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INTERNATIONAL SCIENTIFIC-PRACTICAL CONFERENCE

The Change of Domestic Violent Behaviour: Working with Perpetrators at Institutional and Community Levels

30th November, 2021

10:00 – 16:00 Lithuanian time (9:00 – 15:00 CEST)

ONLINE

* The simultaneous interpreting Lithuanian-English-Lithuanian will be provided during the conference.

PROGRAMME

WELCOMING REMARKS

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| 10.00 – 10.05 | Dr. Ilona Michailovič
Law Institute of the Lithuanian Centre for Social Sciences |
| 10.05 – 10.15 | Evelina Dobrovolska
Minister of Justice of the Republic of Lithuania |
| 10.15 – 10.20 | Gintarė Burokienė
Acting Deputy Director / Director of the Lithuanian Probation Service |

SESSION 1

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| 10.20 – 10.45 ¹ | Learning from leaders in Domestic and Sexual Violence in the United States: Intersectionality, Survivor Voice, and Partnerships
Prof. Paige Hall Smith
University of North Carolina at Greensboro, USA |
| 10.45 – 11.05 | A framework for addressing victim safety and perpetrator accountability
Dr. Holly Sienkiewicz
Common Ground Health in Boston, USA |
| 11.05 – 11.35 | A Way Forward: A Promising Approach for Offender Accountability to Address Intimate Partner Domestic Violence
Dr. Stacy Sechrist
University of North Carolina at Greensboro, USA |
| 11.35 – 11.50 | Why should we work with perpetrators of domestic violence?
Dr. Alessandra Pauncz
The European Network for the Work With Perpetrators of Domestic Violence |

¹ Due to the time difference between Lithuania and the USA, a record of the first three presentations will be shown during the conference.

11.50 – 12.10	<p>Systematically identifying and prioritising domestic abuse perpetrators for targeted intervention</p> <p><i>Prof. Amanda L. Robinson</i> School of Social Sciences, Cardiff University, UK</p>
12.10 – 12.15	QUESTIONS
12.15 – 12.30	COFFEE BREAK
SESSION 2	
12.30 – 12.50	<p>Effectiveness of the prison-based Duluth programme for perpetrators of domestic violence in light of return to crime – Polish experience</p> <p><i>Dr. Anna Więcek-Durańska</i> Institute of Psychology, the Maria Grzegorzewska University, Poland</p>
12.50 – 13.05	<p>Batterer intervention programs as an integral part of coordinated community response to domestic violence</p> <p><i>Dr. Ilona Michailovič</i> Law Institute of the Lithuanian Centre for Social Sciences</p>
13.05 – 13.20	<p>Challenges of the batterer intervention programs implementation in Lithuania</p> <p><i>Dr. Svetlana Justickaja and Dr. Vaidas Viršilas</i> Law Institute of the Lithuanian Centre for Social Sciences</p>
13.20 – 13.35	<p>Implementing batterer intervention programs: the importance of inter-institutional cooperation and coordinated response</p> <p><i>Dr. Rūta Vaičiūnienė</i> Law Institute of the Lithuanian Centre for Social Sciences</p>
13.35 – 14.00	<p>DISCUSSION</p> <p><i>Moderated by Dr. Rūta Vaičiūnienė and Dr. Vaidas Viršilas</i></p>
14.00 – 15.00	LUNCH BREAK
<p>GROUP DISCUSSION “Towards coordinated community response to domestic violence: development of work with perpetrators at institutional and community levels”</p> <p><i>Moderated by Dr. Ilona Michailovič and Dr. Rūta Vaičiūnienė</i></p>	
15.00 – 15.50	<p><i>Gintarė Burokienė</i>, Acting Deputy Director / Director of the Lithuanian Probation Service</p> <p><i>Jevgenij Fedotov</i>, addiction counselor, Member of Lithuanian Association of Dependence Disorders Specialists</p> <p><i>Jūratė Šeduikienė</i>, Chairwoman of the Board of National Association of Women’s Rights, Director of the Women’s Information Center</p> <p><i>Žilvinas Šiurna</i>, Chief Prosecutor of Klaipėda District Prosecutor’s Office of Klaipėda Regional Prosecutor’s Office</p> <p><i>Eitvydas Zurba</i>, Legal Advisor for non-discrimination, gender equality, domestic violence and youth policy at Ministry of Social Security and Labour</p>
15.50 – 16.00	CLOSING REMARKS