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Ethnocultural Diversity, Conflict, and the Human Rights of Minorities

July 5-16, 2021

(all times refer to Budapest time, UTC +2)

WEEK 1

| Monday, July 5 | Introductory Sessions 1 |
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| 12:45-13:30 | <p>Welcome and Introductions</p> <p><i>Anna-Maria Biro, Tom Lantos Institute</i> <i>Balazs Vizi, National University of Public Service</i> <i>Corinne Lennox, Human Rights Consortium, School of Advanced Study, University of London</i> <i>Zsofia Farkas, Minority Rights Group Europe</i></p> <p><i>Participant Introductions</i></p> |
| 13:30-14:30 | <p>Introduction to Conflict Prevention</p> <p><i>Murtaza Shaikh, Special Advisor to the United Nations Special Rapporteur on minority issues</i></p> |
| 14:30-15:30 | <p>Introduction to Minority Rights and its role as a powerful tool for conflict prevention</p> <p><i>John Packer, University of Ottawa</i></p> |

| Tuesday, July 6 | Introductory Session 2 |
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| 15:00-16:00 | <p>Macro-Political Approaches to Ethnic Conflict Regulation</p> <p><i>Brendan O'Leary, University of Pennsylvania</i></p> |
| 16:00-17:00 | <p>Post-colonial perspective on minority rights</p> <p><i>Mohammad Shahabuddin, University of Birmingham</i></p> |



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| 17:00-18:00 | Mandate of UN Special Rapporteur on Minority Issues <i>Fernand de Varennes, UN Special Rapporteur on minority issues</i> |
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| Wednesday, July 7 | Theme 1: Effective Participation |
| 13:00-14:00 | Effective Participation <i>Edin Hodzic, OSCE Mission to Bosnia and Herzegovina</i> |
| 14:00-15:00 | Effective Participation <i>Grace Lolim, Isiolo Gender Watch</i> |

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| Thursday, July 8 | Conflict Prevention Mechanisms I |
| 13:00-14:00 | Organisation for Security and Co-operation in Europe High Commissioner on National Minorities <i>River Hustad, OSCE High Commissioner on National Minorities</i> <i>Tihana Leko, OSCE High Commissioner on National Minorities</i> |
| 14:00-15:00 | European External Action Service <i>Alva Bruun, European External Action Service</i> <i>Sanna Kaskeala, European Union External Action Service/Common Security and Defense Policy Mission Representative from European Union Border Assistance Mission in Libya</i> |

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| Friday, July 9 | Workshops |
| 13:00-13:30 | Minority Forum Info <i>Marcus Oda, Tom Lantos Institute</i> |
| 13:30-14:15 | UN Forum Statements and Recommendations <i>Marina Shupac, Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights</i> |



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| 14:15-15:00 | UN Treaty Bodies <i>Evelin Verhas, Tom Lantos Institute</i> |
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WEEK 2

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| Monday, July 12 | Theme 2: Land Rights and Allocation of Resources |
| 15:00-16:00 | Land rights and allocation of resources <i>Shariff Mohammed, Karabole Research & Resource Center</i> |
| 16:00-17:00 | Land rights and allocation of resources <i>Lottie Cunningham, Center for Justice and Human Rights of the Atlantic Coast of Nicaragua</i> |

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| Tuesday, July 13 | Theme 3: Management of Religious Diversity |
| 13:00-14:00 | Management of Religious Diversity <i>Farah Mihlar, University of Exeter</i> |
| 14:00-15:00 | Management of Religious Diversity <i>Rania Rajji</i> |

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| Wednesday, July 14 | Conflict Prevention Mechanisms II |
| 13:00-14:00 | ASEAN Institute for Peace and Reconciliation <i>Rif'at S. Fachir, ASEAN Institute for Peace and Reconciliation</i> |
| 14:00-15:00 | African Union Peace and Security Council <i>Mohamed Diatta, Institute for Security Studies-Africa</i> |
| 15:00-16:00 | Organization of American States <i>Betilde Munoz-Pogossian, Organization of American States</i> |



| Thursday, July 15 | Group Work |
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| 10:00-11:30 | <p>AM Tutorial: Present, review and provide feedback on statements in break-out groups</p> <p><i>Marina Shupac, Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights</i> <i>Evelin Verhas, Tom Lantos Institute</i></p> |
| 15:00-16:30 | <p>PM Tutorial: Present, review and provide feedback on statements in break-out groups</p> <p><i>Marina Shupac, Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights</i> <i>Evelin Verhas, Tom Lantos Institute</i></p> |
| Friday, July 16 | Participant Presentations and Q&A with the Special Rapporteur on minority issues |
| 13:00-14:00 | <p>Discussion of participant presentations</p> <p><i>Marcus Oda, Tom Lantos Institute</i></p> |
| 14:00-14:45 | <p>Q&A with the UN Special Rapporteur on minority issues</p> <p><i>Fernand de Varennes, UN Special Rapporteur on minority issues</i></p> |
| 14:45-15:00 | <p>Concluding Remarks</p> |