Foreign Nationals in Prison & Probation Workshop
Tuesday 9th and Wednesday 10th October 2018

Venue: Vaillant Theater, Hobbemastraat 120, The Hague, Netherlands

Programme

Tuesday 9th October

08.30-09.00 Registration

Chair: Kirsten Hawlitschek
Executive Director EuroPris

09.00-09.15 Opening
Carsten Herstel, Director Sanctions and Youth Department; Deputy Director General, Ministry of Justice and Security, Netherlands

09.15-09.30 Imprisoned abroad
The experiences of a Dutch citizen

09.30-10.15 Foreign offenders in Europe - what do statistics tell us?
Prof. Marcelo F. Aebi, School of Criminal Sciences, University of Lausanne, Switzerland
Natalia Delgrande, School of Criminal Sciences, University of Lausanne, Switzerland

10.15-10.45 Foreign offenders in Austria, a Prison and Probation perspective
Dr. Caroline Wasler, University of Vienna & Austrian Ministry of Justice, Austria

10.45 -11.15 Coffee break

11.15 -12.30 Preparation for prison transfer under Framework Decision 909, ‘What can prisons do’?
Katja Dogovic, Prison and Probation Service, Finland

EU Framework Decision 947, Transfer of community sanctions - theory into practice
Gisella Conrad, Foreign Office of the Dutch Probation Service, Netherlands

12.30-13.30 Lunch
Panel discussion on Foreign Nationals in prison and probation

**Introduction and Moderation**
Gerhard Ploeg, Directorate of Norwegian Correctional Service, FNPP Expert Group member, ‘The Norwegian situation’

**Situation in European countries**
Virginie Nouaille, French Prison and Probation Service
Dr. Caroline Wasler, University of Vienna & Austrian Ministry of Justice
Riccardo Turrini Vita, Italian Ministry of Justice

Discussion with participants

15.00-15.30 Coffee break

15.30-16.00 Approaches to the international resettlement of foreign prisoners and anti-trafficking work of a non-governmental organisation
Adrienne Darragh, Chief Executive, Hibiscus Initiatives, UK

16.00 -17.30 World Café (4 x 20 minute rounds)

**Topics:** Provide good practice examples for:
1. Good prison regimes for foreign prisoners
2. Good resettlement practice for foreign prisoners
3. Education, employment and training for foreign prisoners
4. Developing Practice with foreign offenders and community sanctions
5. Communication possibilities (Skype, telephone, interpreters, information sheets)

17.30 Closing

18.00 Reception
Wednesday 10th October

Chair: Willem van der Brugge
Secretary General CEP

09.00-09.30  **Summarizing World Café session**
One presenter per topic, max 5 minutes each

09.30-10.00  **Foreign National Prisoners’ participation in prison: Research Insights from Flanders, Belgium**
Dorien Brosens and Flore Croux, Vrije Universiteit Brussel, Belgium

10.00-10.30  **‘National policy into local practise, foreign prisoners’, The Netherlands**
Tijs Bagchus, Dutch Custodial Institutions Agency, Netherlands
Femke Hofstee-van der Meulen, Dutch Custodial Institutions Agency, Netherlands

10.30-11.00  **Coffee break**

11.00-12.30  **Panel on International Resettlement practices**

  **Introduction and Moderation**
Marjolein Groot, Dutch Probation Service’s International Office, Netherlands

  **Reintegration in the country of origin programme, Switzerland**
Michele Demierre, International Social Services, Program Officer, Switzerland
Ibra Mbaye, Probation and Reintegration Service, Switzerland

  **Re-establishing family links for foreign nationals in prison detention**
Elisa Querci, International Committee of the Red Cross, France

  **Safe Way Home Project, Norway**
Captain Yuri Zelentsov, Salvation Army, Norway

12.30-12.45  **Good practice manual & E-learning module**
Nick Hammond & Isabelle Storme, EuroPris/CEP FNPP Expert Group

12.45-13.00  **Evaluation**

13.00  **Closing**

13.15-14.00  **Lunch**