Advanced ELENA Course Refugee law in practice: from recognition to denial of protection

7 and 8 December 2018, Lisbon, Portugal

# EUROPEAN LEGAL NETWORK ON ASYLUM



# Friday // 7 December 2018

09.15 – 10.00	Registration and welcome coffee	
10.00 – 10.15	Introduction Catherine Woollard, Secretary General, ECRE	
10.15 – 11.30	<b>Evidentiary assessment and credibility in asylum procedures</b> <i>Mark O'Connor</i> , <i>Principal Resident Judge, UK Upper Tribunal, Immigration and</i> <i>Asylum Chamber</i>	
11.30 – 12.00	Coffee break	
12.00 – 13.00	In flight from conflict and generalised violence Christel Querton, Barrister at Lamb Building and PhD candidate in Law at Newcastle University	
13.00 – 14.00	Lunch	
14.00 – 15.30	Exclusion from protection – Article 1F of the Geneva Convention Geoff Gilbert, Professor of Law at the University of Essex	
15.30 – 16.00	Coffee break	The venue
16.00 – 17.00	Cancellation, cessation and revocation of international protection Geoff Gilbert, Professor of Law at the University of Essex Mark O'Connor, Principal Resident Judge, UK Upper Tribunal, Immigration and Asylum Chamber	<b>Sana Malhoa</b> <b>Hotel</b> Av José Malhoa 8, 1099-089 Lisbon
17.00 – 17.45	The reform of the CEAS: legislative prospects and beyond Kris Pollet, Head of Legal and Policy Research, ECRE	
17:45 - 18.00	Closing remarks Catherine Woollard, Secretary General, ECRE	
19:30	Social dinner Cervejaria Trindade Chiado	

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## Saturday // 8 December 2018

09.00 – 10.15 Recent European case law on asylum matters: Dialogue between the ECtHR and the CJEU *Paulo Pinto De Albuquerque, Judge of the ECtHR: "*The Rights of Migrants and Refugees under the ECHR: Where are we now?"

Eleanor Sharpston, Advocate-General at the CJEU

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### 10.45 – 12.45 Workshops

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- 16.15 17.15 Family reunification David Loveday, Independent Legal Practitioner
- 17.15 17.30 Closing remarks ECRE Secretariat