Incorporating Human Trafficking in Academic Institutions:
The European Experience

A Regional Conference

PROGRAM AGENDA

25-26 November, 2011
Kloveniersburgwal 48
Oost-Indisch Huis, University of Amsterdam
Amsterdam, The Netherlands

Friday, 25 November, 2011

09:00-09:30 AM REGISTRATION & BREAKFAST

09:30-10:00AM OPENING REMARKS
DR. MOHAMED MATTAR, Senior Research Professor on International Law and Executive Director, The Protection Project at The Johns Hopkins University, School of Advanced International Studies (SAIS), Washington DC, USA

10:00-10:30AM WELCOMING REMARKS
BARONESS MARY T. GOUDIE, Member of the House of Lords, UK Parliament, United Kingdom

10:30-11:00AM TRAFFICKING IN PERSONS VS. HUMAN TRAFFICKING: DIVERGENCES AND CONVERGENCE IN THE COMMON FIGHT AGAINST MODERN DAY SLAVERY
AMBASSADOR LUIS C. DE BACA, Director, Office to Monitor and Combat Trafficking in Persons, U.S. Department of State, USA

11:00-11:30AM REPORTING ON THE STATUS OF HUMAN TRAFFICKING: INSIGHTS FROM THE DUTCH NATIONAL RAPPORTEUR ON TRAFFICKING IN HUMAN BEINGS
MS. CORINNE DETTMEIJER-VERMEULEN, Dutch National Rapporteur on Trafficking in Human Beings, The Netherlands

11:30-11:45AM COFFEE BREAK

11:45AM-1:00PM PANEL 1
MODERATOR: DR. CONNY RIJ肯肯, Professor of Law, Tilburg Law School, Tilburg University, The Netherlands

Integrating human trafficking in criminal law, human rights and immigration law: teaching human trafficking in the legal curricula
 PROF. RYSZARD PIOTROWICZ, Professor of Law, Aberystwyth University and Member, European Commission’s Group of Experts on Trafficking in Human Beings (2008-2011), United Kingdom

Education on the Palermo Protocol in academic institutions: an incentive approach
 DR. ANTOINETTE VLEGER, Lecturer in Law, Faculty of Law, University of Amsterdam, The Netherlands

Evaluating the impact of a course on human trafficking and contemporary slavery offered at the John Cabot University in Rome
 PROF. SILVIA SCARPA, Adjunct Assistant Professor of Political Science, John Cabot University, Italy

1:00-2:00PM LUNCH

2:00-3:30PM PANEL 2

MODERATOR: MS. VERENA ELDERS, Bureau of the Dutch National Rapporteur on Trafficking in Human Beings, The Netherlands

The Italian academia and public opinion’s consciousness: addressing human trafficking in Italian universities within human rights courses
 PROF. ALESSANDRA VIVIANI, Associate Professor of International Human Rights Law, Faculty of Political Sciences, Vice Rector for International Relations, University of Siena, Italy

Literature Analysis of the forms of human trafficking: the case of forced marriage in A Rom of One’s Own
 PROF. JEREMY C. BRADLEY, PhD in Law candidate, School of Law, University of Leicester, United Kingdom

Utilizing case studies in teaching human trafficking: Chinese female labour migrants in The Netherlands
 PROF. MARIE-LOUISE JANSEN, Faculty of Social Sciences, University of Amsterdam, The Netherlands
3:30-3:45PM  COFFEE BREAK

3:45-5:00PM  PANEL 3

**MODERATOR:** Ms. Valentina Zuiderbaa, Bureau of the Dutch National Rapporteur on Trafficking in Human Beings, The Netherlands

*The United Nations’ Global Database on Human Trafficking: Integrating Research and policy development*
Ms. Mariana Roncisvale, Consultant, Anti-Human Trafficking and Migrant Smuggling Unit, United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime, Austria

