



Preliminary Agenda

Conference on Tackling Emerging Transnational Threats in the Mediterranean Region through Information Sharing and Co-operation

Monaco, 1-2 June 2015

Background

The Mediterranean region faces a myriad of emerging and destabilizing transnational threats from increasingly sophisticated transnational organized crime groups involved in a wide array of illegal activities.

The objective of this conference is to stimulate and enhance international dialogue and co-operative efforts of the OSCE Mediterranean Partners for Co-operation (PfC) and participating States (pS) on methods and good practices to increase their capacities to identify and counter emerging transnational threats.

Monday, 1st June 2015

8.30–09.15	Registration of participants
09.30–10.30	Opening Session <i>Moderator: Transnational Threats Department /OSCE Secretariat</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Mr.Gilles Tonelli Minister, MFA, Principality of Monaco- Mr.Aleksandar Nikolić, State Secretary Ministry of Interior Republic of Serbia / OSCE Chairmanship- INTERPOL High Level Representative (TBD)- UNODC High Level Representative (TBD)- Mr.Maciej Popowski, Deputy Secretary General European External Action Service
10.30–11.00	Coffee break and a group photo opportunity
11.00–12.45	Session I. Irregular migration challenges as a transnational threat <i>Moderator: Principality of Monaco</i> <i>Panelists:</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Mr. Bernd Hemingway, Head of Department of Migration Management, IOM- Ms. Maria Giovanna Manieri, Programme Officer, Platform for International Cooperation on Undocumented Migrants- Ms. Dana Spinant, Head of Unit Irregular Migration and Return Policy European Commission DG Migration and Home Affairs- OSCE Med. Partners Representative (TBD)

	<i>Discussion</i>
12.45–14.15	Lunch break
14.15–15.45	<p>Session II. Tracing illicit financial flows and assets emanating from transnational organized crime activities <i>Moderator: Transnational Threats Department/OSCE Secretariat</i></p> <p><i>Panelists:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Ms. Fatma Ceren Yazgan , Deputy Director General for Security and Intelligence Affairs, MFA, Turkey - Mr. Abdel Hafiz Mansour, Egmont Group Regional Representative for Middle East - Ms. Fiona Mangan, Rule of Law Senior Program Officer, INPROL Facilitator United States Institute of Peace - OSCE Med. Partners Representative (TBD) <p><i>Discussion</i></p>
15.45 - 16.15	Coffee break
16.15 - 17.45	<p>Session III. Seaport and airport security <i>Moderator: TBD</i></p> <p><i>Panelists:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - OSCE pS Representative – (TBD) - Mr. Ian Munro, Law Enforcement Advisor, Anti-organised crime and illicit drug trafficking Implementation and Support Section, UNODC - Mr. Turgay Sahan , Director General, TAV Istanbul Ataturk Airport Special Security Services Inc. - OSCE Med. Partners Representative (TBD) <p><i>Discussion</i></p>
19.30	Dinner reception

Tuesday, 2nd June 2015

09.30–11.00	<p>Session IV. Enhancing and preventing illicit weapons trafficking across borders <i>Moderator: Forum for Security Co-operation/OSCE Secretariat</i></p> <p><i>Panelists:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - OSCE pS Representative (TBD) - Mr Jeff Stirling, INTERPOL Assistant Director for Police Forensics - Ms. Querine Hanlon, Executive Director, Strategic Capacity Group Georgetown University - OSCE Med. Partners Representative (TBD) <p><i>Discussion</i></p>
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11.00–11.30	Coffee break
11.30–12.30	Closing Session <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Mr. Patrice CELLARIO Minister, MoI , Principality of Monaco- Mr. Alexey Lyzhenkov, Director, Transnational Threats Department/OSCE Secretariat