



## 4<sup>th</sup> International Symposium on Ombudsman Institutions

## "Migration and Refugees"

March 2-3, 2017 - Ankara

## 2 March 2017, Thursday Grand Ankara Hotel

09.00	Registration	
	Ombudsmen Forum Migration and Refugees: Implementation and Challenges	
09.00 -	Keynote Speeches:	
12.00	Mr. Şeref Malkoç – Chief Ombudsman	
	Mr. Christian Berger – Head of Delegation of the European Union to Turkey	
	(Ambassador)	
	Forum of Participating Ombudsmen	
12.00 - 13.15	Lunch Grand Ankara Hotel	
13.15	Departure to Presidential Complex	
Opening Ceremony 2 March 2017, Thursday Beştepe People's Culture and Congress Center of the Presidential Complex		
14.30- 17.00	The Ombudsman Institution of Turkey – Introduction	
	Keynote Speeches:	
	Mr. Recep Tayyip Erdoğan – President of the Republic of Turkey	
	Mr. İsmail Kahraman – Speaker of the Parliament	
	Mr. Binali Yıldırım – Prime Minister	
	Mr. Şeref Malkoç – Chief Ombudsman	
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17.30	Departure to Hotel	
19.00	Visit to the Parliament	
	3 March 2017, Friday Grand Ankara Hotel	
Session I Migration and Refugee Policies		
09.00- 10.45	Featured Address:	
	Mr. Süleyman Soylu – Minister of Interior	
	Session Chair:	
	Dr. Fuat Oktay – Undersecretary of the Prime Ministry	
	Speakers:	
	Ms. Tatyana Moskalkova – High Commissioner for Human Rights in Russia	
	Mr. Justice Naser Seraj – President of the General Inspection Organisation of Iran	
	Mr. Milos Jankovic – Deputy Protector of Citizens of Serbia (tbc)	
	Mr. Mete Çubukçu – Journalist	
	Topics:	
	Importance of Ombudsmen in Policies on Migration and Refugees	
	Refugee Policy of Turkey as the Country with the Highest Ratio of Migration	
	Refugee Policies and Practices of the Countries	
10.45-11.00	Coffee Break	
Session II Vulnerable Groups in Refugees: Women and Children		
11.00-12.45	Featured Address:	
	Ms. Fatma Betül Sayan Kaya- Minister of Family and Social Policy	
	Session Chair:	
	Ms. Balçiçek İlter – Journalist	
	Speakers:	
	Ms. Jasminka Džumhur – Ombudsman of Bosnia and Herzegovina	





	Mr. Idzet Memeti – Ombudsman of Macedonia
	Ms. Mihrimah Belma Satır- Chairman of the Petitions Committee of the Parliament Mr.
	Assoc. Prof. Murat Erdoğan - Hacettepe University (tbc)
	Atilla Toros – Director General for Migration Management
	Topics:
	The Role of Ombudsman in Protection of Refugee Women and Children
	Problems faced in Protection of Refugee Women and Children
	Country Practices in Protection of Refugee Women and Children
12.45-14.00	Lunch Grand Ankara Hotel
	Session III
	Xenophobia, Racism and Islamophobia, in Relation with Migration
14.00-15.45	Featured Address:
	Mr. Ömer Çelik – Minister for European Union Affairs and Chief Negotiator
	Session Chair:
	Mr. İsmail Rüştü Cirit – President of the Court of Cassation
	Speakers:
	Ms. Lucia Franchini – Ombudsman of Tuscany
	Mr. Jonas Bering Liisberg – Director General of Danish Parliamentary Ombudsman (tbc)
	Mr. Okan Müderrisoğlu – Journalist
	Hande Fırat- Journalist
	Topics:
	The Rise of Discrimination at Global Level in relation with Refugees
	Discrimination Against Refugees
	Muslim Refugees and Islamophobia
15.45-16.00	Coffee Break
16.00-17.00	Closing Session
	Assessment Speeches:
	Assessment Speeches of Ombudsmen
	Mr. Numan Kurtulmuş – Deputy Prime Minister
	Final Declaration and Closing Speech:
	Mr. Şeref Malkoç – Chief Ombudsman



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