Calendar of Events of the Cyprus Chairmanship

1. Handover of the Chairmanship from Estonia to Cyprus
   Venue: Strasbourg, 22 November 2016
   Responsible Cypriot Authority: Secretariat of the Cyprus Chairmanship of the CM, Perm. Rep.

2. Meeting of the Bureau, the Presidential and the Standing Committee of the PACE
   Venue: Nicosia, Filoxenia Conference Centre, 24-25 November 2016
   Responsible Cypriot Authority: House of Representatives of the Republic of Cyprus

3. CDDH seminar with regard to the jurisprudence of the ECHR on bioethics related issues
   Venue: Strasbourg, 5 December 2016,
   Responsible Cypriot Authority: Ministry of Health

4. South Programme II, Steering Committee Session in Cyprus
   Venue: Nicosia, Filoxenia Conference Centre, 12-13 December 2016
   Responsible Cypriot Authority: Secretariat of the Cyprus Chairmanship of the CM

5. High Level Segment in the framework of the Preparation of a New Convention on Offences relating to Cultural Property
   Venue: Strasbourg, 13 January 2017
   Responsible Cypriot Authority: Legal Service of the Republic of Cyprus

6. Workshop on Independent Authorities and their responsibilities
   Venue: European University Cyprus, 18 January 2017
   Responsible Cypriot Authorities: Office of the Commissioner for Personal Data Protection, Office of the Commissioner for Admin. and Human Rights (Omb.), Law Commissioner, Commissioner for Children’s Rights and Financial Commissioner

7. Series of Events related to the European Day for Personal Data Protection (28 Jan.)
   Venue: -, 24 January - 4 February 2017
   Responsible Cypriot Authority: Office of the Commissioner for Personal Data Protection
8. Seminar related to youth mobility through the youth card  
Venue: Limassol, 30-31 January 2017  
Responsible Cypriot Authority: Ministry of Education and Culture

9. Thematic Roundtable of the European Governmental LGBTI Focal Points Network  
Venue: Nicosia, Filoxenia Conference Centre, 1 February 2017  
Responsible Cyp. Authority: Office of the Commissioner for Admin. and Human Rights (Omb.)

10. European Conference “Inter-municipal cooperation and good governance: Cyprus and European experience”  
Venue: Nicosia, Filoxenia Conference Centre, 8 February 2017  
Responsible Cypriot Authority: Union of Cyprus Municipalities, the Union of Cyprus Communities and the Ministry of Interior

11. Meeting of the Bureau and the Standing Committee of the Congress of Local and Regional Authorities  
Venue: Nicosia, Filoxenia Conference Centre, 9-10 February 2017  
Authority: Cypriot delegation to the Congress

12. Meeting of the Committee of Experts of the Council of Europe on “Minimum Standards for the detention of irregular migrants facing deportation”  
Venue: Nicosia, Filoxenia Conference Centre, 15-17 February 2017  
Responsible Cypriot Authority: Office of the Commissioner for Administration and Human Rights (Ombudsman)

Venue: Nicosia, Filoxenia Conference Centre, 24 February 2017  
Responsible Cypriot Authority: Supreme Court

Venue: Home for Cooperation, Nicosia, 10-11 March 2017  
Responsible Cypriot Authority: Ministry of Education and Culture

Venue: University of Nicosia, Nicosia, 17-18 March 2017  
Responsible Cypriot Authority: Department of Law, University of Nicosia
16. Ad hoc Ministerial Conference (Ministers of Education)
Venue: Nicosia, Filoxenia Conference Centre, 22-23 March 2017
Responsible Cypriot Authority: Ministry of Education and Culture

17. Session of the Congress of Local and Regional Authorities
Venue: Strasbourg, 22-24 March 2017
Responsible Cypriot Authority: Union of Cyprus Municipalities, Union of Cyprus Communities

18. High level launching event on New Strategy related to persons with disabilities
Venue: Nicosia, Filoxenia Conference Centre, 27-28 March 2017
Responsible Cypriot Authority: Ministry of Labour, Welfare and Social Insurance

Responsible Cypriot Authority: Limassol Municipality

20. Third Symposium for Official Medicines Control Laboratories on “Combatting Counterfeit and Other Illegal Medicines”
Venue: Nicosia, Filoxenia Conference Centre, 28-29 March 2017
Responsible Cypriot Authority: Ministry of Health

21. Fifteenth Meeting of Official Cosmetics Control Laboratories (OCCL) Network
Venue: Nicosia, Filoxenia Conference Centre, 30-31 March 2017
Responsible Cypriot Authority: Ministry of Health

22. Eighteenth Assembly of the Authors of the Compendium Database on Cultural Policy and Trends in Europe
Venue: Nicosia, Filoxenia Conference Centre, 30-31 March 2017
Responsible Cypriot Authority: Ministry of Education and Culture

23. Fifth Intercultural Workshop on Democracy Organised by the Venice Commission
Venue: Nicosia, Filoxenia Conference Centre, 3-4 April 2017
Responsible Cypriot Authority: Secretariat of the Cyprus Chairmanship of the CM

24. Spring Conference of European Data Protection Authorities 2017
Venue: Limassol, 27-28 April 2017
Responsible Cypriot Authority: Office of the Commissioner for Personal Data Protection
25. International Conference “The freedom of expression and the judgments of the ECHR, in particular taking into account new trends like internet”
Venue: Nicosia, Filoxenia Conference Centre, 28 April 2017
Responsible Cypriot Authority: Supreme Court

26. Youth Peace Camp “The role of young people and youth policy in peace-building and intercultural dialogue”
Venue: Strasbourg, 28 April-6 May 2017
Responsible Cypriot Authority: Ministry of Education and Culture

27. Meeting of the EPAS Governing Board
Venue: Limassol, 9-10 May 2017
Responsible Cypriot Authority: Ministry of Education and Culture

28. Anniversary Conference on the achievements of EPAS in promoting democracy, tolerance and inclusion through sport – reflection on 10 years of activities
Venue: Limassol, 11 May 2017
Responsible Cypriot Authority: Ministry of Education and Culture

29. High Level Conference (launching event) for the promotion of the “European Cultural Heritage Strategy for the 21st century”
Venue: Nicosia, Filoxenia Conference Centre
Responsible Cypriot Authority: Ministry of Interior

30. Seminar organised by the Cyprus Chairmanship of the Committee of Ministers and UNIDROIT on “Promoting and strengthening the international legal framework for the protection of cultural heritage”
Venue: New York, 2017

31. 127th Session of the Committee of Ministers: handover of the chairmanship
Venue: Nicosia, Filoxenia Conference Centre, 19 May 2017
Responsible Cypriot Authority: Secretariat of the Cyprus Chairmanship of the CM