IJJO DAY BY DAY

30/11/2015
LATIN AMERICA

A Colombian delegation visits Chile, Northern Ireland and Spain to exchange experiences on Public Security institutions

OIJJ

Within the framework of the EUROsociAL II Programme, the International Juvenile Justice Observatory (IJJO) gives technical assistance to the Colombian delegation for Public Security from the National Planning Department. As part of this assistance, the IJJO coordinated a group of study visits for the delegation to institutions with expertise in Security and Violence Prevention in Chile, Northern Ireland and Spain during the months of August and October. Following these visits and as a result of them, an analytical document will be produced on the successful experiences in the creation of Institutional Designs for Post-Conflict Security. [+]

27/11/2015
EUROPE

First meeting of the IJJO led project ‘Improving Juvenile Justice Systems in Europe’

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The first steering committee meeting for the project ‘Improving Juvenile Justice Systems in Europe: Training for Professionals’ was held in Brussels, Belgium, on the 7th and 8th of October. The International Juvenile Justice Observatory leads this project, co-funded by the Fundamental Rights and Citizenship Programme of the European Union. During the meeting, experts in juvenile justice discussed the project’s scope and associated training materials. [+]

20/11/2015
LATIN AMERICA

Presentation of the Public Policy on Restorative Juvenile Justice of Costa Rica and production of the operational guide for its implementation

OIJJ

On the 30th of September, 2015, the Ministry of Justice and Peace and the Judiciary of Costa Rica officially presented the Public Policy on Restorative Juvenile Justice in the Supreme Court of Justice. The policy is an outcome of the EUROsociAL II programme, financed by the European Union, which encourages the exchange of experiences and good practices between Europe and Latin America with regards to public policies. The International Juvenile Justice Observatory (IJJO) is an operational partner of this project and is a co-author of this policy document, which was created with the participation of various Costa Rican institutions. [+]

IJJO DAY BY DAY

27/11/2015
EUROPE

Ireland makes corporal punishment of children illegal

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Ireland has become the 47th country worldwide and the twentieth EU state to successfully ban corporal punishment of children in all circumstances, including the home. On Wednesday November 11th, the parliament adopted legislation in this regard, thus removing the defence of “reasonable chastisement” from Irish law, effectively banning parents from physically punishing their sons and daughters. [+]

20/11/2015
INTERNATIONAL

Universal Children’s Day 2015

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November 20th is the Universal Children’s Day. On this day we acknowledge the importance of safeguarding and promoting the rights and welfare of children. The day marks the anniversary of the Convention on the Rights of the Child, adopted on this date in 1989, as well as that of the Declaration of the Rights of the Child, in 1959. [+]

13/11/2015
EUROPE

France says “No to Bullying”

OIJJ

Every year, 700,000 French children are bullied at school. In an effort to combat this and raise awareness, Najat Vallaud-Belkacem, France’s Minister of Education, declared the 5th of November 2015, the first national “No to Bullying” (Non au harcèlement scolaire) day. [+]

LEGISLATIVE FILE

PARAGUAY

The aim of the legislative file is to provide IJJO Users with access to national legislation on minors in an ordered and organised way, including all laws in force, partial reforms and other laws regarding the protection of the rights of the child. [+]

IJJO INTERVIEWS

INDIA

Enakshi Ganguly Thukral, Co-Director of HAQ: Centre for Child Rights

RESEARCH AND THESIS

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Survey: alternatives to detention for children

Please find below a link to a short survey to measure your interest in and views on a short online course on alternatives to detention for children being developed by the Child Law Clinic at the School of Law, University College Cork, in ...