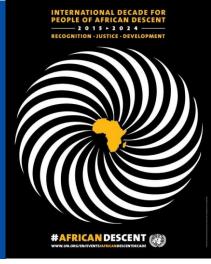


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DRAFT Agenda

Joint EC/EP Commemoration Day of the European Day for the Abolition of the **Slave Trade**

> **Tuesday 5 December 2023** 10.30-17.00 CET

Address: European Parliament, Brussels

10:00-	Desistration and Coffee
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10:30	
10:30	 Opening Helena Dalli, European Commissioner of Equality or Eamon Gilmore, EU Special Envoy for Human Rights (tbc) MEP Dr. Pierrette Herzberger-Fofana, Co-Chair of ARDI Michaela MOUA, EC Anti-racism Coordinator, European Commission
10:50	 Statements: The importance of recognizing the historical roots of racism. Jean-Marc AYRAULT, Former French Prime Minister and President of the « Fondation pour la mémoire de l'esclavage » (tbc) Mariagrazia SQUICCIARINI, Chief Executive Office – UNESCO Director of Division for Social Policies a.i. Nataly VAN DRIEL, Head of the Slavery Past Program of the Netherlands Ministry of the Interior (tbc) Nadia NSAYI, Responsible Cultural Programming, Africa Museum Tervuren (tbc)

11:40	Presentation of selected findings on people of African descent – Second edition of FRA 'Being Black in the EU' report in the context systemic and structural racism. • Siobhan MCINERNEY-LANKFORD, Head of Unit – Equality, Roma and Social Rights, European Union Agency for Fundamental Rights Discussion
12:30-	Lunch break
13:45	
13:45	Panel on structural racism, law enforcement, and legacies of colonialism and enslavement Moderator: Ojeaku NWABUZO, Co-Director of ENAR Representative of the European Commission [tbc] Henriette REKER, Mayor of Cologne, Germany Professor Verene SHEPHERD, Member of the UN Committee for the Elimination of Racial Discrimination (CERD) (tbc) Karen TAYLOR, Director of Policy & Advocacy at Each One Teach One e.V. (EOTO) (tbc)
15:00	Coffee break
15:30	Panel on EU and UN approaches to reparatory justice and
	 sustainable development Moderator: Michaela MOUA, EC Anti-racism Coordinator Belen MARTINEZ CARBONELL, Managing Director for Global affairs, European External Action Service Mila PASPALANOVA, OHCHR Regional Advisor on Anti-Racial Discrimination for Europe (tbc) Liliane UMUBYEYI, Co-Founder & Executive Director of African Futures Lab (tbc) Michael McEACHRANE, Member of the UN Permanent Forum on People of African Descent Discussion
16:45	Presentation of the draft European Parliament Resolution on
	Reparatory Justice. MEP Dr. Pierette HERZBERGER-FOFANA, Co-Chair of ARDI

17:15	Wrap-up and closing
	 Irena MOOZOVA, European Commission - DG JUSTICE, Deputy
	Director General for for International Dimension of Justice
	Policies, Rule of Law and Equality
	MEP Max ORVILLE, Vice-Chair Delegation to the ACP-EU Joint
	Parliamentary Assembly (tbc)