



## International Conference on Creating an Academy for Judicial Training

Sava Centre, Belgrade, Serbia 5 December 2008

## Agenda

09.00 – 09.30 Registration of participants

## 09.30 – 10.00 **Opening remarks**

H.E. Snežana Malović, Minister of Justice

Vida Petrović Škero, President of the Supreme Court of Serbia

Slobodan Radovanović, Republic Public Prosecutor, a.i.

Ruth Van Rhijn, Head of the OSCE Mission to Serbia, a.i.

Radmila Dragičević Dičić, President of the Management Board of the Judicial Training Centre

Bruce W. Steen, Counsellor, Head of Technical Cooperation – Western Balkans, Embassy of Canada

- 10.00 10.30 *Coffee break*
- 10.30 11.00 **Presentation of the Draft Law on the Judicial Training Academy of Serbia,** Nenad Vujić, Director of the Judicial Training Centre and president of WG
- 11.00 13.30 Principles and models for the recruitment and professional training of judges and public prosecutors comparative standards and best practices:
- 11.00 11.45 Initial and in-service training for judges and public prosecutors and 'Training for Trainers' programme in France –

Philippe Astruc, Head of the Initial Training Department, French National School for the Judiciary

Francois Pradier, Judge and instructor, French National School for the Judiciary

11.45 – 12.15 Recruitment and examination of candidates for admission to the initial training programme in Portugal/Selection and evaluation of trainers/Internal organization of the Portuguese Judicial Training Centre

Helena Bolieiro, Judge and Trainer in the Judicial Training Centre of Portugal

- 12.15 12.30 *Coffee break*
- 12: 30- 12:45 **The Azerbaijani model of judicial training**H.E. Fikrat Mammadov, Minister of Justice, Republic of Azerbaijan
- 12.45 13:15 The split system of training for judges and public prosecutors in Spain/Creating a budget for judicial training/Institutional relations with the High Council of the Judiciary and other relevant state institutions in Spain

Ignacio Ubaldo González, Senior Judge, Judicial School of the General Council for the Judiciary of Spain

13.15 – 13.45 **A Comparative Assessment of the Draft Serbian JTA Law,** Bill Neilson, Professor Emeritus of Law, Canada

13.45 – 15.00 *Lunch* 

15.00 – 16.00 Comments on the proposed Serbian model for the Judicial Training Academy

Tatjana Temelkoska Milenković, Executive Director, Academy for the Training of Judges and Public Prosecutors, Republic of Macedonia Representative of the Judges` Association of Serbia Jasmina Kiurski, Member of the Management Board of the Prosecutors` Association of Serbia

16.00 – 17.00 Panel discussion: Challenges in establishing institutions responsible for judicial training – a regional prospective

Moderator: Nenad Vujić, Director of the Judicial Training Centre Panelists:

Nella Popović, Deputy Director, Judicial Training Academy of the Republic of Croatia

Šahbaz Džihanović, Director, Judicial and Prosecutorial Training Centre of Bosnia and Herzegovina

Drago Ševo, Director, Judicial and Prosecutorial Training Centre of Republika Srpska

17.00 – 17.30 **Closing remarks**