



Supplementary Human Dimension Meeting
on The Role of Civil Society in the Promotion and Protection of
Tolerance and Non-Discrimination

Vienna, 26-27 June 2023

AGENDA

Day 1

13.00 – 14.00 OPENING SESSION

Opening remarks

H.E. Ambassador Igor Djundev, Chairman of the OSCE Permanent Council and Permanent Representative of the Republic of North Macedonia to the OSCE

Mr. Matteo Mecacci, Director, OSCE/ODIHR

Introductory addresses

Rabbi Andrew Baker, Personal Representative of the OSCE Chairperson-in-Office on Combating Anti-Semitism

Professor Dr. Regina Polak, Personal Representative of the OSCE Chairperson-in-Office on Combating Racism, Xenophobia and Discrimination, also focusing on Intolerance and Discrimination against Christians and Members of Other Religions

Mr. Kyriakos Hadjiyianni, OSCE Parliamentary Assembly Special Representative on Civil Society Engagement

Keynote address

Mr. Michael O’Flaherty, Director, European Union Agency for Fundamental Rights

14.00 – 16.00 SESSION I: Civil Society Educational Efforts in Promoting Tolerance and Non-Discrimination

Introducers

Ms. Emina Frljak, Programme Coordinator, Youth for Peace

Ms. Melissa Mott, Director, Echoes & Reflections

Moderator: Mr. Mikolaj Wrzecionkowski, Adviser on Combating Anti-Semitism, Tolerance and Non-Discrimination Department, OSCE/ODIHR

[16.30 – 17.30 – side events]

Day 2

[9.00 – 10.00 – side events]

10.30 – 12.30 **SESSION II: Towards Tolerance and Non-discrimination and Addressing Hate Crime for Communities at Risk**

Introducers

Dr. Anton Drobovych, Head of the Ukrainian Institute of National Remembrance

Mr. Roland Ferkovic, Co-Manager and Project Officer of the Roma Civil Monitor, Democracy Institute, Central European University

Ms. Agnieszka Kosowicz, President of the Board of the Polish Migration Forum Foundation

Moderator: Mr. Cristi Mihalache, Senior Adviser on Roma and Sinti Issues, Chief of the Contact Point for Roma and Sinti Issues, OSCE/ODIHR

[13.15 – 14.15 – side events]

14.30 – 16.30 **SESSION III: Civil Society Advancing Tolerance and Non-Discrimination through Collaboration, Coalitions and Dialogue**

Introducers

Ms. Marine Kapanadze, Director of the Civil and Political Rights Program, Georgian Democracy Initiative

Dr. Maureen Sier, Director, Interfaith Scotland

Moderator: Dr. Kishan Manocha, Head, Tolerance and Non-Discrimination Department, OSCE/ODIHR

16.30 – 17.30 **CLOSING SESSION**

Reports from the working sessions

Comments from the floor

Closing remarks

Ms. Kateryna Ryabiko, First Deputy Director, OSCE/ODIHR

Mr. Andreja Stojkovski, Special Representative of the Chairman-in-Office on Civil Society

17.30 Closing of the meeting

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