1⁵⁷ Day Conference 9th October 2015 - Friday from 17.30 to 20.30 Mongiuffi Melia - Palazzo Corvaja

1st Conference / 1st Session

Session: WELCOME Project - Presentation of the project, activities and Network

17,00: Registration of the participants. WELCOME CEREMONY

17,30: Opening of the 1st Conference at Palazzo Corvaja in "Mongiuffi Melia" in Italy

In this specific session it will be presented the project, the activities and the Knowledge of the Municipality and Territory Partners. Session dedicated to the illustration of the Network, the objectives and the strategic direction of the Network.

Moderator: Beatrice Briguglio, European Project Manager (Italy)

Institutional Greetings by **Filippo Alfio Currenti**, President of the Unione dei Comuni Naxos Taormina and Mayor of Gallodoro (Italy)

- Rosario D'Amore, Mayor of Mongiuffi Melia (Italy)
- On Giuseppe Picciolo, Member of Sicilian Parlament
- **WELCOME Project**, Presentation of the project, **Celisi Agatino**, European Project Manager (Italy)

European Conference "Welcoming Network for Migrant' Rights and European Citizenship"

Presentation of the Network and WELCOME CEREMONY

Speakers:

- Joseph Azzopardi, Municipality of Birgu (Malta)
- Eric Sinatora, Directeur Graph, Centre Méditérranéen de l'Image (France)
- **Mudite Priede**, Secretary General of LATVIJAS PASVALDIBU SAVIENIBA (Latvia)
- Carlo Mastroeni, President of A.N.O.L.F. Associazione Nazionale oltre le Frontiere (Italy)
- Maria Camila Vazquez Conde, ADEFIS JUVENTUD INTERNACIONAL (Spain)
- Toivo Riimaa, Deputy Director of the Association of Estonian Cities (Estonia)
- Petros Pavlos Raptis, ONE TERRENE INTERNATIONAL (Cyprus)
- Jose Manuel Neira Picallo, Municipality of A Bana (Spain)
- Despoina Kanellopoulou, President of PENTHESILEIA (Greece)
- Gergana Atanasova Yordanova, WalkTogether (Bulgaria)
- Daniel Matasaru, Vice Mayor Municipality of IASI (Romania)
- Csaba Burszky, Municipality of Bátka (Slovakia)
- Laszlo Szabo, Municipality of Holloko (Hungary)

2nd Day Conference

10th October 2015 - Saturday

from 9.00 to 13.00

Catania - Palazzo della Cultura

1st Conference / 2nd Session

Session: "Europe protagonist in the Mediterranean Sea: from Mare Nostrum to Triton"

9,30: Opening of the Conference

Moderator: Beatrice Briguglio, European Project Manager (Italy)

Institutional Greetings by **Enzo Bianco**, Mayor of Catania (Italy)

Speakers:

- Amm. Nunzio Martello, Commander Maritime Directorate Eastern Sicily (Italy)
- **Col. Pil. Vincenzo Sicuso**, Commander 41 Storm Antisom of the Air Base in Sigonella (Italy)
- Joseph Azzopardi, Municipality of Birgu (Malta)
- Yamina Mamou Oulhac, Maison des Jeunes et de la Culture-Centre International de Séjour (France)
- Mudite Priede, Secretary General of LATVIJAS PASVALDIBU SAVIENIBA (Latvia)
- Pablo Sanchez Bjujan, ADEFIS JUVENTUD INTERNACIONAL (Spain)
- Kalev Härk, Mayor of Valga Association of Estonian Cities (Estonia)
- Christos Mitrou, ONE TERRENE INTERNATIONAL (Cyprus)
- Alicia Blanco Sande, Municipality of A Bana (Spain)
- **Kyriakos Lambrou**, Responsible of the Consultancy Department PENTHESILEIA (Greece)
- Ivan Kitanov, Active Bulgarian Society NGO WalkTogether (Bulgaria)
- **Anca Zota**, Department of Foreign Affairs and Tourism Municipality of IASI (Romania)
- Péter Hencz, Mayor Municipality of Bátka (Slovakia)
- Gabriella Rigóné Kovács, Municipality of Holloko (Hungary)

12.00: Conclusion of the daily Session

- On. Rosario Crocetta, President of Sicilian Region (Italy)
- **On. Giovanni Burtone**, Member of the Chamber of Deputies of the Italian Parliament (Italy)
- On. Giovanni La Via, European Parlamentary MEP (Italy)
- On. Paolo Gentiloni, Minister of Foreign Affairs and International Cooperation (Italy) (Invited)

