



2nd WORKSHOP on
**Immigrant Integration in Italy:
Policies, Practices and Actors**
Immigration Mediterranean Network (iMnet)

Friday 22 March 2013, 09:00 - 17:00

Venue: Centro Convegni "PALESTRO"
Via Palestro, 24, Roma,

PROGRAMME

9:00 Registration and Coffee

9:30-10:00 Welcome

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Session I: Immigrant Integration Policies: Innovative Policies and Practices in Italy

Chair person: ***Apostolos G. Papadopoulos***
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Theme 1: Economic integration: Responding to the Challenges of Migrants' Employment

10:00 -10:50 ***Corrado Bonifazi***
Research Director Institute for Research on Population & Social Policies, National research Council (IRPPS-CNR)

Natale Forlani

Director General, Immigration Section Ministry of Labour, Health and Social Policy

Alessandro Baldo

Soleterre ONLUS



Federica Suardi

Christian Associations of Italian Workers (ACLI Colf)

10:50 -11:00 Discussion

11:00 -11:15 Coffee break

Theme 2: Civic and Political integration: Migrants' Participation and Representation in Italy

11:15 -12:05 **Proff. Fabio Baggio**

Scalabrini International Migration Institute (SIMI)

Antonio Ricci

Statistical Dossier on Immigration, Caritas

Gabriella Sanna

Intercultural Service, Municipal Library of Rome

Milagros Loyola

Member of the Council for Social Integration of foreign citizens, Municipality of Rome,

12:05 -12:15 Discussion

Theme 3: The role of the media in migrant integration

12:15-12:50 **Viorica Nechifor**

President of National Association of Intercultural Press (ANSI)

Darien Levani

Journalist and writer

Irida Cami

Journalist "Top Channel"

12:50 -13:00 Discussion

13:00-14:00 Lunch break

14:00 – 14:50 **Documentary film: "18 Ius Soli" by Fred Kuwornu**

14:50 -15:00 Discussion

Session II: The Italian Integration Model from a civil society perspective

Chairperson: **Panos Hatziprokopiou,**

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15:00 - 15:50 **Anila Husha**

Vicepresident, Italo-Albanian Association "Occhio Blu – Anna Cenerini Bova"

Lidia Obando

Association of Women from Nicaragua

Edmond Godo



Representative of the Albanian community in the City of Rome

Luci Zuvela

Association LIPA

Myriam Fuentes

Association "I Nostri Diritti" (No.Di.)

15:50 – 16:00 Discussion

16:00-16:30 Concluding Remarks

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The workshop will be held in English and Italian with interpretation service

The Workshop is organized in the framework of the project entitled: “**Developing a cooperation network to link representatives of Mediterranean Member States facing similar challenges as Greece in respect to the integration of third country nationals**” (Project 4.1a./2011) financed through the European Integration Fund by EU funds (75%) and national funds (25%). Annual Programme 2011, Priority 4: “Exchange experience, good practice and information on integration between the member states”, Action 4.1/11: “Building Cooperation Networks in the field of migration and integration”.

For more information visit the website

<http://www.immnet.eu>

