



European Migration Network – Hungary

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“Different examples of managing and identifying statelessness”

29 September 2016

DRAFT AGENDA

Ministry of Interior

Marble Hall

2-4 József Attila Street, H-1051 Budapest

8.30 – 9.00 **Arrival and reception of guests**

9.00 – 9.10 **Welcoming speech by János Szacsúri** Head of Department, Ministry of Interior - Hungary

9.10 – 9.20 **Opening speech by Chris Nash** Director, European Network on Statelessness

Panel 1: Statelessness determination (definition, reasons)

moderated by: Tímea Lehoczki (Ministry of Interior, EMN HU NCP)

9:20 – 09.50 **Gábor Gyulai** (ENS/HHC) Creating statelessness-specific protection regimes in EU Member States – the main building blocks and where we stand now

09.50 – 10.20 **Katja Swider** (University of Amsterdam) The EU competence to legislate on statelessness and, Protection of stateless persons in the Netherlands

10.20 – 10.40 **Giulia Bittoni** (University of Burgundy and University of Bologna) Statelessness determination procedures of France and Italy

10.40 – 11.00 **Coffee Break**

11.00 – 11.15 **Anne Sheridan** (IE EMN NCP) Legislation, practice, challenges regarding statelessness determination in Ireland

11.15 – 11.35 The Moldovan solutions (TBC)



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- 11.35 – 11.50 **Zsófia Huszka** (OIN) The Hungarian solutions
- 11.50 – 12.10 **Intervention of UNHCR** (UNHCR Europe Bureau)
- 12.10 – 12.30 **Ivanka Kostić** (Praxix Serbia): Main challenges and positive achievements related to the prevention of child statelessness in Serbia

12.30 – 13.30 Lunch Break

Panel 2.: Preventing childhood statelessness

moderated by: **Chris Nash** (ENS)

- 13.30 – 14.00 **Adrian Berry** (ENS) Presentation on the international legal framework and comparative state practice on preventing childhood statelessness
- 13.00 – 14.20 **Gábor Gyulai** (ENS/HHC) The practical challenges of preventing child statelessness in a forced migration context
- 14.20 – 14.40 **Intervention from UNICEF**
- 14.40 – 15.00 Q & A

15.00 – 15.30 Coffee Break

Panel 3: Durable Solutions

moderated by: **Tímea Lehoczki** (Ministry of Interior, EMN HU NCP)

- 15.30 – 15.50 **Gábor Gyulai** (ENS/HHC) Naturalisation as the durable solution to statelessness – obligations under international law and practical considerations
- 15.50 – 16.20 **Intervention from UNHCR and Mol**
- 16.20 – 16.45 Q & A and Tour de Table



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