

Draft Sakharov Fellowship Programme, Brussels 4-8 June 2018



Sunday, 3 June: Individual arrivals of the Fellows

Monday, 4 June	Tuesday, 5 June	Wednesday, 6 June	Thursday, 7 June	Friday, 8 June
<p>9.00 Pick up at the hotel, walk to the EP</p> <p>9.30 Welcome</p> <p>9.45 Introduction and presentations</p> <p>11.30 EU human rights policies and instruments</p> <p>12.15 Human Rights in the work of the President of the European Parliament</p>	<p>9.30 Sakharov 30th anniversary workshop</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Sakharov Prize Network deliveries: the Sakharov Prize fellowship for human rights defenders and the EP Sakharov traineeship - debate among laureates, fellows and trainees Sakharov Prize laureates as motors for change 30 years of Sakharov Prize - laureates' views on priorities for human rights action 	<p>9.15 Wrap-up day 2</p> <p>9.30 Individual meetings with MEPs or EU staff</p> <p>or visit of the Parliamentarium</p> <p>11.00 Meeting with the EU Council working group on human rights</p> <p>12.00 <i>How EU Delegations engage with HR defenders</i></p>	<p>9.15 Wrap-up day 3</p> <p>9.30 Individual meetings with MEPs or EU staff</p> <p>or visit of the House of European History</p>	<p>9.15 Wrap-up day 4</p> <p>9.30 Workshop <i>Communication for Human Rights Defenders including social media - How to frame messages for different audiences? How to build coalitions and work effectively with the media?</i></p>
<p>13.00 Lunch with Sakharov Prize laureates</p>	<p>13.00 Lunch with Sakharov Prize laureates</p>	<p>13.00 Lunch break</p>	<p>13.00 Lunch break</p>	<p>13.00 Lunch break</p>
<p>15.00 Sakharov 30th anniversary conference</p> <p>19.00 Exhibition <i>They Defend our Freedoms - 30 years of Sakharov Prize</i></p> <p>20.00 Reception & networking dinner</p>	<p>15.00 <i>The role of the European Parliament in Human Rights</i></p> <p>16.00 <i>The EP human rights urgency resolutions in practice</i></p> <p>17.30 <i>EP human rights communication on social media</i></p>	<p>15.00 <i>The EU Special Representative for Human Rights: role and priorities</i></p> <p>16.00 <i>Lobbying EU institutions on Human Rights: an NGO perspective</i></p>	<p>14.30 Workshop <i>Security for Human Rights Defenders - digital security, physical safety and psychosocial well-being</i></p>	<p>14.00 <i>Local human rights activities, Brussels</i></p> <p>17.30 Debriefing and perspectives for follow-up action</p> <p>Transfer to the airport</p> <p>21.05 – 22.40 Flight to Venice</p>

In the Venice Summer School, Fellows will be enrolled in the cluster on Human Rights Defenders, but can also follow lectures from the other two clusters.

VENICE SCHOOL of HUMAN RIGHTS and DEMOCRATISATION
9 – 16 June 2018**HUMAN RIGHTS AS OUR RESPONSIBILITY****Opening lectures****SATURDAY, 9 JUNE - Aula Magna**

10.00 – 11.00	REGISTRATION – Coffee and snacks available
11.15	Group photo
11.30 – 12.00	Welcoming by Dzidek KEDZIA, EIUC President
12.00 – 13.00	Lecture: Dalia LEINARTE, Chairperson UN CEDAW Committee
13.00 – 14.00	Lunch
14.00 – 15.30	Key note speech of a Sakharov Prize Laureate
15.30 - 16.00	Q&As
16.00 – 16.30	Coffee Break
16.30 – 17.00	Presentation by Stefan KRAUSS, Directorate-General for External Policies of the Union, Directorate for Democracy Support, Human Rights Action Unit
17.00 – 17.30	Presentations by Sakharov Fellows
17.30	Welcome Aperitif

From MONDAY 11 JUNE to FRIDAY 15 JUNE 2018 – CLUSTERS' WEEK

Closing lectures**SATURDAY, 16 JUNE – Aula Magna**

9.30 – 10.30	Lecture: Manfred NOWAK, EIUC Secretary General
10.30 – 11.00	Q&As
11:00 – 11:30	Coffee break
11.30 – 12.30	Lecture: Mara MARINAKI, EU/EEAS Principal Advisor on Gender Issues
12.30 – 13.00	Closing considerations by Academic Responsibles Distribution of certificates
13.00 – 14.00	Lunch



