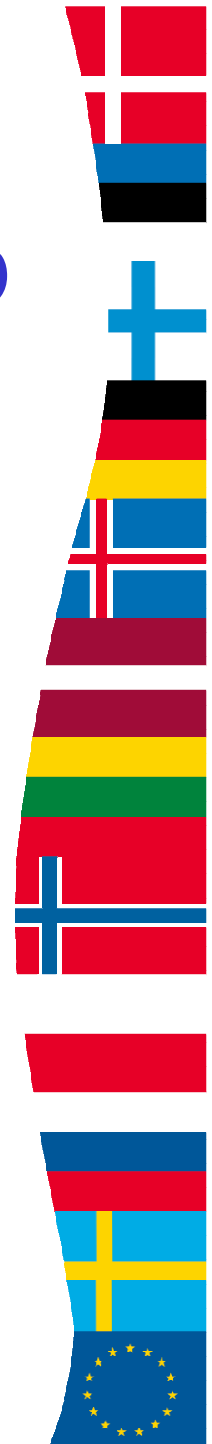


Baltic Sea Region Information Management to Prevent Trafficking

Expert seminar 1: Information on Child
Sexual Exploitation valuable to include in
information management regarding
trafficking of children

Vilnius, 24th and 25th of March 2010

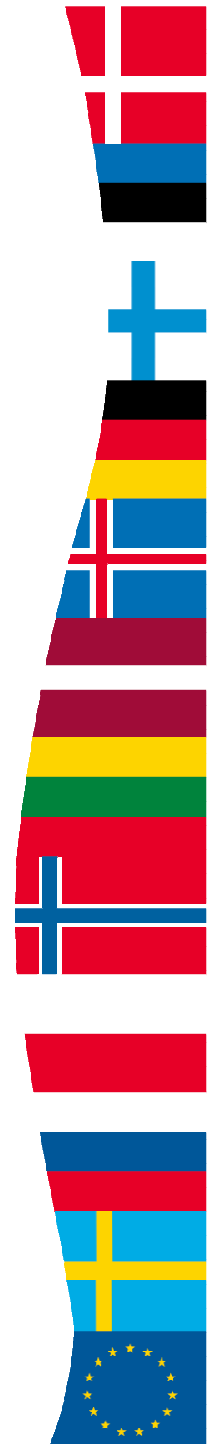


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Why BSR IMPT

- Few identified cases of children victim of trafficking in the member countries
- Professionals working with children often express concern that the difficulties they encounter are not considered
- We need more knowledge from the pool of children that are exploited and that are in migration, not just from the identified cases



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Partners in the project

- Expert Group for Cooperation on Children at Risk - EGCC
- Caritas Lithuania
- Save the Children Denmark
- Tartu Child Support Centre, Estonia



Project aim

- Map existing information structures re child trafficking
- Look at how the information is managed
- Identify important information currently not accessed by those collecting information on trafficking
- Describe ways in which this "side information" can be used



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The projects aims to

- contribute to an increase of available information re child trafficking
- strengthen the national multidisciplinary networks preventing child trafficking
- contribute to the establishment of permanent channels of information-sharing on child trafficking within and between the countries involved



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Activities in the project

- Three expert seminars:
 - 1) Young people in prostitution and other forms of child sexual exploitation. Vilnius, 24th to 25th of March.
 - 2) Unaccompanied asylum seeking children. Copenhagen, 17th to 18th of June.
 - 3) Child labour and children committing crimes in a foreign country. Tallinn, early September.

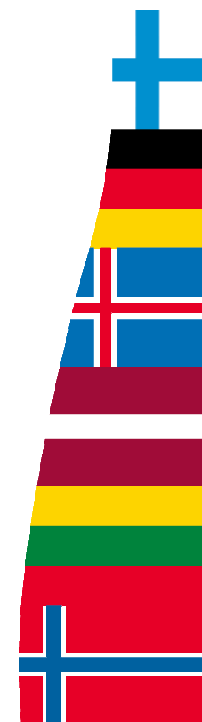


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Consultant

- Ms Annemette Danielsen will do interviews in the capitals of the CBSS member states.
- The consultant will participate in the expert meetings.
- She will interview participants identifying with their help information bearers in the member states.



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Outputs from the project

- Brief reports from each expert seminar
- A final report with description of existing information management and possible ways of improving this.



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Expert seminars

- Informal presentations and open discussions
- At the expert seminars, participants re-present themselves, not their organisations
- Even though the aim is to link information to trafficking, the experiences presented need not be linked to the topic
- Case vignettes are welcomed



Housekeeping rules

- Coffees and lunches are served in the hotel.
- Dinner tonight will be served at the restaurant
- We will meet in the lobby at 7 to walk to the restaurant (or we will all take taxis for the restaurant)

