





On the occasion of Efus' General Assembly, the IcARUS project will hold its final conference

Innovative Approaches
to Urban Security:
Strengthening Crime
Prevention Through
Social Innovation

25 & 26 June 2024 Liège, Belgium

Liège City Hall | 2 Place du Marché 4000, Liège (Belgium)

Simultaneous translation EN-FR



14:00 – 14:10 Arrival of participants - Registration

14:10 – 14:30 Welcoming remarks

- Elizabeth Johnston, Executive Director, Efus
- Willy Demeyer, Mayor of Liège and President of Efus
- Marta Cygan, Director, Innovation & Audit (HOME.F), Directorate-General for Migration and Home Affairs, European Commission

14:30 – 14:45 The IcARUS project: Key takeaways

Pilar De La Torre, Programme Development Manager, Efus

14:45 – 16:00 Unveiling the Power of Social Innovation in Urban Security

Moderated by Carla Napolano, Deputy Director, Efus (France)

- Heiko Berner, Head of Academic Area Individual & Society, Department
 Applied Social Sciences, University of Applied Sciences Salzburg (Austria)
- Adam Crawford, Professor of Criminology and Criminal Law, University of York and University of Leeds (UK)
- Daniel Gatica-Perez, Head of Social Computing Group, IDIAP Research Institute and EPFL (Switzerland)
- Maud Ridoux, Director of Mobilisation and Cooperation Programmes, makesense (France)

16:00 – 16:30 **Coffee break - IcARUS exhibition**

16:30 – 18:00 **Tow**

Towards Safer and More Inclusive Public Spaces: Innovations in Policing Tactics and Anti-Harassment Initiatives based on information provided by citizens

IcARUS focus area: Managing inclusive and safer public spaces

Chaired by Linda Ozola, Vice-President of the Riga City Council (Latvia) and Caroline Reverso-Meinietti, Director of Crime Prevention, City of Nice (France)

Riga tool: Collecting and analysing citizen data to better understand feelings of insecurity and adapt police tactics
Staṇislavs Šeiko, Head of Strategic Planning, Riga City Police (Latvia)

Nice tool: Making public spaces safer and more inclusive: an anti-street harassment scheme

Valérie Dujardin, Coordinator, Local Security and Crime Prevention Council (CLSPD), City of Nice (France)

Panel discussion

Moderated by Marta Pellón Brussosa, Senior Programme Manager, Efus

- Laetitia Wolff, Design Impact Advisor and teacher, Besign, the Sustainable Design School, Nice (France)
- Gregor Stangherlin, Director of Citizen Participation and Project Manager of Social Cohesion Plan, City of Liège (Belgium)

19:30 – 21:30 The IcARUS dinner

Restaurant As Ouhès, Place du Marché 2, 4000 Liège

08:30 - 09:00

Welcome Coffee

09:00 - 10:00

Preventing Radicalisation Leading to Violent Extremism: Arts and Culture at the helm of Innovation

IcARUS focus area: Preventing Radicalisation leading to Violent Extremism

Chaired by Manuel Comeron, Violence Prevention Coordinator, City of Liège (Belgium)

Stuttgart tool: "Trick17": How to outsmart radicalisation? Valeriya Vasilyeva, Project Coordinator, City of Stuttgart (Germany)

Panel discussion

Moderated by Manuel Comeron, Violence Prevention Coordinator, City of Liège (Belgium)

- Werner Van Herle, Head of Prevention and Public Security, City of Mechelen (Belgium)
- Markus Pausch, Professor, Department Applied Social Sciences, University of Applied Sciences Salzburg (Austria)

10:00 - 11:00

Building Resilient Communities: Fighting Organised Crime and Fostering Social Cohesion

IcARUS focus area: Preventing Trafficking and Organised Crime at the Local Level

Chaired by Ineke Nierstrasz, Coordinator, European and International Affairs, City of Rotterdam (The Netherlands)

Rotterdam tool: Involving local stakeholders in the fight against organised crime: Strengthening local cooperation in Rotterdam
Emile Goijvaerts, Policy advisor on safety, City of Rotterdam (The Netherlands)

Panel discussion

Moderated by Anne Boisseau, Programme Manager, Efus

- Liesbeth Vandam, Head of Sector, Support to policy in the Public health Unit, European Monitoring Centre for Drugs and Drug Addiction (EMCDDA)
- Letizia Paoli, Professor of Criminology, Leuven Institute of Criminology (Belgium)

11-00 - 11:30

Coffee break - Photo consortium

11:30 - 13:00

Community-Led Solutions: Fostering Young People's Engagement and Collaboration in Preventing Juvenile Delinquency

IcARUS focus Area: Preventing Juvenile Delinquency

Chaired by Marco Porcedda, Deputy Mayor for Security, City of Turin (Italy)

Lisbon tool: Youth Design Lisboa - Engaging young people in community security Mónica Diniz, Head of Prevention, Security and International Relations, City of Lisbon (Portugal)

Turin Tool: Preventing juvenile delinquency in Turin: A collaborative decision-making approach

Eleonora Fiori, Project Manager, City of Turin (Italy)

Panel discussion

Moderated by Sarah Vollmer, Research assistant, Camino (Germany)

- Audrey Palama, Expert in urban violence (France)
- Lotte Fast Carlsen, Deputy Director, Nordic Safe Cities (Denmark)

13:00 - 14:00 Lunch

Evaluating Urban Security Initiatives: Exploring Challenges and Opportunities

Moderated by Pilar De La Torre, Programme Development Manager, Efus

Keynote speech

Professor of Criminology and Criminal Law, University of York and University of Leeds (UK)

Evaluating the IcARUS project

- Natalie James, Research Fellow, School of Law, University of York (United Kingdom)
- Massimo Fattori, Project Manager, Erasmus University Rotterdam (Netherlands)

Closing remarks: The future of IcARUS

Elizabeth Johnston, Executive Director, Efus Asma Kaouech, Senior Programme Manager, Efus

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