



Seminar: Strategies and action plans on racism, violence against women, gender equality and migration: Their intersections and how they concern and influence migrant women

Holiday Inn Hotel, Nicosia - 22 March 2015

Draft agenda

PART I

Welcome Opening

10:00 – 10:30

Reception

10:30 – 10:40

Welcome by Ms Anthoula Papadopoulou,
Chairperson of the Steering Committee of KISA

10:40 – 10:55

Keynote speech by Ms Zelia Gregoriou,
Title of the speech: (tbs with speaker)

PART II

Panel discussion: Strategies and action plans in combating racism & violence against women, in promoting gender equality and equal Labour rights - their effectiveness and significance to the needs and interest of migrant women

11:00 – 11:15

Ms Argentoula Ioannou, Chairwoman of the Gender Equality Committee in Employment and Vocational Training
Title of the speech: (tbs with speaker)

11:15 – 11:30

Mr Giorgos Kakotas, Officer in the office of the Commissioner for Administration and Human Rights (Ombudswoman),
Title of the speech: (tbs with speaker)

11:30 – 11:45

Ms Iosifina Antoniou, Commissioner for Gender Equality
Title of the speech: (tbs with speaker)

11:45 – 12:00

Ms Nicoletta Charalambidou, KISA Legal Expert
Title of the speech: (tbs with speaker)

12:00 – 12:50

Discussion

12:50 – 13:00

Introduction to the afternoon workshops (coordinators/rapporteurs)

13:00 – 14:20

Lunch

PART II

Workshops: Working groups to discuss, with the active participation of migrant women, the relevance of the above strategies and actions to migrant women and formulation of recommendations for their amendment in order to meet their own needs

14:20 – 15:30

Workshop1: Racism & discrimination
Workshop2: Violence
Workshop3: Equality
Workshop4: Working & social rights

PART III

Reporting from the workshops & Closing of the seminar

15:30 – 16:15

Reporting from the workshops

16:15 – 16:30

Comments & remarks on the workshop reports

16:30

Closing remarks

Working language English.