

ADVANCED ELENA COURSE 2021

Strengthening International Protection in Europe and Thinking Ahead

AGENDA

Friday// 1 October 2021

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| 09.15 - 09.50 | Registration and welcome coffee |
| 09.50 - 10.00 | Introduction |
| 10.00 - 11.30 | ECtHR recent caselaw and new practices: Interim Measures and entry into force of Protocol No. 15 <i>Mehveş Bingöllü Kilci, Registry of the European Court of Human Rights and Head of the Rule 39 Unit</i> |
| 11.30 – 12.00 | Coffee break |
| 12.00 – 13.00 | Uses of Blockchain Technology in support of Migrant and Refugee health <i>Paulo Rupino da Cunha, Associate Professor of Information Systems, University of Coimbra</i> |
| 13.00 – 14.15 | Lunch break |
| 14.15 – 15.30 | Cessation of international protection <i>Nikolas Tan, Senior Researcher, The Danish Institute for Human Rights</i> |
| 15.30 – 16.00 | Coffee break |
| 16.00 – 17.30 | Workshops |

The venue

Hotel Mercure Marseille
Centre Vieux-Port,
Marseille, France

Group 1: Alternatives to detention in practice: effectiveness, gaps and concerns

Speaker TBD

Group 2: Challenging age assessment from a medical perspective

Tim J. Cole, Professor of Medical Statistics, University College London

Group 3: Access to classified information and national security cases

Gruša Matevžič, Senior legal officer at the Hungarian Helsinki Committee

20.00 Social dinner at Restaurant “La Nautique”

Saturday// 2 October 2021

9.45 – 11.00 **Update on recent jurisprudence of the Court of Justice of the European Union in asylum cases**

Speaker TBD

11.00 – 11.30 **Coffee break**

11.30 – 13.00 **Workshops**

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13.00 - 14.15 Lunch break

14.15 – 15.45 **The European Ombudsman complaint mechanism: how to submit a case and rules of procedure**

Marta Hirsch-Ziembínska, Senior Adviser, Secretariat-General of the European Ombudsman

15.45 -16.00 Closing remarks and certificates