



a Summer School on:

“Civic Resistance and Human Security”

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The Summer School on “Civic Resistance & Human Security” will be carried out through August 5-11 2015, in Pristina/Kosovo, convening members of CSOs, activists, scholars, researchers, journalists, professionals, and, bureaucrats, as participants & contributors in a week-long cross-learning event. The event will be hosted and organized by Center for Research Development and Publication (CRDP). The school is organized under the project “Citizens Network for Peace, Reconciliation & Human Security”, as part of collaborative endeavor that set on the road in early 2013, build a trans-border civic network, across Turkey & Western Balkans. Coordinated and led by hCa (Turkey), the project is implemented on both local & regional level, together with five partners, based in Bosnia-Herzegovina, Bulgaria, Kosovo, Montenegro & Serbia, and, in association with civil society organizations, academic/research institutions and individuals from the field. This summer school, constitutes one of the major activities of the project, dedicated to building interest, knowledge and a resource base for different stakeholder groups, and, a platform for wider outreach and networking.

Following upon a “pilot” summer school held in Sarajevo (2014), the upcoming program will engage around fifty participants & contributors from different countries across the region. The core content of the program will address & elaborate upon the evolution & operational value of the concept of human security; findings of research conducted in 2014 across the countries in focus, around matters of human security over the cross-cutting proxy of violence concerning youth, workplace & displacement in different settings & contexts; issues of inequality, political participation and radicalization.

Programme

August 5, 2015 – Wednesday *Arrival and Opening*

17:30-18:30 *Opening, Welcoming Speeches - Nora Ahmetaj and Emel Kurma*

August 6, 2015 – Thursday *Introduction*

9:00-10:30 Introduction into the project, HS concepts and theories – Mary Martin

10:30-10:45 Break

10:45-12:30 Introduction into concepts and theories of violence – Maria Babovic

12:30-14:00 Lunch

14:00-15:30 Introduction into Human Security Research and Methodology

15:30-16:00 Break

17:30-18:30 Discussion

19:00-20:30 Dinner

August 7, 2015 – Friday *Research & Findings*

9:00-10:30 Bosnia: Social unrest / Bulgaria: Criminal networks and political representation: From markets to state capture – Miralem Tursinovic/Stoycho Stoychev

10:30-10:45 Break

10:45-12:30 Workplace violence: Serbia and Kosovo / Privatization Process in Serbia – Stefan Stefanovic/Liron Kafexholli

12:30-14:00 Lunch

14:00-15:30 Montenegro: Social Housing – Igor Milosevic / Turkey: Violence against White Collars – Zeynep Şarlak

15:30-16:00 Break

16:00-17:30 Discussion

19:00-20:30 Dinner

August 8, 2015 – Saturday *Inequality*

9:00-10:30 Responsibility and accountability of security actors – Mary Martin

10:30-10:45 Break

10:45-12:30 Social Inequality in Montenegro - Review of the Strategic Approach to the problem of poverty in Montenegro – Ugljesa Jankovic

12:30-14:00 Lunch

14:00-15:30 Privatization and Banking System – Florin Aliu

15:30-16:00 Break

16:00-17:30 Discussion

19:00-20:30 Dinner

August 9, 2015 – Sunday *Political Participation*

9:00-10:30 Civil society revived: the response of civil society in an unrepresentative democracy - the case of Macedonia - Dr. Nenad Markovik

10:30-10:45 Break

10:45-12:30 Party Populism: Is it a threat or a cure? - Dimitar Dimitrov / From Urban Movements to Urban Resistance – Ayşe Çavdar

12:30-14:00 Lunch

14:00-15:30 Public Protests in Bosnia – Jasmin Jasarevic / A True Civil Society: The 2013 Summer Protest Movement in Bulgaria and New Standards of Civil Participation – Stefan Ralchev

15:30-16:00 Discussion

19:00-20:30 Dinner

August 10, 2015 – Monday *Radicalization*

9:00-10:30 Extremism and Radicalisation in Serbia – Ksenija Rakic / Islamic Radicalization in Kosovo – Fatos Makolli / Turkey: Relations between State and Religion – İştah Gözaydın

10:30-16:00 Social Event in Prizren

16:00-17:30 Discussion

19:00-20:30 Dinner

August 11, 2015 – Tuesday *Closing*

10:45-12:30 Wrap-up – Nora Ahmetaj