

Civil Society Dialogue Network

Training Seminar

Gender, Peace and Security Advocacy towards the EU

10 & 11 March 2016 (9.00 – 17.30)
Best Western Park Hotel, Avenue de l'Yser, 21
Brussels

PROGRAMME

Thursday 10 March 2016 (Day 1)

8h30	Registration
09.00	<p>Welcome and objectives of the training seminar</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ben Moore, Acting Director, European Peacebuilding Liaison Office • Irina Bratosin D'Almeida, Senior Associate, European Peacebuilding Liaison Office • Gesa Bent, Independent consultant, gender and peacebuilding
10.15	<p>Basic facts about the functioning of the EU institutions</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Anna Penfrat, Project Officer, European Peacebuilding Liaison Office <p>Quiz on basic facts about gender, peace and security issues in international debates</p>
11.30	<p>Gender, Peace and Security in the EU (part I)</p> <p>Basic facts about the policy frameworks, the structures and the actors relevant for gender mainstreaming and the implementation of United Nations Security Council Resolution 1325 in the European Union</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Giulia Pasquinelli, independent consultant, former Senior Project Officer, European Peacebuilding Liaison Office <p><i>*There will be several short coffee breaks in the morning</i></p>
13.00	Lunch
14.15	<p>Gender, Peace and Security in the EU (part II)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ben Moore, Acting Director, European Peacebuilding Liaison Office • Graziella Piga, independent international women's rights and gender specialist
15.20	<p>Influencing the EU institutions: Case studies of past advocacy strategies</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Stina Magnuson Buur, Advocacy Coordinator, Kvinna till Kvinna • Giulia Pasquinelli, independent consultant, former Senior Project Officer, European Peacebuilding Liaison Office <p><i>*There will be several short coffee breaks in the afternoon</i></p>
17.00	Wrap –up of the first day
18.30 - ...	Group dinner (optional)

Friday 11 March 2016 (Day 2)

8h45	Registration
09.00	Welcome and reflection on the first day
09.30	Coffee Break
09.40	Discussion with EU officials <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Cdr. (SPN) Alfredo Pardo Martínez, European External Action Service, European Union Military Staff (EUMS), Concepts and Capabilities Directorate, Exercise/Training/Analysis, Gender/HR in Operations - Mindy Bojkova, European Commission, Service for Foreign Policy Instruments (FPI2), Instrument contributing to Stability & Peace (IcSP) and Foreign Policy Regulatory Instruments
11.00	Coffee Break
11.20	Discussion with Staffan Jonsäter , First Secretary, Permanent Representation of Sweden to the European Union
12.00	Working group exercise: Devising an advocacy strategy (part I)
13.00	Lunch
14.00	Working group exercise: Devising an advocacy strategy (part II)
15.00	Presentation of working group advocacy strategies and discussion in plenary
16.00	Coffee Break
16.30	Closing session

The Civil Society Dialogue Network

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