



## CROATIAN EMN NCP CONFERENCE

### MARKING WORLD REFUGEE DAY

„Women in migration“

Zagreb, 23 June 2022

#### AGENDA

EMN NCP Croatia and the Ministry of the Interior of the Republic of Croatia organizes on 23 June in Zagreb the EMN Croatia Conference marking World Refugee Day, dedicated to women in migration.

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| Date: Thursday, 23 June 2022  |   |
| Time: 10:00 – 15:00   |   |
| Place: Dubrovnik Hotel (Ban Jelačić conference hall), Zagreb, Croatia and <a href="#">ONLINE (click to access the conference)</a> |   |
| Language: English and Croatian (simultaneous translation will be provided)  |   |
| Moderator: Mrs Marina Mandić, Ministry of the Interior Croatia  |   |
| <b>10 days before</b>   | Registration  |
| <b>9:15 – 10:00</b>   | Welcome coffee and technical check  |
| <b>10:00 – 10:15</b>  | <b>Welcoming remarks</b><br><b>Ivana Perlić Glamočak</b> , coordinator, EMN NCP Croatia<br><b>Introduction</b><br><b>Žarko Katić</b> , State Secretary, Ministry of the Interior Croatia  |
| <b>10:15 – 11:20</b>  | <b>Panel I: Women on the move - Migrant women in the EU</b><br><br>In most European countries, the female share of migrants remains consistently high. What do we know about these women on the move? Women migrate to Europe for a variety of reasons and over half of all migrants in the OECD and EU countries are women. The role of migrant woman is paramount when talking about integration– not only of their own but also of their family members’ integration. Recent events in Ukraine have prompted even more debate on the integration of migrant women. More than six million Ukrainians have left their country since the start of the war on 24 February, the majority of these refugees are women and children.<br><br>To dismantle barriers that migrant woman are faced with, prominent women who participate in the creation of migration policies in both Croatia and the European Union, are invited to discuss about |

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|                    | <p>empowering women in migration and their inclusion into society.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Bahrija Sejfić</b>, deputy director, Office for Human Rights and Rights of National Minorities of the Government of Croatia</li> <li>• <b>Simona Ardovino</b>, Migration Management Response Unit, DG HOME, European Commission</li> <li>• <b>Karolina Marcjanik</b>, Head of Training and Learning Management Unit, EUAA</li> <li>• <b>Anna Rich</b>, UNHCR Representative in Croatia</li> <li>• <b>Suzana Borko</b>, Deputy Director, Caritas Croatia</li> </ul> <p><b>Q&amp;A</b></p>   |
| <b>11:20-11:30</b> | Coffee break  |
| <b>11:30-13:00</b> | <p><b>Panel II: Focus on integration of migrant women; EU framework and Member States national policies and strategies</b></p> <p>The second panel discussion would focus on the implementation of the EU Action Plan on Integration and Inclusion 2021-2027, since almost more than 18 months have passed since its adoption, in the context of the position of women in migration, with special emphasis on the use of EU funds.</p> <p>Furthermore, the main conclusions of the EMN Study on the Integration of Migrant Women in the EU: Policies and Measures, would be presented and an insight into the state of integration of migrant women into the EU would be provided.</p> <p>Representatives of other MS that have specific integration programs aimed exclusively at migrant women would be invited to share their good practices and lessons learnt.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Implementation of the EU Action Plan for Integration and Inclusion 2021-2027 and EMN study Integration of migrant women in EU: Policies and measures - Magnus Ovilius</b>, Head of Sector Forecasting, Preparedness and Policy Monitoring, Chair of the EMN, DG HOME, European Commission</li> <li>• <b>AT- Marianne Höhl</b>, head of Integration Coordination of the Federal Chancellery of Austria <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>“Nachbarinnen in Wien” project-Ayten Pacariz</b>, (operational manager) and <b>Asha Osman</b> (social assistant for families)</li> </ul> </li> <li>• <b>DE – “Strong in the Workplace” project-Christine Mühlbach</b> (head of section, German Ministry for Family Affairs, Senior Citizens, Women and Youth)</li> <li>• <b>CY – “Limassol:one city; the whole world” project, Simoni Papakosta</b>, Limassol Municipality</li> </ul> |

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|                    | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Osijek City</b></li> </ul> <p><b>Q&amp;A</b></p>   |
| <b>13:00-14:00</b> | Lunch break  |
| <b>14:00-14:50</b> | <p><b>Panel III: Who are the women on the move? An experience of migrant women in Croatia</b></p> <p>The third panel would involve beneficiaries of temporary and international protection in the Republic of Croatia, but also third-country nationals residing in the Republic of Croatia based on national or EU legislation in the field of legal migration. The aim of the panel is to provide an opportunity for migrant women in the Republic of Croatia to acquaint the public with the experiences, challenges they face, expectations they have and suggestions of needs and activities that would enable more successful and equal inclusion in Croatian society.</p> <p><b>Q&amp;A</b></p> |
| <b>14:50-15:00</b> | <p><b>Closing remarks</b></p> <p><b>Ivan Vidiš</b>, State Secretary, Ministry of Labour, Pension System, Family and Social Policy</p>  |