12:30: Question time / public Debate

3rd Day Conference

11th October 2015 - Sunday

from 9.00 to 13.00

Gallodoro - Centro Polifunzionale

1st Conference / 3rd Session - Gallodoro

09.00: Registration of the participants

09.30: Opening of the Conference

Workshop "European Funds for immigration": FSE - EU program
"Rights and Citizenship" - The Asylum and Migration Fund European Instrument for Democracy and Human Rights (EIDHR)

Moderator: Ylenia Olivo, European Project Manager (Italy)

Institutional Greetings by Filippo Alfio Currenti, President of the Unione dei Comuni Naxos Taormina and Mayor of Gallodoro (Italy)

Speakers:

- Beatrice Briguglio, European Project Manager (Italy)
- Lorraine Spiteri, Municipality of Birgu (Malta)
- **Bruno Calvet,** Coordinator Maison des Jeunes et de la Culture-Centre International de Séjour (France)
- Rita Merca, Coordinator on Foreign Affairs LATVIJAS PASVALDIBU SAVIENIBA (Latvia)
- Montserrat Diez Perello, ADEFIS JUVENTUD INTERNACIONAL (Spain)
- Anne Läns, Association of Estonian Cities (Estonia)
- Dimitra Papadopoulou, ONE TERRENE INTERNATIONAL (Cyprus)
- Celestino Amigo Linares, Municipality of A Bana (Spain)
- **Despina Kanellopoulou**, Social Scientist, President of PENTHESILEIA (Greece)
- **Irena Mihaylova**, European Affairs at Ministry of foreign affairs WalkTogether (Bulgaria)
- **Anca Zota**, Department of Foreign Affairs and Tourism Municipality of IASI (Romania)
- **Péter Hencz**, Mayor Municipality of Bátka (Slovakia)
- Eszter Szabó, Municipality of Holloko (Hungary)

12:00: Conclusion of the daily Session

- On. Pippo Currenti, Member of Sicilian Parliament
- Giacomo D'Arrigo, Director of Youth National Agency ANG (Italy)
- 12.30: Question time / public Debate

4[™] Day Conference 12th October 2015 - Monday from 9.00 to 13.00

Giardini Naxos - Naxos Beach Hotel (Sala Alcantara)

1st Conference / 4th Session

09.00: Registration of the participants

09.30: Opening of the Conference

Session: European Round Table: "Unaccompanied foreign minors: the experiences of family homes and centers of Reception"

Moderator: Giambruno Maria – Journalist and Press Officer of Sicilian Region

Institutional Greetings by **Lo Turco Pancrazio**, Mayor of Giardini Naxos (Italy)

Speakers:

- Damiano Lo Cicero, President "Cooperativa S. Antonio", Geraci Siculo (Italy)
- Maurizio Artale, President "Centro di Accoglienza Padre Nostro", Palermo (Italy)
- **Brian Farrugia**, Municipality of Birgu (Malta)
- **Véronique Adreit**, Maison des Jeunes et de la Culture-Centre International de Séjour (France)
- **Elita Kresse**, Adviser on Foreign Affair issues LATVIJAS PASVALDIBU SAVIENIBA (Latvia)
- Marco Pettinato, Mayor of Fondachelli Fantina (Italy)
- Pablo Sanchez Bjujan, ADEFIS JUVENTUD INTERNACIONAL (Spain)
- Anne Läns, Association of Estonian Cities (Estonia)
- Petros Paulos Raptis, ONE TERRENE INTERNATIONAL (Cyprus)
- Maria Dolores Landeira Linares, Municipality of A Bana (Spain)
- **Panteleimon Kanellopoulos**, Manager of Social Affairs and Financial Dep., PENTHESILEIA (Greece)
- Gergana Yordanova, WalkTogether (Bulgaria)
- Irina Sandu, Department of Foreign Affairs and Tourism Municipality of IASI (Romania)
- Péter Hencz, Mayor Municipality of Bátka (Slovakia)
- Gabriella Rigóné Kovács, Municipality of Holloko (Hungary)

11:30: Conclusion of the daily Session

- Stefano Trotta, Prefect of Messina (Italy)
- On. Pippo Currenti, Member of Sicilian Parliament
- On. Angelo Attaguile, National Secretary of Anti-Mafia Commission Member of Italian Parliament

12.00: Town Twinning Ceremony - Execution National and European Anthems.

Solemn formalization of a lasting relationship of friendship and fraternity through the signing of the Covenant of Brotherhood between local partners.

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