



ASYLUM AND MIGRATION POLICY EVENT 2019 10 December 2019 Résidence Palace, 155 Rue de la Loi, 1040 Brussels

Translation: EN - NL - FR Moderator: Koen Dewulf -Director a.i. Myria

Programme

9:00: Registration and coffee/tea/pastries

9:20 - 9:30: Welcome speech - Philippe Rosseel, Director International Relations, Ministry of Interior

OPENING SESSION

9:30 – 10:00 : **Keynote speech** – *Jean-Louis De Brouwer, Director of the European Affairs Programme, Egmont* Institute

SESSION ON INTERNATIONAL PROTECTION AND RECEPTION

10:00 - 10:25: Belgian figures & trends - Peter Van Costenoble and Martine Hendrickx, EMN Belgium

10:25 - 10:45 Operational support to Member States and ad hoc disembarkations - Ward Lutin, Head of Department of Operations, European Asylum Support Office (EASO)

10:45 – 11:05: Reflections on the future of Dublin and CEAS - *Minos Mouzourakis, Head of Legal and Policy Research a.i., European Council on Refugees and Exiles (ECRE)*

11:05 - 10:10: Beneficiaries of international protection travelling back to the country of origin (EMN comparative study)

- 11:05 11:30 : Video, legal framework and practices in Belgium Ina Vandenberghe, EMN Belgium
- 11: 30 11:50: Legal framework and practices in Germany Janne Grote, EMN Germany

11:50 - 12:15: Questions & Answers





12:15 – 13:15: Lunch

13:15 - 13:30: Asylum and Migration Quiz

SESSION ON LEGAL MIGRATION AND INTEGRATION

13:30 - 13:45: Figures and trends – Jessy Carton, EMN Belgium

13:45 – 14:10: Developments in the field of economic migration in Belgium: comparative overview of new policies in the regions and challenges – *Jo Antoons, Attorney and Managing Partner of Fragomen's Brussels office*

14:10 - 14:30: Pathways to citizenship in Belgium (EMN Study) – Prof. Patrick Wautelet, University of Liège

14:30-14:45 Questions & Answers

SESSION ON IRREGULAR MIGRATION AND RETURN

14:50 - 15:10: Figures, trends and EMN REG and outputs – David Vogel, EMN Belgium

15:10 – 15:35: Migrants in transit on their way to the UK – Federal Migration Centre (Myria)

15:35 – 16:15: The nexus between migration, return and development

- 15:35 15:55: European Commission (tbc)
- 15:55 16:15: Raffaella Greco Tonegutti , Migration and Development Expert, Belgian Development Agency (Enabel)

16:15-16:30 Questions & Answers

16:30-16:40 : Closing Words

16:40: Drink

This event is funded by the European Union's Asylum, Migration and Integration Fund

