



Strengthening the direct collaboration in the field of operational combating against organized crime – human smuggling

Fund for internal security (ISF) 2014-2020

Workshop from the 30th – 31st of May 2022 University of Palermo, Via Maqueda - <u>Palermo</u> Hosted by Centre of Excellence Jean Monnet

AGENDA

Monday, 30. May 2022

10:00 Arriving and official welcome of the participants by the host country Italy -

Welcome speeches by

Prof. Armando PLAIA- Head of Law Department

Honorary Consul of Republic of Austria Helga RAUSCHER

Prof. Vincenzo MILITELLO – Project Leader Centre of Excellence Jean Monnet EUMOSIT

Lisa POSCH, Project Leader II/BK/8, Joint Operational Office Vienna, Calogero FERRARA – European Delegated Prosecutor - EPPO

10:30-11:00 Chair – Lisa Maria POSCH MA and Mag. Sinisa JOVANOVIC.

General overview of the ISF project with the aim, especially in relation to challenges

- cooperation public prosecutor's office - police

- summary of implemented meetings and the added value

investigation approaches and possibilities Internet (OSINT)

Financial Investigation

- efficient and goal-oriented cooperation

11:00-11:15 Short break

11:15-11:45 introduction of the participants (tour de table)

Participant - presentation/ overview/ advises/ ideas to topics such as

- general overview of the cooperation between legal authorities and the involved law enforcement agencies
- Legal components (control of the investigations, orders, ideas to implement investigations, etc.)
- Best practice of OSINT and HAWALA used by OCG
- problems concerning investigations

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11:45 - 12:30 Dott. Calogero FERRARA, Prosecutor in Palermo and Professor Carlo AMENTA

Better understanding of Euro Prosecutor Network, Type of Business Model, current

trends and risks.

12:30 - 13:30 Lunch break

13:30 <u>Second session</u>

speaking time 35min Mr Dr. Martin FREUDLING, Prosecutor in Passau/Germany

speaking time 35min Mr. Mag. Mag. Dr. Edgar LUSHIN, Prosecutor in Vienna/Austria

15min Short break

Speaking time 20min Toralf LUCK/ BPOL Passau/ Germany

Migrant Smuggling - new trends and current investigation

Ca. 15:30 – **open end** Summary of the day and open discussion

End

Tuesday, 31. May 2022

09:00 Arrival of participants from the accommodation

09:00 Mag. Sinisa JOVANOVIC, Lisa POSCH MA., and Dieter RUDOLPH

THB/Migrant Smuggling JOO Vienna Summary of the previous day

Best Practice in Analysis, Smart Identification, data extraction

General Overview about the new developed department 8- JOO Vienna with his key responsible in countering THB and Human Smuggling

9:15 Prof. Annalisa MANGIARACINA – University of Palermo

The analysis of the new trends in migration issues and the Excellence Project Jean

<u>Monnet</u>

09:45 Brigadier Bernhard GABER – SOLBE JOO Vienna – Social Benefit Fraud

Overview about JOO Vienna with his key responsible in countering social benefit fraud

10:15- 10:30 Short break

10:30 <u>Mr. Marco MARTINO - SCO Roma</u>

General overview about the smuggling situation - Current trends in term of Human

smuggling/Illegal migration – efforts and issue Outlook

11:00 <u>Magg. Massimo DE VITO (Nucleo PEF Guardia di Finanza - Palermo)</u>

The practical experience in term of Human smuggling/Illegal migration investigations

- the "Scorpion Fish cases"

11:30 <u>Cap. DE DONNA (RONI Carabinieri - Palermo)</u>

The practical experience in term of Human smuggling/Illegal migration investigations

- the "Balkans case"

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Chair - Lisa POSCH MA and Mag. Sinisa JOVANOVIC

- Discussion and suggested solutions (mint of ideas)
- Suggestions to involve other international/ national experts in projects
- Possibility to enlarge the subject areas (involvement EUROJUST, asylum, customs, finance, NGOs etc.)
- others / resume

12:00 End of the workshop in Palermo and departure of the participants



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