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Conference on the Right to a Safe Educational Environment

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PROGRAMME

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Thursday 8 November 2012

13:00 Registration

14:00 - 16:00 OPENING SESSION 'THE PIVOTAL ROLE OF DIGNITY IN EDUCATION'
Chair and introduction by [Gracienne Lauwers](#) (University of Antwerp/ Free University of Brussels)
Honorary guest presenters:
[Gerard Niyungeko](#) (President of the African Court for Human and Peoples' Rights)
[Margarette May Macaulay](#) (Justice in the Inter-American Court of Human Rights)
[Hanafi A. Gebali](#) (Justice, Secretary-General of the Union of Arab Constitutional Courts and Councils/Vice President of the Supreme Constitutional Court of Egypt)
Q&A

16:30 - 17:00 Coffee break

**17:00 - 18:30 PLENARY SESSION ON 'DIGNITY IN EDUCATION
(CASE STUDIES ON CORRUPTION V. GOOD GOVERNANCE)'**
Chair: [Luisa Ribolzi](#) (University of Genova - Italy)
Presenters:
[Genc Alimehmeti](#) (Tirana University/ Bologna University - Albania)
[Luis Delgado](#) (Ministry of Education - Spain)
[Jiri Nantl](#) (Ministry of Education, Youth and Sports - Czech Republic)



Q&A

Presenters:

Alina Mungiu Pippidi (Hertie School of Governance GmbH - Germany)

Ligia Deca (University of Luxembourg - Luxembourg, Romania)

Q&A

19:30 Reception

20:10 - 22:30 Walking dinner

Friday 9 November 2012

09:00 - 09:30 Welcome coffee

09:30 - 11:00 PLENARY SESSION ON RIGHTS BASED SCHOOLS

Chair: **Hans-Peter Füssel** (DIPF and Humboldt-University Berlin - Germany)

Presenters:

Andrea Chiarello (University of Padua - Italy)

Marjolein Delvou (Evens Foundation)

Maria Lucia Uribe Torres (INEE - Switzerland)

Eli Pijaca Plavšić (Forum for Freedom in Education - Croatia)

11:00 - 11:30 Coffee break

11:30 - 13:00 Presenters:

Majid Al-Haj (Haifa University - Israel)

Dympna Glendenning (Barrister - Ireland)

Rapporteur: **Maria Smirnova**

Q&A

13:00 - 14:00 Lunch buffet

14:00 - 17:00 PLENARY SESSION ON 'CREATING A SAFE EDUCATIONAL ENVIRONMENT'

Chair: **Paul De Hert** (Free University of Brussels - Belgium)

Presenters:

Mariette Reyneke (University of Tilburg - Netherlands)

Paul Meredith (University of Southampton - UK)

Pieter Huisman (Erasmus University/ Haagse Hogeschool - Netherlands)

Nils Duquet (Flemish Peace Institute - Belgium)

Oliver Mahon (Lawyer - Ireland)

Ruhi Paul (National Law University - India)

Francis Moneke (Human Rights & Empowerment Project)



Anneliese Menninger (German Psychoanalytical Association - Germany)
Rapporteur: **Susanne Bartels** (deBuren - Flanders/Netherlands)
Q&A

15:30 - 15:45 Coffee Break

20:00 Walking dinner

Saturday 10 November 2012

09:00 - 09:30 Coffee

09:30 - 10:15 PLENARY SESSION ON 'PROTECTING THE DIGNITY OF CHILDREN AGAINST VIOLENCE IN EDUCATIONAL ENVIRONMENTS'

Chair: **Roberto Toniatti** (Trento University - Italy)

Presenters:

Nina Ranieri (University of Lisboa - Portugal)

Solomon Sacco (Interights - UK)

Rapporteur: **Jacob De Boer** (Tilburg University - Netherlands)

Q&A

10:15 - 10:30 Coffee break

10:45 - 13:00 Plenary Session on 'Tolerance Education'

Chair: **Hassan Bousetta** (University of Liège)

Presenters:

Kurt Graulich (Federal Administration Court - Germany)

Tomas Baum (Flemish Peace Institute - Belgium)

Thomas Misco (Miami University - USA)

Eva Sobotka (European Union Agency for Fundamental Rights)

Rapporteur: Florian Lehne (Salzburg University - Austria)

Q&A

13:00 - 14.30 Farewell reception and walking dinner

