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## IJJO DAY BY DAY



25/07/2014

**INTERNATIONAL**

**Regional Seminar on Crime Prevention: "Towards effectiveness in citizen security public policies in Latin America: multisectoral focus and evidence-based policies"**

OIJJ

The Regional Seminar on Crime Prevention took place on the 8th and 9th of July in the Guatemalan city of Antigua Guatemala, with the aim of promoting collaboration and exchange processes at a regional level and with the European Union, and in order to present the Protocolo Regional de Política Integral en Prevención de la Violencia y el Delito (Comprehensive Policy Regional Protocol on the Prevention of Violence and Crime) to more than 16 Latin American government representatives and 5 multilateral organisations in the Latin America region. [\[+\]](#)



18/07/2014

**INTERNATIONAL**

**The IJJO participates in the Expert Consultation for the Global Study on Children Deprived of Liberty**

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In light of the Call for a Global Study on Children Deprived of Liberty (<http://childrendeprivedofliberty.info/>), which was officially launched in March of this year, a more technical discussion took place on 13 June 2014 in the Palais des Nations in Geneva. [\[+\]](#)



11/07/2014

**EUROPEAN UNION**

**The IJJO Publishes the Final Report of the NET FOR U Project**

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Over the last two years, the IJJO has been engaged in the development of 'NET FOR U - Needs Tackling and Networks for Unaccompanied Children Integration'. The project, which focused on the analysis of issues and best practices in work with Unaccompanied Children in the different EU contexts, came to an end with the publication of its conclusive report. [\[+\]](#)

## JUVENILE JUSTICE IN THE WORLD



25/07/2014

**INTERNATIONAL**

**Violence against women and children becomes a public health issue**

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Interpersonal violence is a widespread phenomenon throughout the world and kills almost 1.4 million people each year, in addition to being the cause of significant levels of both personal and social damage, as shown by the World Report on Violence and Health (WHO, 2002). Indeed, aside from generating physical and psychological suffering, violence weighs upon national economies, in healthcare and law enforcement spending, as well as lost productivity. That is why the World Health Assembly (WHA) seized upon this issue to enforce the role of health systems in addressing violence. [\[+\]](#)



18/07/2014

**EUROPEAN UNION**

**The Internet and the threat of children's rights: a growing concern in the EU**

OIJJ

The internet can be a wonderful tool for education, communication and creativity, but, as a worldwide open public space, it also threatens many children's rights: violation of their privacy, contact with illegal or harmful content, bullying from other children, contact with ill-intentioned people, etc. In April 2014, the Council of Europe Commissioner for Human Rights, Nils Mužnieks, published a comment about the threat the internet represents for children, the tools that exist to protect them and the actions that should be considered to ensure their rights in the digital world. [\[+\]](#)



10/07/2014

**INTERNATIONAL**

**When Children Become Instruments of War: A Need for Mobilisation in the International Community**

OIJJ

The kidnapping of three Israeli teenagers and the subsequent discovery of their murder is the latest incident to have provoked a unanimous international outcry against the exploitation of the most vulnerable members of society as instruments of war. A common practice, unfortunately, in armed conflicts in numerous parts of the world. [\[+\]](#)

## LEGISLATIVE FILE



**URUGUAY**

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

**MEXICO**



**María de los Dolores Aguilar Marmolejo Director of Inter-American Children's Institute. Mexico**



In this interview, Mrs. María de los Dolores Aguilar highlights the influence that the IIN has had in the elaboration of laws in the American Continent. She mentions that the IIN is constantly encouraging the governments to incorporate children's participation in their policies, through the Pan-American Forum of Children. In addition, Mrs. Aguilar emphasises that the promotion of children's rights is the main spot of attention for the proposals supported by the IIN. She also refers to the part of women in society and specifically girls' participation, basic aspect of the promotion of Human Rights and a representative governance. At the same time, she reminds that the institution has drawn up as an objective the promotion of non-custodial sanctions. To conclude, Mrs. Aguilar also mentions the assistance and integral protection of young children and the importance of making a concerted effort, since most of the countries involved in the IIN have high birth rates. [\[+\]](#)

## RESEARCH AND THESIS

**INTERNATIONAL**

**RESEARCH AND THESIS**

According to our main activities and objectives, the International Juvenile Justice Observatory wants to give the opportunity to researchers and PHD Students to have access to our international communication platform.

