



HUMAN DIMENSION
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HUMAN DIMENSION SEMINAR
MIGRATION AND INTEGRATION

Warsaw, 11-13 May 2005

To non-governmental organizations

We are pleased to inform you that on 11-13 May, 2005 The OSCE ODIHR organizes Human Dimension Seminar on the subject of "*Migration and Integration*". The Seminar will be held in Warsaw, at "Sofitel Victoria" Hotel, ul. Królewska 11.

The aim of the seminar is to review concepts, challenges and best practices related to integration of legal migrants into receiving society across the OSCE region, including legal and socio-cultural aspects of integration policies, participation of legal migrants in public life of the receiving society, as well as inter- and intra-state co-operation frameworks for protecting legal migrants and supporting their more efficient integration.

The entire information package, including the annotated agenda, timetable and organizational modalities, is posted on ODIHR's website at <http://www.osce.org/odihr>.

We encourage those NGOs whose activities directly relate to the topic of the Seminar and wish to attend, to register for this event on-line at <http://meetings.odihr.pl>.

NGOs may display information materials about their organization on the tables in the lobby of the main meeting room. NGOs may also distribute documents during the Seminar by giving one copy of each document (maximum 3 pages in length) to the staff of the Document Distribution Centre. In addition, a fully equipped NGO room will be available during the whole Seminar.

Unfortunately, the ODIHR is **not in the position to provide any financial assistance for NGOs to participate in this seminar**. For your convenience, the list of hotels in Warsaw and reservation forms are posted on ODIHR's website. You are kindly requested to make your own hotel arrangements.

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