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Implementation of the Council of Europe Instruments and Standards in the Field of Media and Information

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in cooperation with the Council of Europe

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Programme

08:45 – 09:15 Registration of the participants, welcome coffee

Co-Moderation: Ms Ljubica Gojgic, Radio Television of Vojvodina and Ms Maja Zaric, Ministry of Culture and Media of the Republic of Serbia (Sessions I and II)

Mr Zoran Stanojevic, Radio Television of Serbia and Ms Maja Zaric (Sessions III, IV, V and VI)

English - Serbian translation is provided

09:15 – 09:45 Opening of the conference

Welcome address:

Mr. Aleksandar Gajovic, State Secretary, Ministry of Culture and Media of the Republic of Serbia

Ms. Irina Sahakyan Vetter, Deputy Head of the Council of Europe Office in Belgrade

Mr. Nicolas Faye, Deputy Head of Mission, Embassy of France to Serbia

09:45 – 10.00 – Short pause for the family photo

10:00 – 11:00 Session I: **Freedom of Expression**

H.E. Mr Thomas Schneider (Switzerland, Swiss Federal Office of Communications)

The role of the CoE in the multistakeholder governance ecosystem for the digital era – in Europe and beyond

Ms Joanna Chansel (France, Affaire Public Consultants)

The Role and impact of the Steering Committee on Media and Information Society (CDMSI) work on the protection of journalism/ safety of journalists and freedom of expression

Mr. Matthias Traimer (Austria, Bundeskanzleramt)

Freedom of expression – why standard setting matters

Questions and Answers

11:00 – 11:30 Coffee Break

11:30 – 12:45 Session II: [Public Service Media](#)

Ms. Inge Welbergen (Netherlands, Ministry of Culture)
Standard-setting work in practice – Public Service Media in the Netherlands

Mr. Michael Wagner (Switzerland, EBU)
Implementation of Council of Europe Standards on Public Service Media – Challenges to face and ways forward

Ms. Elfa Ýr Gylfadóttir (Iceland, Media Commission)
The role of Regulator in the public service and public interest content

Questions and Answers

12:45 – 14:15 Lunch Break

14:15- 15:00 Session III: [Media Pluralism](#)

Mr. Patrick Penninckx, Head of Information Society Department at the Council of Europe
Video message on media pluralism in the digital environment

Ms. Elda Brogi (Italy, Centre for Media Pluralism and Freedom)
Media pluralism instruments and tools

Ms. Jelena Surculija Milojevic (Serbia, Faculty of Political Science)
Media Pluralism in a Diverse World

Questions and Answers

15:00 – 15:45 Session IV: [Community Media](#)

Ms. Nadia Bellardi – (Italy, Community Media Forum Europe)
Community media promoting local engagement across generations

Mr. Djordje Krivokapic (Serbia, Faculty of Organizational Sciences)
Community media in digital age

Questions and Answers

15:45 – 16:00 Coffee Break

16:00 – 16:45 Session V: [Gender Equality and Media](#)

Ms. Maja Zaric (Serbia, Ministry of Culture and Media of the Republic of Serbia)

Ms. Paige Morrow (UK, Article 19)
Presentation of the Study on Media, Elections and Gender

Questions and Answers

16:45 – 17:00 Closing remarks

Ms. Slavica Trifunovic, Assistant Minister for Information and Media, Ministry of Culture and Media of the Republic of Serbia

Ms. Irina Sahakyan Vetter, Deputy Head of the Council of Europe Office in Belgrade

17:00 - 17:30 Network coffee