**SEND THESIS / RESEARCH**

To publish on our web site your thesis, research papers regarding juvenile justice and the situation of minors in conflict with the law, please press the following link. [\[+\]](#)

## COLLABORATION FORUM

**AYUDA INTERNACIONAL**

El Centro Juvenil de Diagnóstico y Rehabilitación de Pucallpa, es un organo desconcentrado de la Gerencia sde Centros Juveniles del Poder Judicial y que tiene como mision rehabilitar y reincertar en la sociedad adolescentes infractores a la Ley ...

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## JOB & INTERNSHIP DATABASE

The Job and Internship Database contains information on the latest job and internship offers sent by organisations working in juvenile justice; our purpose is to facilitate the gathering of people and organizations that are involved in the juvenile justice field.

The Job and Internship Database offers a virtual space to organizations involved in juvenile justice, where they can publish their job and internship offers. If your organization wishes to publish a job offer, please click on the following link and complete the document.

**SEE THE JOB OFFERS**

**SEND JOB OFFERS**

## PRESS ROOM

**Tanzania: Katiba Assembly Members Push for Children's Rights**

[Tanzania](#)

**Comisión Departamental "No a la baja de la edad de imputabilidad" sigue con barriadas informativas**

[South America](#)

**Guzmán Ifrán: "La rehabilitación de los jóvenes infractores es el camino"**

[Uruguay](#)

**Kasai-Occidental : sensible augmentation du taux de criminalité chez les enfants**

[Congo \(DRC\)](#)

**Teenagers who 'sext' each other could land themselves on sex offenders' register**

[United Kingdom](#)

**Crean sistema penal para menores**

[Bolivia](#)

**Pobreza infantil y democracia en crisis**

[Spain](#)

**Prévention de la délinquance : les nouvelles règles sur l'échange d'informations**

[France](#)

## LINKS

[JUSTICIA European Rights Network](#)  
[European Union](#)

## DOCUMENTATION CENTER

**Child-friendly juvenile justice: from rhetoric to reality**

[European Union](#)

**From Conversation to Collaboration: How Child Welfare and Juvenile Justice Agencies Can Work Together to Improve Outcomes for Dual Status Youth**

[United States](#)

**What Works in the Criminal Justice System (And What Doesn't): A 2000-11 Update on Policing, Courts, and Corrections**

[Latin America](#)

**Secretary General's Report on Children and Armed Conflict**

[International](#)

**Inequality and Social Inclusion in the Americas: 43 Essays**

[Latin America](#)

**Asylum seekers, refugees and human rights - Snapshot Report 2013**

[Australia](#)

## EDITORIAL NEWS

**Inequality and Social Inclusion in the Americas: 43 Essays**

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## AGENDA

### AUGUST 2014

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**World Congress International Society of Criminology "Gangs, Trafficking and Insecurity: Empowering the community"**

[Mexico](#)

### SEPTEMBER 2014

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**7th Child in the City Conference**

[Denmark](#)

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**Final EU Conference Mentoring Excluded Groups and Networks (MEGAN) Project**

[Belgium](#)

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**Master interdisciplinaire en droits de l'enfant (MIDE) « L'enfance d'un nouveau contrat social »**

[Switzerland](#)

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**14th Annual Conference of the European Society of Criminology**

[Czech Republic](#)

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**Criminal Policies in Sexual Violence: From Research to Legislation and Treatment**

[Portugal](#)

## ORGANIZATIONS

[International Development Research Centre](#)

[Interpeace](#)

[International Organization for Victim Assistance](#)