

# AGENDA

CLOSING CONFERENCE OF THE  
COUNCIL OF EUROPE PROJECT

## CONTINUED SUPPORT TO THE CRIMINAL JUSTICE REFORM

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KYIV

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COUNCIL OF EUROPE



CONSEIL DE L'EUROPE

09:00 – 09:30

Registration and welcome coffee

09:30 – 10:00

## WELCOME REMARKS

**Moderator:** *Mr Mårten Ehnberg, Head of the Council of Europe Office in Ukraine*

*Mr Christophe Poirel, Council of Europe Director of Human Rights*

*Mr Ruben Madsen, Ambassador of Denmark to Ukraine, Georgia and Armenia*

*Ms Ivanna Smachylo, Deputy Minister of Justice of Ukraine*

*Ms Anzhela Stryzhevskya, Deputy Prosecutor General of Ukraine*

10:00 – 10:15

## SCREENING OF THE PROJECT FINAL VIDEO

10:15 – 11:00

Coffee break – press briefing – family photo

11:00 – 12:30

## PLENARY PANEL SESSION I:

**Criminal justice reforms Ukraine 2015-2019: focus on legal and institutional reforms of the Public Prosecution Service (PPS) and Free Legal Aid (FLA) development**

**Moderator:** *Mr Andrii Kulykov, journalist, media expert, Head of the Commission for Journalistic Ethics of Ukraine*

### Sub-topics and speakers:

**PPS reform upon the adoption of the new Law, - legal and institutional developments: progress and challenges**

*Ms Anzhela Stryzhevskya, Deputy Prosecutor General of Ukraine*

**Set-up of PPS self-governance and support bodies**

*Mr Mykhailo Misiura, Head of the Council of Public Prosecutors*

*Mr Viktor Shemchuk, Deputy Head of Qualification and Disciplinary Commission of Prosecutors*

**Pending legislative changes as regards the PPS**

*Ms Olena Sotnyk, Member of the Verkhovna Rada (Parliament) of Ukraine*

**FLA institutional development: progress, achievements and challenges**

*Mr Oleksii Boniuk, Director of Coordination Center for Legal Aid Provision*

**The role of the civil society in the reforms of the PPS and FLA development: the triangle cooperation under the Council of Europe ambit**

*Mr Borys Malyshev, Centre of Policy and Legal Reform*

*Ms Kateryna Yeroshenko, Ukrainian Legal Aid Foundation*

**Project support in the areas of the Project action & follow-up**

*Ms Bozhena Malanchuk, Project Coordinator, Human Rights National Cooperation Division, Directorate General Human Rights and Rule of Law, Council of Europe*

## EXPERT COMMENTS

*Mr Jeremy McBride, Barrister, Monckton Chambers, London, CoE international consultant*

*Mr Peter van den Biggelaar, Former CEO, Dutch Legal Aid Board, CoE international consultant*

*Ms Ketevan Tskhomelidze, Representative of the Department for the Execution of the Judgments of the European Court of Human Rights, Council of Europe*

## DISCUSSION WITH THE AUDIENCE

12:30 – 13:30

Lunch

13:30 – 15:00

## PLENARY PANEL SESSION II: Organisational effectiveness, operational efficiency & professional capacity enhancement of Project's beneficiary institutions

**Moderator:** *Mr Andrii Kulykov, journalist, media expert, Head of the Commission for Journalistic Ethics of Ukraine*

### Sub-topics and speakers:

**Independent external organisational assessment of the GPO of Ukraine**  
*Mr Gennadiy Chuprykov, Director of Forensic Services, PwC Ukraine*

*Mr Dmytro Storozhuk, First Deputy Prosecutor General of Ukraine*

**Beneficiary institutions capacity development support and link with the Execution of ECtHR judgments**

*Mr Ivan Lishchyna, Government Agent of Ukraine before the European Court of Human Rights (ECtHR)*

**Knowledge management changes within the PPS and FLA under the Project: ensuring quality & sustainability**

*Mr Yurii Sevruk, Pro-rector of the National Prosecution Academy of Ukraine (NAPU)*

*Ms Oksana Vasyliaka, Director of the Regional Center for the Provision of Secondary Legal Aid in Kyiv City*

**Continued professional capacity enhancement of prosecutors and lawyers: feedback from target groups**

*Ms Veronika Plotnikova, Head of the unit for implementation of the ECtHR case law into the prosecutorial activities, NAPU*

*Ms Natalia Radushynska, Deputy Head of Zhytomyr Regional Centre for Free Legal Aid Provision*

**Project support in the areas of the Project action & follow-up**  
*Mr Tigran Karapetyan, Head of Unit, Human Rights National Cooperation Division, Directorate General Human Rights and Rule of Law, Council of Europe*

#### EXPERT COMMENTS

*Mr Eric Svanidze, former Deputy Minister of Justice, prosecutor, CPT member, Georgia, CoE international consultant*

*Mr Peter van den Biggelaar, Former CEO, Dutch Legal Aid Board, CoE international consultant*

*Ms Camille Massey, Evaluation - Strategic Planning - Change Management expert, France, CoE international consultant*

*Ms Geanina Munteanu, Representative of the Department for the Execution of the Judgments of the European Court of Human Rights, Council of Europe*

#### DISCUSSION WITH THE AUDIENCE

15:00 – 15:15

#### CLOSING REMARKS

*Ms Olena Lytvynenko, Deputy Head of the Council of Europe Office in Ukraine*

*Ms Anzhela Stryzhevskya, Deputy Prosecutor General of Ukraine*

*Mr Vladyslav Vlasiuk, General Director of the Directorate for Human Rights, Access to Justice and Legal Awareness of the Ministry of Justice of Ukraine*

15:15 – 16:00

**Closing cocktail & networking**