

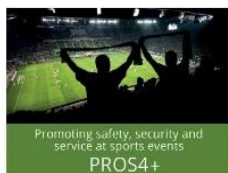
NATIONAL FOOTBALL POLICING TRAINING - NFPT

Promoting and Strengthening
the Council of Europe Standards on Safety,
Security and Service at Football Matches
and Other Sports Events (ProS4+)



Policing Football in Czech Republic

Adoption of good practices
and compliance with the
Council of Europe Convention
on an Integrated Safety, Security
and Service Approach at Football
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National Police Training Event based on the Pan-European Football Policing Training Programme (PE-FPTP)

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Seminar on Policing Football in the Czech Republic

Adoption of established good practices and compliance with the Council of Europe Convention on an Integrated Safety, Security and Service Approach at Football Matches and Other Sports Events (Saint-Denis Convention)

Programme



**Organised in collaboration with the Police Presidium of
the Czech Republic**

7 - 9 January 2020

Venue: Hotel Grand Majestic Plaza, Prague

Outline of the Seminar

1. Background information

The Council of Europe and European Union Joint Project entitled "Promoting the Council of Europe Standards to safety, security and service at football matches and other sports events (ProS4+)" is a project that commenced 1 January 2017.

The project incorporates a number of sub-projects, including *Sub Project 2: A National Police Training Events* based on the Pan-European Football Policing Training Programme (PE-FPTP). The Prague seminar is the third national police training undertaken as part of the ProS4+ project.

The Czech Republic ratified the new 2016 Council of Europe Convention on an Integrated Safety, Security and Service Approach at Football Matches and Other Sports Events (Saint-Denis Convention, CETS No.218) on 16 May 2019. In so doing, the Czech Republic is committed to adopting and implementing the principles and key outcomes set out in its Articles, notably Article 9 ("policing strategies and operations") and Article 10 ("prevention and sanctioning of offending behaviour").

The purpose of the national training seminar is to support the police and other public authorities in the Czech Republic through the provision of established good practices and discussion on the measures necessary to demonstrate compliance with the Convention in a manner that meets national circumstances and imperatives.

2. Objectives of this Seminar

As indicated above, the objective of the seminar is to promote the adoption of an integrated approach to safety, security and service in connection with football matches (and other sports events) in the Czech Republic through the provision of good practice information to key policing football decision makers and practitioners to assist the Czech police to adopt and implement football policing strategies, tactics and operations that are consistent, and demonstrate compliance, with the:

- "Council of Europe Convention on an Integrated Safety, Security and Service Approach at Football Matches and Other Sports Events", in particular Articles 9 and Article 10;
- Council of Europe Recommendation Rec (2015) 1 of the Standing Committee on Safety, Security and Service at Football Matches and other Sports Events, in particular Annex B on security;
- EU Council Resolution (12795/2016) concerning a updated handbook with recommendations for international police cooperation and measures to prevent and control violence and disturbances in connection with football matches with an international dimension, in which at least one Member State is involved ('EU Football Handbook');

- EU Council Resolution (12792/2016) concerning a handbook with recommendations for preventing and managing violence and disturbances in connection with football matches with an international dimension, in which at least one Member State is involved, through the adoption of good practice in respect of police liaison with supporters; and
- EU Council Resolution (12791/2016) concerning the costs of hosting and deploying visiting police delegations in connection with football matches (and other sports events) with an international dimension, in which at least one Member State is involved.

The seminar will provide a series of thematic plenary and panel sessions, interactive workshops, discussion sessions and a platform for exchanging opinions/sharing experiences among key policing football practitioners in the Czech Republic and with subject matter experts drawn from across Europe.

3. Participants

The seminar will bring together senior policing football policy makers, strategists, NFIP personnel, spotters, police match commanders, and police academy trainers in the Czech Republic.

4. Practical information

Venue

The conference will take place at the Hotel Grand Majestic Plaza Prague, Truhlářská 16, 110 00.

