



30th International Day for the Eradication of Poverty

Acting together to eradicate extreme poverty in Europe

Five years after the joint declaration made by the four pillars
of the Council of Europe: Results and Prospects

Draft programme

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9h30 Opening session

Welcome by *Anna Rurka*, President of the Conference of INGOs
Gabriella Battaini-Dragoni, Deputy Secretary General of the Council of Europe
Ambassador Emil Ruffer, Chair of the Ministers' Deputies of the Council of Europe,
Permanent Representative of the Czech Republic
Giuseppe Palmisano, President of the European Committee of Social Rights

10h15-12h15 "Acting together to eradicate extreme poverty in Europe: from
declarations to acts, 5 years on from the 2012 Declaration"

Annelise Oeschger, Honorary President of the Conference of INGOs
Stéphane Rullac, Director of Research and Scientific Director at the "IRTS Paris Ile-de-France"
Anna Rurka, President of the Conference of INGOs

Questions and exchanges with the participants

12h30 "End poverty: leave no-one behind"

Ceremony on the forecourt of the Council of Europe
*with the participation of the Council of Europe choir
and children from the Lixenbuhl school*

Introduction

Anna Rurka, President of the Conference of INGOs
Jean-Gabriel Prieur, International Movement ATD Fourth World,
representative at the Council of Europe

Speeches

*Ambassador Božidarka **Krunić***, Chair of the Ministers' Deputies Rapporteur Group on Social
and Health Questions, Permanent Representative of Montenegro

Gudrun Mosler-Törnström, President of the Congress of Local and Regional Authorities

Guido Raimondi, President of the Court of Human Rights

Roland Ries, Mayor of Strasbourg or his representative

Afternoon session: Moderation by *Iamvi Totsi*, Vice-Chair of the Human Rights Committee of the Conference of INGOs

14h15 Fighting against poverty, a core action for a better social cohesion in Europe

Annachiara Cerri, European Social Cohesion Platform, Department of the European Social Charter, Council of Europe

Peter Verhaeghe, Caritas Europa, representative of the Conference of INGOs at the Collaborative Platform CoE-FRA-ENNHRI-EQUINET on social and economic rights, information on the 5th Meeting of 26 September 2017 in Riga

14h45 Access to social rights for adolescents and young people

Round table moderated by *Gérard Schaefer*, Deputy Director of ESTES, representative of the Conference of INGOs at the European Social Cohesion Platform of the Council of Europe

With the participation of:

Hélène Garrigues, European Committee for Home-based Priority Action for the Child and the Family (Eurocef, France)

Monica Oltra, Vice-President of the Regional Government of Valencia (Spain), Regional Minister for Equality and inclusive Policies, Vice-President of the European Network for Social Inclusion (ELISAN), associated member of the European Social Action Network (ESAN)

Gaël Gauthier, JOC, National Secretary of Jobless Youth, France

Illir Selmani - Arnaud Chinde Dzokou, Caritas Alsace

Véronique Bertholle, Youth Express Network

Questions and exchanges with the participants

16h 15 Conclusions

Anna Rurka, President of the Conference of INGOs