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9.30 11.00	<p>Javier ROURA & Andrea ROCCA</p> <p>Protecting those who protect human rights</p> <p>UN Declaration on human rights defenders, regional declarations and mechanisms Part 1</p>	<p>Raja ALTHAIBANI</p> <p>Documenting and raising awareness of human rights abuses</p> <p>Part 1</p>	<p>Laura PASQUERO</p> <p>Combatting sexual and gender-based violence</p>	<p>Marie Høgh THØGERSEN</p> <p>Combatting torture and ill treatment;</p>	<p>Manfred NOWAK</p> <p>Engaging with UN mechanisms Part 1</p>
11.00 11.30	Break	Break	Break	Break	Break
11.30 13.00	<p>Javier ROURA & Andrea ROCCA</p> <p>Protecting those who protect human rights</p> <p>UN Declaration on human rights defenders, regional declarations and mechanisms Part 2</p>	<p>Raja ALTHAIBANI</p> <p>Documenting and raising awareness of human rights abuses</p> <p>Part 1</p>	<p>Laura PASQUERO</p> <p>Combatting sexual and gender-based violence</p>	<p>Marie Høgh THØGERSEN</p> <p>Ethics and psychology of working with endangered and traumatized people</p>	<p>Manfred NOWAK</p> <p>Engaging with UN mechanisms Part 2</p>
13.00 14.00	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch
14.00 17.00	<p>Interactive session</p> <p>Review of cases based on participant experience</p> <p>Identifying Root Causes. Discussing Strategies</p>	<p>George ULRICH</p> <p>Guiding principles and ethics for human rights professionals</p>	FREE	<p>Interactive session</p> <p>Review of cases based on participant experience</p>	Concluding discussion

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9.30 11.00	Giulia DI TOMMASO Chair of the program Opening Session Setting the scene	OECD representative The role of OECD in addressing Business and Human Rights Part 1	(TBC) 1 Pillar: State duty to protect human rights and international law	Eugenio SARTORETTO FAO Land rights and tenure: perspective from the implementation of the FAO Voluntary Guidelines (VGGT)	Heidi HAUTALA European Parliament The role of the EU: How the European Parliament addresses the human rights cases
11.00 11.30	Break	Break	10.30 – 11.00 Break	Break	Break
11.30 13.00	Giulia DI TOMMASO Over view of the 2 pillar of the UNGPs: What companies are doing: overview of the companies practices Part 1	OECD representative The role of OECD in addressing Business and Human Rights Part 2	11.00 – 12.00 (TBC) 3 Pillar: access to remedy	Eugenio SARTORETTO Land rights and tenure: perspective from the implementation of the FAO Voluntary Guidelines (VGGT)	Heidi HAUTALA European Parliament The role of the EU: How the European Parliament addresses the human rights cases with specific emphasis on the human rights defenders
13.00 14.30	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch
14.30 16.30	Giulia DI TOMMASO What companies are doing: overview of the companies practices Part 2	OECD representatives Discussion on case studies	FREE	Eugenio SARTORETTO Discussion on specific case studies	Representative from the private sector <i>Case study</i>

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9.30 11.00	<p>Kalliope AGAPIOU-JOSEPHIDES</p> <p>Introduction to the Cluster The Women, Peace and Security Agenda Interactive Session</p>	<p>Case study Conflict-related Sexual Violence</p>	<p>Women Peace and Security Agenda Ending impunity? Enhancing Accountability? Case Law, Toolbox and Outcomes</p>	<p>Case study Capacity-building Initiatives: Women Mediators Networks and ways ahead</p>	<p>Round table discussion What have we learned so far?</p>
11.00 11.30	Break	Break	10.30 - 11.00 Break	Break	Break
11.30 13.00	<p>Dalia LEINARTE</p> <p>The Women, Peace and Security Agenda in a Growing Extremist and Militarised World Interactive Session</p>	<p>Case study Conflict-related Sexual Violence</p>	<p>Women Peace and Security Agenda Ending impunity? Enhancing Accountability? Case Law, Toolbox and Outcomes</p>	<p>Case study Capacity-building Initiatives: Women Mediators Networks and ways ahead</p>	<p>Round table discussion What have we learned so far?</p>
13.00 14.00	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch
14.00 15.30	<p>Dalia LEINARTE</p> <p>CEDAW's Transformative Potential Achievements & Challenges Optional Protocol and Cases</p>	<p>Film Screening Discussion</p>	FREE	Interactive Exercise	Students' event
15.30 17.00	<p>Dalia LEINARTE</p> <p>CEDAW and the Women, Peace and Security Agenda General Recommendation 30</p>				