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6th IJJO International Conference Updates

PROGRAMME

The programme continues being finalised with more sessions, workshops and speakers being added. [See the latest update.](#)

SPEAKERS

Several new experts have been confirmed, adding to those already found in [the Speakers section of our website](#). Here are some of them:

Bernard De Vos, General Delegate for Children's Rights, Fédération Wallonie-Bruxelles, Belgique

Barry Goldson, Charles Booth Chair of Social Science, Department of Sociology, Social Policy and Criminology, School of Law and Social Justice The University of Liverpool, UK

Regína Jensdóttir, Head of Unit on Children's Rights, Council of Europe

Henri Malosse, President of the European Economic and Social Committee

Alexandra Martins, Crime Prevention Officer - Justice for Children, United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime

Catherine Sultan, Director, Judicial Youth Protection Directorate, France

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IJJO DAY BY DAY



24/10/2014

SOUTH AMERICA

The IJJO provides technical assistance to Uruguay with productive models and reinsertion into society and the world of work

OIJJ

As part of the technical assistance which the IJJO provides for the National Board for the Welfare of Prison Inmates and Released Prisoners (PNEL) of Uruguay, a 'Special Council for the transfer of knowledge and



17/10/2014

ASIA

The Southeast Asian countries section of the IJJO's Asia-Pacific Council for Juvenile Justice meets in Bangkok

OIJJ

On September 2nd and 3rd, a meeting was held in Bangkok between representatives from eight Ministries of Justice from the Association of Southeast Asian Nations (ASEAN), as part of the agenda of the IJJO's Asia-Pacific Council for Juvenile



10/10/2014

INTERNATIONAL

Second meeting of the 'JODA' project on juvenile offenders detention alternatives in Europe

OIJJ

On the 25th and 26th September 2014, the IJJO took part in the second transnational meeting of partners of the European project 'JODA' (Juvenile Offenders Detention Alternatives) which took place in Murcia, Spain. The aim of the project is to deliver

adaptation to a European model of social and workplace insertion' took place from the 22 to 26 September in Montevideo, Uruguay. The assistance was complemented by a "European exchange" to Spain for some of the Uruguayan Delegation from 6 to 10 October. This was carried out by the IJJO as part of the EUROsocial II programme. [\[+\]](#)

Justice. The meeting, organized by the IJJO and the Department of Juvenile Observation and Protection (DJOP, a subdivision of Thailand's Ministry of Justice), served to exchange knowledge and experiences, share proper practices, and propose improvements for the treatment of children in conflict with the law in their respective countries. [\[+\]](#)

knowledge and share the best practices among different European countries on alternatives to deprivation of liberty for young offenders. [\[+\]](#)

JUVENILE JUSTICE IN THE WORLD



24/10/2014

EUROPE

The National Crime Agency reported 602 potential victims of child trafficking in the UK for 2013

OIJJ

According to the Strategic Assessment of the Nature and Scale of Human Trafficking by the National Crime Agency (NCA), there were 602 cases of potential child victims of human trafficking in the UK last year, representing 22% of the total 2,744 potential victims. [\[+\]](#)



17/10/2014

INTERNATIONAL

Nobel Peace Prize 2014 celebrates Children's Rights

OIJJ

The IJJO joins in the unanimous sense of satisfaction and congratulates Malala Yousafzai and Kailash Satyarthi for winning the Nobel Peace Prize 2014 "for their struggle against the suppression of children and young people and for the right of all children to education", to quote the The Norwegian Nobel Committee's own press release. [\[+\]](#)



10/10/2014

INTERNATIONAL

October 10 - World Day against the Death Penalty

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The 'World Day against the Death Penalty', celebrated annually on the 10th of October, is a date which is commemorated internationally to raise awareness of the global significance of this type of sentence, as well as the actions and efforts necessary to eradicate it. On this day, we must remember that there are still countries where this sentence continues to be applied to crimes committed by children. [\[+\]](#)

LEGISLATIVE FILE



COSTA RICA

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

TURKEY



Gökten Koçyıldırım, Justice for Children and Child Rights Monitoring Specialist for UNICEF - Turkey



In this interview, Gökten Koçyıldırım describes the existing child protection system and the resources

devoted to the care and the best interest of the child in Turkey. He recalls the progress that has been made on those matters, but he also points out the main existing flaws in the juvenile justice system in Turkey, as well as the related challenges in the protection and justice for children, specifying the measures that UNICEF Turkey is taking in these areas. Considering the present situation in Syria, he addresses a current issue which has an impact on Turkey, namely explaining how Turkey deals with the problem of Syrian refugees, especially child refugees. As the Justice for Children and Child Rights Monitoring Specialist for UNICEF Turkey, he explains the key priorities of the 2011-2015 Country Programme Action Plan and specifies the main improvements observed since its beginning two years ago. Mr Gökten Koçyıldırım concludes that there will always be new challenges to be addressed in the fields of child protection and juvenile justice, and this why efforts should be made in the long run in those areas. [\[+\]](#)

RESEARCH AND THESIS

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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.

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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

Juvenile Justice Priorities in the Asia-Pacific Region

Issues such as the situation of children in conflict with the law, child victims and witnesses of crime have become an increasing concern for most countries in the Asia-Pacific region. Significant reform initiatives are currently underway in many ...



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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.

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Soudan du Sud : l'ONU et le gouvernement lancent une campagne pour démobiliser les enfants-soldats

Sudan

Researcher: Juvenile justice should focus on reform, not punishment

United States

10,000 young offenders may be eligible for payouts totalling millions of pounds over unlawful use of force in institutions

United Kingdom

Cuba debe rendir cuentas ante Comité de los Derechos del Niño en 2015

Cuba

La DPJEU recommande l'amélioration de la justice des mineurs pour en faire une institution de resocialisation

Cote d'Ivoire (Ivory Coast)

Maldives : la peine de mort pour les mineurs

Maldives

Cámara de Diputados aprueba Ley General de Derechos de los Niños

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Joint Declaration by the European Union High Representative for Foreign Affairs and Security Policy and the Secretary General of the Council of Europe on the European and World Day against the Death Penalty, 10 October 2014

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Social Inclusion: Preventive measures of childrens antisocial behavior

Latvia

The Nature and Scale of Human Trafficking in 2013

United Kingdom

2013 Recommendations to the President, Congress, and OJJDP Administrator

United States

State Trends 2013-2014 Legislative Session

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