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State Judicial Administration of Ukraine & International Association for Court Administration

Online Conference “Court Safety and Security Planning in Ukraine”

March 14, 2023

9:00 – 11:30 am EDT / 15:00 – 17:30 Kyiv time

Co-organizers: State Judicial Administration of Ukraine, International Association of Court Administration (IACA), EU Project “Pravo-Justice”, USAID Justice for All Activity.

Goals: To discuss and find solutions for pressing war-time court security issues, considering the best international experience; to address the challenges of continuance of court operations in war conditions; to strengthen cooperation of the SJA with IACA.

Audience: Members of the High Council of Justice, representatives of the State Judicial Administration of Ukraine, Council of Judges, National School of Judges, Supreme Court; chief judges; court administrators; court staff; and international partners.

Languages: English/Ukrainian (simultaneous interpretation)

Moderator: **Prof. Dr. Luis María Palma**, *President of the International Association for Court Administration (IACA)*

Program

15:00 – Welcoming Remarks

Prof. Dr. Luis María Palma, *President of the International Association for Court Administration (IACA)*

15:05 – Impact of Russia’s aggression upon court premises and courts operations. Conscription of judicial institutions’ employees

Oleksiy Salnikov, *Head of the State Judicial Administration of Ukraine*

15:20 – Best practices of court emergency planning to ensure safety of court employees and visitors as well as security of courts records and equipment

Pavlo Triasun, *Deputy Head of the Court Security Service*

Cornelis Verhaeren, *Detective, Superintendant of the Netherlands National Police (retired), International Expert of the EU Project Pravo-Justice*

16:00 – Security of court premises & Continuity of court operations

Tim Dibble, *IACA Member, Vice President of Justice Management Institute (USA), Expert of the USAID Justice for All Activity*

Bohdan Kryklyvenko, *Chief of Staff of the High Anti-Corruption Court of Ukraine, Board member at the Non-Governmental Organization «All-Ukrainian Association of Court Employees»*

16:30 – Ensuring information and cyber security in e-systems and e-services of the judiciary

Serhiy Chornutskyi, *Deputy Head of the State Judicial Administration of Ukraine*

Serhiy Suchenko, *Legal Advisor, USAID Justice for All Activity*

Valerii Bakal, *Senior National Expert, E-Justice Component of the EU Project Pravo-Justice*

17:00 – Q&A

17:15 – Closing Remarks

Speakers



Bogdan Kryklyvenko, the Chief of Staff of the High Anti-Corruption Court of Ukraine, board member at the Non-Governmental Organization «All-Ukrainian Association of Court Employees». Mr. Kryklyvenko has a master's degree in law, as well as a master's degree in finance and public administration. In 2005 he began his career in the Ministry of Justice of Ukraine, where he worked in the Secretariat of the Government Commissioner for the European Court of Human Rights, where, in particular, he coordinated the implementation of the decisions of the European Court of Human Rights.

From June 2012 to March 2018, he was the Head of the Secretariat of the National Human Rights Institution (Ombudsman of Ukraine). He is a human rights expert of the Council of Europe, the OSCE, and other international organizations engaged in the protection and promotion of human rights and fundamental freedoms.



Cornelis Verhaeren, Detective, Superintendent of the Netherlands National Police (retired), International Expert of the EU Project Pravo-Justice, Expert on Law Enforcement of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs. With more than 40 years of police career, Mr. Verhaeren specialized in combating international organized crime and terrorism. He acted at diplomatic, strategic, and leading operational levels. Mr. Verhaeren participated in several international missions in countries in the aftermath of a war, as Director of Investigations at the UN International Tribunal for Rwanda, as Deputy head of the Witness protection Department of the EULEX mission in Kosovo, and as Head of the EU Field Office in Garowe, Somalia. Mr. Verhaeren also acted as hostage negotiator in international politics motivated hostage takings.



Oleksiy Salnikov, Head of the State Judicial Administration of Ukraine, Lawyer, Master of Civil Service, Postgraduate of the Institute of Public Administration of the Black Sea National University named after Petro Mohyla. Mr. Salnikov has 12 years of managerial experience in production and in the field of public service. Since 2019, Mr. Salnikov has been working in the judicial system of Ukraine.



Pavlo Tryasun, Deputy Head of the Court Security Service, colonel of the Court Security Service, candidate of legal sciences. He has 30 years of experience in law enforcement agencies of Ukraine in the field of public security. Mr. Tryasun has been working in the justice system since 2019 with a focus on the personal safety of judges and coordination of emergency response units during court hearings. In 2014 since the beginning of Russia's armed aggression against Ukraine, he participated in the anti-terrorist operation. Mr. Tryasun participates in the preparation of methodical and educational materials at the Department of National Security of the Interregional Academy of Personnel Management of Ukraine.



Serhiy Chornutskyi, Deputy Head of the State Judicial Administration of Ukraine, Master's degree in social development management. Mr. Chornutskyi has held managerial positions since 2005. He has been working in the judicial system since 2017.



Serhiy Suchenko, Legal Advisor with the USAID Justice for All Activity in Ukraine, judicial administration specialist with 20 years of increasingly complex legal professional experience, providing technical assistance for governance, policy development and court IT to Ukraine's judiciary.



Timothy Dibble, Vice President of Justice Management Institute (Arlington, Virginia) with extensive experience consulting governments and courts on matters of operations, technology, and facilities, as well as leadership, organizational management, budget, and resources, and case flow management. Mr. Dibble has worked on projects funded by and for the USAID, Bureau of Justice Assistance, State Justice Institute, National Judicial College, National Association for Court Management (NACM), and numerous state and local governments and agencies. His international work has included technical assistance projects in Hong Kong, Abu Dhabi, Libya, Ukraine, Moldova, Myanmar, and Sri Lanka. Mr. Dibble is also member of the NACM, IACA and has been on the steering committee of the Forum on the Advancement of Court Technology.



Valerii Bakal, Senior National Expert, E-Justice Component of the EU Project Pravo-Justice. Until January 2020, he worked as Deputy Chairman of the State Agency for e-Government of Ukraine. The Agency was directly involved in the development of key areas of e-government, such as the development of e-services, the national informatization program, open data, document management and digital transformation.

Moderator



Luis María Palma, President of IACA, Lawyer, PhD in Political Science, PhD in Sociology, Doctorate and Post PhD in Law, Post PhD in Fundamental Principles and Human Rights. For over two decades he worked in judicial modernization projects funded by UNDP, USAID, NCSC, IADB and EU. He ran the National Direction of Judicial Modernization of the Ministry of Justice of Argentina and served honorarily as General Coordinator of the National Judicial Management Commission of the Supreme Court of Justice of Argentina.