



HUMAN DIMENSION  
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**HUMAN DIMENSION SEMINAR**  
**Upholding the Rule of Law and Due Process in Criminal Justice Systems**  
**Warsaw, 10-12 May 2006**

**AGENDA**

- Day 1*                      *10 May 2006, Wednesday*
- 10.00 - 13.00              **OPENING PLENARY SESSION:**
- Welcome and introduction from the Seminar Chair**
- Amb. Christian Strohal**, Director of the OSCE/ODIHR
- Welcoming Remarks:**
- Amb. Frank Geerkens**, Head of the OSCE Chairmanship Unit, Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Belgium
- Mr. Janusz Stanczyk**, Undersecretary of State, Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Poland
- Keynote Speakers:**
- Judge Fausto Pocar**, President of the International Criminal Tribunal for the former Yugoslavia (ICTY)
- Mr. Leandro Despouy**, UN Special Rapporteur on the Independence of Lawyers and Judges
- 13.00 – 15.00              Lunch
- 15.00 - 18.00              **Working Group I: An independent judiciary and due process in criminal justice systems**
- Moderator:*                **Dr. Vladimir Shkolnikov**, Head of Democratization Department, OSCE/ODIHR
- Introducers:*             **Dr. Tamara Morshchakova**, Professor, Advisor to the Constitutional Court of the Russian Federation
- Dr. Piotr Hofmański**, Judge of the Supreme Court of Poland, Professor
- Rapporteur:*              **Mrs. Maria Kostyanaya**, Third Secretary, Permanent Mission of the Russian Federation to the OSCE

19:00 Reception offered by the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Poland (MFA Palace, Foksal Str. 6)

**Day 2** *11 May 2006, Thursday*

10.00 - 13.00 **Working Group II: Accountable and responsive policing in upholding the rule of law**

*Moderators:* **Mr. Kevin Carty**, OSCE Senior Police Adviser, SPMU  
**Mr. Tim Del Vecchio**, OSCE Police Affairs Officer, SPMU

*Introducers:* **Dr. Fatih Karaosmanoglu**, Deputy Director of the Institute for Security Sciences, Turkish Police Academy

**Mr. Paal Christian Balchen**, Assistant Chief of Police, Section for Analysis and Crime Prevention, National Police Directorate of Norway

*Rapporteur:* **Dr. Robin Brooks** and **Mr. Stephen F. Steger**, Political Officers, United States Mission to the OSCE

13.00 - 15.00 Lunch

15.00 - 18.00 **Working Group III: Role of public prosecutors in upholding the rule of law**

*Moderator:* **Mr. Robert Adams**, Deputy Head of Democratization Department, OSCE/ODIHR

*Introducers:* **Mr. David Evans**, Office of the Director of Public Prosecutions, UK

**Mr. Christopher Lehmann**, Regional Director for Eurasia Programs, Office of Overseas Prosecutorial Development, Assistance and Training, U.S. Department of Justice

*Rapporteur:* **Ms. Frida Jangsten**, Second Secretary, Permanent Delegation of Sweden to the OSCE

**Day 3** *12 May 2006, Friday*

10.00 - 13.00 **Working Group IV: Defence lawyers as a fundamental pillar of an effective criminal justice system**

*Moderator:* **Dr. Vladimir Shkolnikov**, Head of Democratization Department, OSCE/ODIHR

*Introducers:* **Dr. Margarete von Galen**, President of the Berlin Chamber of Lawyers

**Mr. Gennady Sharov**, First Vice-President of the Federal Union of Lawyers, Russian Federation

*Rapporteur:* **Mr. Mustafa Osman Turan**, First Secretary, Permanent Mission of Turkey to the OSCE

13.00 - 15.00

Lunch

15.00 - 18.00

**CLOSING PLENARY SESSION**

Rapporteurs' summaries from the Working Groups

Statements from Delegations

**Closing Remarks:**

**Amb. Christian Strohal**, Director of the OSCE/ODIHR

Closing of the Seminar