Accommodation

The accommodation for participants travelling to Prague for the seminar will be provided in the same hotel. Your rooms will be booked by the Council of Europe and cost will be directly paid to the hotel by the ProS4+ project.

Transport

Participants should make their own travel arrangements to the hotel.

Meals

Lunches and dinners are provided by the ProS4+ project.

Interpretation

The seminar will be held in English and Czech. Simultaneous interpretation (Czech and English) will be provided throughout the seminar - training materials will be in Czech or English with Czech subtitles

5. For further information about this seminar

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20:00 – 22:00 Welcome dinner at the Hotel – Monday, 6th January 2020

DAY ONE - Tuesday, 7th January 2020

09:00-10:00	Registration of participants
10:00-10:15	Opening - Welcome Col. Michal Foit - Director of the Bureau of Criminal Police and Investigation Service of the Police Presidium
10:15-10:30	Joint Council of Europe and European Union Joint ProS4+ Project Ilknur Yuksek - ProS4+ Project Manager
10:30-10:45	Aims & Format of the Seminar Brief introduction to national training concept, inter-active format, and seminar programme. David Bohannan - ProS4+ Consultant
10:45-11:15	Czech Police - Expectations from the Seminar Jakub Schor - Head of Czech NFIP
11:15-11:45	Coffee Break
11:45-12:15 Plenary	The 2016 Council of Europe Convention on an Integrated Safety, Security and Service Approach at Football Matches and Other Sports Events (Saint-Denis Convention) Obligations on State Parties, implications and impact. Paulo Gomes - Sport Conventions Division, Council of Europe
12:15-12:45 Plenary	Integrated Multi-Agency Approach Rodrigo Cavaleiro - Head of the National Authority for the Prevention of and Fight against Sport-related Violence, Portugal
12:45-13:15 Panel Discussion	Integrated Approach: Role of Police David Bohannan, Paulo Gomes, Adrian Dinca, Rodrigo Cavaleiro, Jakub Schor
13:15-14:30	Lunch
14:30-15:00 Plenary	Risks of Pyrotechnics Risks and conclusions, especially for police - stressing main challenge for all safety and security personnel. Michael Humann - Educational Coordinator
15:00-15:30 Panel Discussion	Preventing and Tackling Use of Pyrotechnics in football stadia Czech experience, risks, preventative liability, detection and disruption.

15:30-16:00
Workshop

Discussion on Countering Use of Pyrotechnics in Football Stadia, other Sports Venues and Crowded places in the Czech Republic

16:00-16:30 *Coffee Break*

16:30-17:30
Plenary

Workshop Feedback and Discussion
Each group spokesperson to provide feedback on their group discussion

Panel Discussion

David Bohannon, Adrian Dinca, Paulo Gomes, Jakub Schor, and Michael Humann

17:30 *Closing - Day one*

19:30 *Dinner*

DAY TWO - Wednesday, 8th January 2020

09:30-10:00
Plenary

Policing Football Matches - European Good Practices
Explanation of good practices highlighted in Article 9.2 of the Saint-Denis Convention

Anton Cernat - Head of Romanian NFIP and Visiting Police Delegations

10:00-10:30
Plenary

Role of NFIP, Spotters & Dynamic Risk
Main functions of NFIP, intelligence-led policing and dynamic risk assessments.

