

## **Framework Convention for the Protection of National Minorities: Taking Stock after 20 Years**

Frankfurt, 13-14 March 2018

Goethe University Frankfurt, Eisenhower-Saal (Main Building, Campus Westend)

### **Tuesday, 13 March 2018**

14.00 **Welcome and Opening** (Rainer Hofmann)

14.15 **Panel I: Creating the Conditions for Human Dignity** (Chair: Tove H. Malloy)

**Speakers:** Stéphanie Marsal (Art. 3: Self-identification), Elisabeth Sándor-Szalay (Art. 4: Non-discrimination), Doris Angst (Art. 6: Dialogue and Tolerance), Alan Phillips (Arts. 15 and 16: Participation and Inclusion)

**Discussant:** Detlev Rein

16.00 **Coffee Break**

16.30 **Panel II: Protecting Identity** (Chair: Detlev Rein)

**Speakers:** Petra Roter (Art. 5: Culture), Mahulena Hofmann (Art. 9: Media Rights), Athanasia Spiliopoulou Åkermark (Arts. 12 and 13: Education), Brigitta Busch (Art. 14: Education in and of Minority Languages)

**Discussant:** Boriss Čilevics

19.00 **Presentation of FCNM Commentary**

Introduction: Lindy Melman and Rainer Hofmann, Tove H. Malloy and Detlev Rein

19.45 **Buffet**

**Wednesday, 14 March 2018**

**09.00 Panel III: Managing Diverse Societies** (Chair: Rainer Hofmann)

**Speakers:** Ljubica Đorđević-Vidojković (Art. 4: Access to Justice), Anna Fontaine (Arts. 7 and 8: Political and Religious Rights); Francesco Palermo (Arts. 10 and 11: Language Rights in the Public Domain); Emma Lantschner (Arts. 17 and 18: Bilateralism and *Kin-States*)

**Discussant:** Craig Oliphant

**10.45 Coffee Break**

**11.15 Panel IV: External Insiders and their Views on the Future of the FCNM** (Chair: Petra Roter)

**Speakers:** Jens A. Christiansen, Antti Korkeakivi, Gösta Toft and Henrik Villadsen

**Comments:** Marco Leidekker

**13.00 Concluding Remarks** (Rainer Hofmann, Tove H. Malloy and Detlev Rein)