

CONFERENCE OF EUROPEAN CHURCHES

6TH SUMMER SCHOOL ON HUMAN RIGHTS

Freedom of Expression and Populism

17-20 June 2019 Lisbon - Portugal

DRAFT PROGRAM

	17 JUNE 2019 MONDAY	18 JUNE 2019 TUESDAY	19 JUNE 2019 WEDNESDAY	20 JUNE 2019 THURSDAY
8.45		PRAYER	PRAYER	PRAYER
9.00-10.30		<p>Theology, freedom of expression and populism: Biblical and theological input</p> <p>1-2 speaker/s and work in groups</p> <p>Prof. Dr Christof Sauer, Giessen School of Theology and Dr. Helena Vilaça, University of Porto</p>	<p>Monitored. Human beings, Machines and God: Surveillance and religion</p> <p>Prof. Susanne Wigorts Yngvesson, Stockholm School of Theology and Mr Marco Ventura, Fondazione Bruno Kessler</p> <p>1-2 speaker/s and work in groups</p>	<p>The new information technology and ethics: A challenge for the churches? (Fake News)</p> <p>1-2 speaker(s) and work in groups</p> <p>World Association for Christian Communication (WACC)</p>
10.30-11.00		COFFEE BREAK	COFFEE BREAK	COFFEE BREAK
11.00-12.30		<p>Freedom of Expression - the Legal challenge: How does it work? (EU, Council of Europe)</p>	<p>Visit of religious communities in Lisbon and learning about local context</p>	<p>Freedom of Expression - the legal challenge: How does it work? (OSCE, UN)</p>

	<p style="text-align: center;">ARRIVALS Registration</p> <p style="text-align: center;">17.00 - 19.00 Welcome and introduction Portuguese Church Leadership and President of Portugal</p> <p>Freedom of expression in the time of rising populism – why does it matter? KEYNOTE: Executive Director, Prof. Dr Jónatas Machado, Human Rights Center, University of Coimbra</p> <p>What are the possibilities and limits of Freedom of expression? Short input from 3-4 countries Portuguese Human Rights Commissioner Kaldo Pedro</p>	Ms Sofia Caseiro, Lecturer, Human Rights Center, University of Coimbra	Visit to town hall in Lisbon	Tatjana Perić, OSCE Or Ms Sofia Caseiro, Lecturer, Human Rights Center, University of Coimbra
12.30-13.30		LUNCH BREAK	LUNCH BREAK	LUNCH BREAK
14.00-15.30		Freedom of Expression and Freedom of Religion or Belief (Hate Speech/Hate Crime) Ar. 19 NGO, Geneva Ms Simona Cruciani, United Nations	Portuguese Legal Context Panel discussion Mr David Kalente, lawyer of the Protestant Church in Portugal, Mr José Vera Jardim, former Minister of Justice, Mgr Duarte da Cunha, Catholic Church in Portugal and President of COPIC	Freedom of Expression – ECHR, ECJ – Why and how it is important for individuals and religious communities? Rev. Dr Patrick Roger Schnabel, EKD Conclusion
15.30-16.00		COFFEE BREAK	COFFEE BREAK	DEPARTURES
16.00-17.30		How to prevent growing populism with hate speech and hate crime at the parish level and in church based media? Dr Ganoune Diop, International Religious Liberty Association and Ms Kristina Arriaga de Bucholz, U.S. Commission on International Religious Freedom	Freedom of religious expression and expression about religion? What can we publish about religion? (Pictures, cartoons and words hurting religious feelings or part of freedom of expression) Rev. Dr Göran Gunner (theological approach) Prof. Dr Jónatas Machado, Human Rights Center, University of Coimbra	