

ECRE Annual General Conference 2022

Asylum in Europe: Strategies for Resistance and Resilience

Hotel Renaissance, Rue Parnasse 19, 1050 Brussels, Belgium 27/28 June, 2022

Monday, 27 June 2022 - Asylum in Europe: Strategies for Resistance and Resilience

12h00 to 14h00 **Registration and lunch available**

13h00 to 15h00 **Regional Meetings (for ECRE regional groups)**

ECRE members only

- Central Europe (Austria, Belarus, Czech Republic, Germany, Hungary, Poland, Slovakia, Slovenia, Switzerland, Ukraine)
Brussels plenary room
 - Mediterranean (Cyprus, France, Greece, Italy, Malta, Portugal, Spain, Turkey)
Madrid room
 - NOCRE (Denmark, Estonia, Finland, Iceland, Latvia, Lithuania, Norway, Sweden)
Copenhagen room
 - Western Europe (Belgium, Ireland, Luxembourg, Netherlands, UK, and international Brussels members)
Luxembourg/The Hague
 - Southeast Europe (Bosnia and Herzegovina, Bulgaria, Croatia, Northern Macedonia, Kosovo, Romania, Serbia) Lisbon room.
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15h30 to 16h00 Coffee break

Conference
social area

16h00 to 18h00 ECRE General Assembly

Plenary room

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19h00 to 21h00 Reception hosted by ECRE (drinks and snacks)

Café Tandem and terrace, Mundo Madou, Rue de la Charité 22, 1210
Brussels

9h00 to 9h30	Registration	Entrance
9h30 to 10h45	Opening debate: The Future of Asylum in Europe Panellists will offer their assessment, predictions and recommendations, covering the following questions: <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Has the EU's response to the Ukraine crisis changed asylum policy?2. What is the likely fate of the Pact and proposed asylum reforms?3. How can access to asylum in Europe be improved? Moderator: Sadhia Rafi, Dutch Council for Refugees and ECRE Board Speakers: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Juan Fernando López Aguilar, MEP, Chair of the LIBE Committee• Henrik Nielsen, Director International and Horizontal Affairs, DG Home, European Commission• Dr Masooma Torfa, Director Female Fellows• Catherine Woollard, Director, ECRE	Brussels Plenary room
10h45 to 11h00	Coffee break	Social area
11h00 to 13h00	Conference workshops <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Supporting Asylum in Europe: The Role of the EU Agencies (Brussels plenary room)2. Inclusion of Refugee-led Community Organisations (RCOs) in EU-level Advocacy: From Challenges to Good Practices (Madrid room)3. Implementation of the TPD: legal workshop (Copenhagen room)4. Treatment of Afghan asylum-seekers in Europe (Lisbon Room)	
13h00 to 14h00	Lunch	Social area
14h00 to 15h30	Conference workshops continued <ol style="list-style-type: none">5. Stigma and labelling, vulnerability, and the integration process of victims of trafficking (Madrid room)6. Unaccompanied Children in Transit: challenges and supporting their rights (Lisbon room)7. Reception of asylum seekers: from the borders to the heart of European societies (Copenhagen room)8. EU External Borders: Access Denied (Brussels plenary room)	
15h30 to 16h00	Coffee and networking	Plenary room
16h00 to 16h30	The optional closing session will wrap up the event	
