



Anna Lindh Foundation Heads of National Networks Meeting

Cultural Diversity and Civil Society Movements

Tampere, 25-28 November 2006

Preliminary Program

Saturday, 25 November 2006
Hotel Cumulus Hämeenpuisto
Hämeenpuisto 47
33200 Tampere
www.cumulus.fi/hotelli.cfm?id=cumuhp&switch=1

Afternoon: Arrival of participants to Tampere

Kuninkaankatu 1

http://www.tampere.fi/english/

INTERNAL MEETING OF THE ALF AND ITS NATIONAL NETWORKS

17:00	Closed HoNN Meeting (Heads or their representatives only) Hotel Cumulus Hämeenpuisto
19:30	WG Presidency of the Jury ALF/FM Award (1)
20:15	Departure for the Welcome Dinner Meet at the hotel reception
20:30	Welcome Dinner Restaurant Finlaysonin Palatsi

NOTES

(1) Decision on the composition of the Jury and on the Themes for 2007 and 2008. The meeting will take place in the hotel. Participants: ALF, Fondazione Mediterraneo, Malta, Cyprus, Algeria, Egypt, Turkey.









Sunday, 26 November 2006
Vapriikki
Veturiaukio 4,
33100 Tampere
www.tampere.fi/english/vapriikki/index.html

INTERNAL MEETING OF THE ALF AND ITS NATIONAL NETWORKS

08:30	Taxis for the Conference Hall leave Meet at the hotel reception
09:00-09:30	Registration
09:30-09:45	Welcoming Greetings Dr. Jorma Sipilä, Chancellor of the University of Tampere, Executive Director Dr. Traugott Schöfthaler and Dr. Tuomo Melasuo
09:45-10:30	Report by the Executive Director Dr. Traugott Schöfthaler; Presentation of the Program by Dr. Tuomo Melasuo
10:30-11:00	Coffee
11:00-13:00	ALF vision raised by Heads of Networks and members of Advisory Council (2)
13:00-14:30	Lunch
14:30-16:15	Working Groups (2 x 50 min with a short break) (3)
16:15-16:45	Coffee
16:45-17:45	Working Groups (2 x 50 min) (3)

OPEN BESTOWING CEREMONY EURO-MED AWARD FOR DIALOGUE

18:00-19:00 ALF/FM 2006 Euro-Mediterranean Award for Dialogue Between

Cultures Bestowing Ceremony Father Paolo Dall'Oglio

(Mar Mousa el-Habachi Monastery) (4)

Keynote Address by Mr. Erkki Tuomioja, Minister for

Foreign Affairs of Finland, President of European Council





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19:15- Reception by the City of Tampere with Euro-Med Ministers, Senior Officials and with ALF/FM 2006 Award Winner

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- (2) The Secretariat will invite the Heads of Network to produce written suggestions before the event, and will report about them; The members of Advisory Council and Heads of Network will be invited to debate on them and better identify the issues at stake for the afternoon Working Groups. It will not be a formal speech round by the 35 Heads.
- (3) The topics of the Working Groups will be defined in the morning and they should focus on: (A) Contribution of the ALF Programme to a substantive dialogue between cultures (including ALF co-organized events); (B) Network development and financing: strategies and tools; (C) Network Guidelines, Call for Proposals Guidelines and coordination with the ALF Secretariat. Three WGs would be held simultaneously. In the WGs, participants will be able to move from one to another so that all participants may contribute to all topics.
- (4) With Laudatio by Dr. Schoefthaler and Michele Capasso; Speech of Father Paolo Dall'Oglio, Delivery of the trophy, and presentation of the Winner Tour; in presence of Foreign Ministers and Senior Officials, NGO representatives, press, et al.

Monday, 27 November 2006 Vapriikki

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08:30	Taxis for the Conference Hall leave Meet at the hotel reception
09:00-10:30	Working Group Reports in Plenary (5)
10:30-11:00	Coffee
11:00-13:00	Presentation of preliminary recommendations and debate
13:00-15:00	Lunch
14:30-15:00	Press Conference

OPEN DEBATE

"Cultural Diversity and Civil Society Movements" with NGOs, Foreign Affairs Ministers and Senior Officials

15:00-16:30	"Cultural Diversity and Civil Society Movements" together with Finnish and International NGOs(6)			
16:30-17:00 17:00-18:30	Coffee "Cultural Diversity and Religious Communities in the Euro-Mediterranean Environment" (7)			





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18:30-18:45 "Same, Same but different", presentation of the project by Göran

Byström Janarv (Stockholm)

20:30- Social event and "Glögi" in local popular ambience

Viking Restaurant Harald

Hämeenkatu 23

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(5) Working Groups' rapporteurs/facilitators will present WGs' conclusions. They will elaborate options for final recommendations.

(6) With the participation of three Finnish NGOs (Helsinki Process and Citizen's Global Platform and Kehys ry, Pakolaisneuvonta ry), three Euro-Med Networks (FEMEC, EMHRN and Euro-Med Civil Forum NG Platform), ALF/FM 2006 Award Winner. Euro-Med Senior Officials and Ministers might attend as well.

(7) Speakers: Father Paolo Dall'Oglio, Finnish representatives of the Muslim, Jew and Christian Communities, Euro-Med Civil Forum NG Platform, Finnish EU Presidency, media.

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INTERNAL INFORMAL MEETING OF THE ALF AND ITS NATIONAL NETWORKS

Simultaneous participation in the Conference of Euro-Mediterranean Foreign Ministers (8)

08:30	Taxis for the	Conference H	łali leave

Meet at the reception

09:00-10:45 Future directions after 2008: organizational and financial aspects,

aims and strategy, project management, contacts with governments

(9)

10:45-11:15 Coffee

11.15-13.00 Presentation and discussion on final recommendations

13:00-14:30 ALF lunch

Departures

20.00 Dinner

Restaurant Henriks Satamakatu 7





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Wednesday, 29 November 2006

The rest of the departures

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- (8) For those who are nominated in their national delegations.
- (9) Heads of Networks will discuss background notes prepared by some Heads of Networks and briefings for their Governments by 2007



