



## CONFERENCE

### **HOMELESSNESS AND HOUSING EXCLUSION IN EU POLICY RESPONSES AND BEST PRACTICES BREZDOMSTVO IN STANOVANJSKA IZKLJUČENOST V EU: ODZIVNOST POLITIK IN PRIMERI DOBRE PRAKSE**

Ljubljana, Slovenia, 28 September 2006

FEANTSA and the Faculty of Social Sciences of the University of Ljubljana are organising a conference on homelessness in the European Union and Slovenia. The aims of the conference are to share experience about policies addressing and/or preventing homelessness at different levels of policy making in the EU; to present the work of FEANTSA and especially the recent outcome in terms of advocacy and research; and to discuss the issues related to homelessness and housing exclusion in Slovenia.

*FEANTSA v sodelovanju z Fakulteto za družbene vede prireja konferenco o problemih brezdomstva in stanovanjske izključenosti v Sloveniji in Evropski uniji. Cilj konference je deliti izkušnje v delu z brezdomci na različnih ravneh Evropske unije, razširjanje rezultatov dela FEANTSE na področju zagovorništva, raziskovanja in drugih področij ter razpravljati o vprašanjih brezdomstva in stanovanjske izključenosti v Sloveniji v tem okviru.*

#### PRACTICAL

##### Conference venue / Lokacija:

**Faculty of Social Sciences/ Fakulteta za družbene vede,**  
Kardeljeva ploščad 5,  
1000 Ljubljana

##### Organisers / Organizatorji:



**FEANTSA - European Federation of National Associations Working with the Homeless**  
194, Chaussee de Louvain - 1210 Brussels – Belgium / [www.feantsa.org](http://www.feantsa.org)



**Faculty of Social Sciences (FDV), Centre for Welfare Studies (CDB)**

Kardeljeva ploščad 5 - 1000 Ljubljana – Slovenia / [www.fdv.uni-lj.si/angleščina/default.htm](http://www.fdv.uni-lj.si/angleščina/default.htm)

##### Registration/ Prijave:

For registration please visit FEANTSA website [www.feantsa.org](http://www.feantsa.org)

Please register online before **25th September** / *Prijavite se lahko do 25. septembra 2006 na*

Simultaneous translation English/Slovenian/English provided

Zagotovljeno simultano prevajanje Sloveščina/Angleščina/Slovenščina

## CONFERENCE PROGRAMME PROGRAM KONFERENCE

Thursday, September 28th 2006 / Četrtek, 28. september 2006

08.00 – 09.00: REGISTRATION / REGISTRACIJA

### I. SESSION PRESENTATION OF FEANTSA AND OF GOOD PRACTICES IN EU / PREDSTAVITEV FEANTSE IN PRIMEROV DOBRIH PRAKS V EU

09.00 - 11.00

- ✚ Welcome and introduction by organizers / *Dobrodošlica*
- ✚ **Freek Spinnewijn**, Director of FEANTSA  
Impact of the EU on homelessness and housing exclusion: what role for FEANTSA?
- ✚ **William Edgar**, Coordinator of the European Observatory on Homelessness of FEANTSA & Director of the Joint Centre of Scottish Housing Research:  
Importance of research for effective homelessness policies: A European perspective
- ✚ Discussion / *Razprava*

*11.00-11.30: Coffee break / odmor*

11.30 - 13.00

- ✚ **Freek Spinnewijn**  
Transnational exchange programme of FEANTSA
- ✚ **Renate Kitzmann**, Director of FAWOS  
Addressing homelessness through prevention of evictions: an Austrian success story
- ✚ **Per Thomson**, Aalborg City Council  
Local authorities at the forefront of the fight against homelessness: the commitment of Aalborg explained
- ✚ Discussion / *Razprava*

*13.00-14.00 Lunch break / kosilo*

### II. SESSION HOMELESSNESS AND HOUSING EXCLUSION IN SLOVENIA / BREZDOMSTVO IN STANOVANJSKA IZKLJUČENOST V SLOVENIJI

14.00 - 15.30:

- ✚ **Jožka Hegler**, Javni Stanovanjski Sklad Mestne Občine Ljubljana
- ✚ **Lidija Žvajker**, Stanovanjski sklad Maribor (TBC)
- ✚ Ombudsman / *Urad varuha človekovih pravic* (TBC)
- ✚ Discussion / *Razprava*

*15.30 – 16.00 Coffee break / odmor*

16.00 – 18.00

- ✚ **Špela Razpotnik**, Društvo za pomoč in samopomoč brezdomcem Kralji ulice.
- ✚ **Društvo Altra** - odbor za novosti v duševnem zdravju
- ✚ Other Slovene NGO
- ✚ Discussion / *Razprava*

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