Adrian Dinca – Chair of the Council of Europe Standing Committee

10:30-11:15
Workshop

Discussion on Policing football Operations in Czech Republic
Policing football operations in Czech Republic in the light of current good practices and obligations under the Saint-Denis Convention - Article 9.2

11:15-11:45 *Coffee Break*

11:45-12:30
Plenary

Workshop Feedback and Panel Discussion
Each group spokesperson to provide feedback on their group discussion

Panel Discussion

David Bohannon, Paulo Gomes, Adrian Dinca, Anton Cernat, Jakub Schor

12:30-14:00 *Lunch*

14:00-14:30
Plenary

Role of Police in Stadia - Outline of good practice and options across Europe

David Bohannon - ProS4+ Consultant

14:30-15:15
Panel Discussion

Stadium Safety and Security Management in Czech Republic Stadia

David Bohannon, Paulo Gomes, Adrian Dinca, Rodrigo Cavaleiro, and Jakub Schor

15:15-15:45 <i>Workshop</i>	<i>Discussion on Police involvement in Stadium Operations and Integrated Approach in Czech Republic</i> <i>Policing football operations in Czech Republic in the light of good practices and obligations under the Saint-Denis Convention - Articles 5.4, 5.5 and 5.6</i> Michael Humann , Moderator
15:45-16:15	<i>Coffee Break</i>
16:15-16:45 <i>Plenary</i>	<i>Workshop Feedback and Panel Discussion</i> <i>Each group spokesperson to provide feedback on their group discussion.</i>
<i>Panel Discussion</i>	David Bohannon, Paulo Gomes, Adrian Dinca, Rodrigo Cavaleiro, Anton Cernat, and Jakub Schor
16:45-17:30 <i>Panel Discussion</i>	<i>Effective Exclusion: Established Good Practices</i> <i>Good practices and obligations under Article 10 of the Saint-Denis Convention</i> David Bohannon, Adrian Dinca, Paulo Gomes, Rodrigo Cavaleiro, Anton Cernat, and Jakub Schor
17:30	<i>Closing – Day two</i>
19:30	<i>Dinner</i>

DAY THREE - Thursday, 9th January 2020

09:30-10:30 <i>Panel</i>	<i>Inclusiveness and Police Dialogue with Supporters</i> David Bohannon, Paulo Gomes, Adrian Dinca, Lena Gustafson Wiberg, Tomas Carnogursky and Jakub Schor
10:30-11:15 <i>Workshop</i>	<i>Discussion on Police Communication/Dialogue with Supporters in Czech Republic</i> <i>Convention obligations under Article 8.1 and other good practices</i> David Bohannon, Paulo Gomes, Adrian Dinca, Lena Gustafson Wiberg, Tomas Carnogursky and Jakub Schor
11:15-11:45	<i>Coffee Break</i>
11:45-12:30 <i>Plenary</i>	<i>Workshop Feedback and Panel Discussion</i> <i>Each group spokesperson to provide feedback on their group discussion</i>
<i>Panel</i>	David Bohannon, Jakub Schor, Paulo Gomes, Adrian Dinca, Rodrigo Cavaleiro, and Anton Cernat - prompt and respond to feedback
12:30-14:00	<i>Lunch</i>
14:00-15:00 <i>Plenary</i>	<i>Seminar Debrief, Feedback & Discussion</i> Paulo Gomes – Sport Conventions Division, Council of Europe Adrian Dinca – Chair of the Council of Europe Standing Committee
15:00-15:30	<i>Coffee Break</i>

16:00-16:30
Closure

Closing Formalities and Presentation of Certificates

Ilknur Yuksek, ProS4+ Project Manager, Council of Europe

16:30

Closing

PRESENTERS, MODERATORS and PANEL MEMBERS

David Bohannan	ProS4+ Consultant, Chair of the European Think Tank of football safety and security experts
Adrian Dinca	Chair of the Standing Committee on Spectator Violence, Council of Europe
Rodrigo Calvaleiro	Head of the National Authority for the Prevention and Fight against sport-related violence, Portugal
Anton Cernat	Head of NFIP Romania and Visiting Police Delegations
Michael Humann	Educational Coordinator, University of Liverpool
Paulo Gomes	Sport Conventions Division, Council of Europe
Franck Daeschler	Sport Conventions Division, Council of Europe
Ilknur Yuksek	ProS4+ Project Manager, Council of Europe
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Jakub Schor	Head of NFIP, Czech Police Presidium