*Drafting the Bellagio-Harvard Guidelines in the legal partnership of slavery in the role of academic scholars in shaping the international discourse*
Prof. Jean Allain, Reader and Senior Lecturer in Law, School of Law, Queens’ University-Belfast, Northern Ireland, United Kingdom

*Beyond the lecture and the classroom: bridging the gap between academia and policy makers*
Dr. Jean-Pierre Gauci, Director, People for Change Foundation and Phd candidate, School of Law, King’s College London, United Kingdom

*Knowledge transfer in the area of human trafficking: a call for university partnership*
Ms. Claire Cody, Oak Fellow, Centre for Rural Childhood, Perth College, University of the Highlands and Islands, United Kingdom

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**Saturday, 26 November, 2011**

09:00-09:30 AM  BREAKFAST

10:00-11:30AM  PANEL 1

**MODERATOR:** Prof. Stephanie Foster, Professorial Lecturer, American University Women & Politics Institute, Washington, DC, USA

*Acquiring Knowledge of human trafficking in classrooms: some reflections drawing from the Dutch Context*
PROF. ROY HUISMANS, Lecturer in Children and Youth Studies, International Institute of Social Studies, Erasmus University Rotterdam, The Netherlands

Six pillars in conducting research on human trafficking for forced labour: the Polish experience
PROF. ZBIGNIEW LASOCIK, Director, Human Trafficking Studies Center, Warsaw University, Poland

What colour is grey? Researching trafficking for the purpose of prostitution in Ireland against the Discursive Grain
PROF. EILIS WARD, Lecturer, School of Political Sciences and Sociology, NUI Galway, Ireland and PROF. GILLIAN WYLIE, Assistant Professor in International Peace Studies, Irish School of Ecumenics, Trinity College Dublin, Ireland

11:30-11:45AM COFFEE BREAK

11:45AM-1:00PM PANEL 2

MODERATOR: DR. ANTOINETTE VLIEGER, Lecturer in Law, Faculty of Law, University of Amsterdam, The Netherlands

The global movement in clinical legal education: Global Alliance for Justice Education (GAJE) and the immigration-trafficking debate in Europe
PROF. JOSÉ GARCÍA AÑÓN, Professor of law, Human Rights Institute, The University of Valencia, Spain

Clinical legal education in legal studies: implications for victims of trafficking in Spain
PROF. VANESSA CASADO CABALLERO, Professor of International Law, University Pablo de Olavide-Seville, Spain

1:00-2:00PM LUNCH

2:00-3:30PM PANEL 3

MODERATOR: DR. MOHAMED MATTAR, Senior Research Professor on International Law and Executive Director, The Protection Project, The Johns Hopkins University (SAIS), USA

The Role of Islam in combating human trafficking
PROF MAURITS BERGER, Professor of Islam in the contemporary West, Institute for Religious Studies, Faculty of Humanities, Leiden University, The Netherlands

The role of Christianity in combating human trafficking
MRS IVONNE VAN DE KAR, The Foundation of Religious People Against Trafficking of Women, The Netherlands

3:30-3:45PM COFFEE BREAK

3:45-5:00PM PANEL 4

MODERATOR: MS. ELAINE PANTER, Director of Programs and Planning, The Protection Project, at The Johns Hopkins University, School of Advanced International Studies (SAIS) Washington, DC, USA

Rethinking the human rights offense in criminal law: a Phd dissertation
Ms. ALMUT GADOW, Phd Candidate, School of Law, University of Nottingham, United Kingdom

Legal Research on Trafficking in Persons: A Maltese student’s perspective
MS. ROBERTA AVELLINO, Doctorate of Laws and Master of Laws, Faculty of Law, University of Malta, Malta

Teaching Trafficking in Europe: A Practitioner’s Perspective
MS. KIRSTEN SJØVOLL, Matrix Chambers, United Kingdom

5:00-5:30PM CONCLUDING REMARKS BY DR. MOHAMED MATTAR