









# RE-SOCIALISATION OF OFFENDERS IN THE EU: ENHANCING THE ROLE OF THE CIVIL SOCIETY

## International Conference

19 January 2015

Radisson Blu Grand Hotel
Narodno Sabranie Square, 1000 Sofia, Bulgaria
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# **A**GENDA

09:30	Registration of participants
10:00	Opening and welcoming remarks
	Dr Maria Yordanova, Director of Law Program, Center for the Study of Democracy, Bulgaria
	Mr Andrey Yankulov, Deputy Minister of Justice of the Republic of Bulgaria
	Mr Konstantin Penchev, Ombudsman of the Republic of Bulgaria
10:15	Prison Conditions Monitoring Index (PCMI): Methodology and Results
	Mr Dimitar Markov, Senior Analyst, Law Program, Center for the Study of Democracy, Bulgaria
10:30	The Ombudsman as National Preventive Mechanism
	Mr Lyubomir Krilchev, National Preventive Mechanism and Fundamental Human Rights and Freedoms Directorate, Ombudsman of the Republic of Bulgaria
10:45	Discussion
	Moderator: Dr Maria Yordanova, Director of Law Program, Center for the Study of Democracy, Bulgaria
11:15	Coffee break
11:45	European Prison Observatory: Detention Conditions in the EU
	Mr Alessio Scandurra, Antigone Association, Italy
12:00	The Role of the Ombudsman for the Protection of Prisoners' Rights
	Dr Martynas Vasiliauskas, Principal Legal Adviser, Seimas Ombudsmen's Office of the Republic of Lithuania













#### 12:15 Discussion

Moderator: Dr Maria Yordanova, Director of Law Program, Center for the Study of Democracy, Bulgaria

#### 13:00 Lunch

# 14:00 Reducing Drug and HIV Problem in Prison

Ms Anna Lyubenova, Secretary and Member of the Managing Board, Initiative for Health Foundation, Bulgaria

## 14:20 Ambulant sanctions as an alternative to imprisonment in the EU?

Prof Dr Christine M. Graebsch, University of Applied Sciences and Arts, Dortmund, Germany

Dr Sven-U. Burkhardt, University of Applied Sciences and Arts, Dortmund, Germany

# 14:40 The experience of ICF in implementing EU-wide and national research

projects in the field of criminal justice, prisons and detention

Ms Veronika Minkova, Junior Consultant, ICF International

## 15:00 Discussion

Moderator: Ms Miryana Ilcheva, Research Fellow, Law Program, Center for the Study of Democracy, Bulgaria

# 17:00 Closing

