesday, 9 October

Title:

*Effective responses to discriminatory and biased portrayals of Muslim communities in public discourse: A good practice:
"A resource book on Muslim communities in Spain"*

Convenor:

OSCE/ODIHR

Time:

18:45 - 19:45

Venue:

Ambrosio de Morales Room

Speakers:

Moderator:

Ehsan Massood, Author of the British Media Guide on Muslims in Spain

Speakers:

Ambassador Ömür Orhun, OSCE C-i-O Special Representative on Combating Intolerance and Discrimination against Muslims

Gema Martín Muñoz, Director of Casa Arabe

Silvia Taulés, Editor, El Mundo.

Languages:

English, Spanish

Wednesday, 10 October

Title:

*Jewish-Muslim Dialogue in Europe
Jewish Contribution to an Inclusive Europe*

Convenor:

CEJI

Time:

8:45 – 9:00

Venue:

Ambrosio de Morales Room

Speakers:

*Moderator/Speaker:
Ms. Ruth Friedman*

Languages:

English