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*International Conference for sharing best practices: Economic and social integration of asylum seekers and refugees through social entrepreneurship*

**Thursday 10<sup>th</sup> March 2022**

**MORNING SESSION (Forlì Campus, Teaching Hub, Room 15)**

**9.00 - 9.30 am.** Welcoming and Registration

**9.30 - 09.50 am.** Institutional greetings

**09.50 - 10.30 am.** Keynote speaker: Prof. Stefano Zamagni (Alma Mater Studiorum - Università di Bologna), “The role of social entrepreneurship for migrants’ inclusion: limits and perspectives”

**10.30 - 10.50 am.** Prof. Federica Bandini, Prof. Stefano Bianchini (Alma Mater Studiorum - Università di Bologna), “Refugees economic integration and macro-regional challenges in the Adriatic-Ionian area”

**10.50 - 11.15 am.** Open discussion

***11.15 - 11.30 am. Coffee break***

**11.30 am - 1.00 pm.** Policy and Practice roundtable “Experiencing Social Entrepreneurship by/for refugees” (Moderator: Daniela Bolzani, Alma Mater Studiorum - Università di Bologna)

- Teresa Albano (Organization for Security and Co-operation in Europe, OSCE)
- Giuseppe Torluccio (Grameen Foundation)
- Andrea Marchesini Reggiani (Cartiera)
- Chris Richmond (Mygrant)
- Lucia Radu (Impact Hub)
- Max Zimani (Skuhna)

**1.00 - 3.00 pm.**    *Lunch break*

**AFTERNOON SESSION (Forlì Campus, Teaching Hub, Room 15)**

**3.00 - 4.30 pm.**    PANEL “Social entrepreneurship and refugees: barriers and drivers” and discussion (Moderator: Francesco Savoia, Alma Mater Studiorum - Università di Bologna)

-David Jepson (Director of Ashley Community Housing), “Entrepreneurship support programme - barriers to SE for refugees”

-Katarina Ejodus (Founder of Women on the Way), “Women SE (fashion) in Serbia - challenges for SE and refugees in Serbia”

-Eunice Cascant (laelyon School of Management), “Research on women SE in France - opportunities of SE for economic integration of refugees”

-Sarah A. Tobin and Mari Norbakk (Chr. Michelsen Institute), “The Invisible Ceiling: Muslim Immigrant Entrepreneurs Navigate Norway’s Financial Environment”

**4.30 - 5.00 pm.**    *Coffee break*

**5.00 - 6.30 pm.**    PANEL “Best practices of social entrepreneurship” and discussion (Moderator: Eleonora Grassi, Alma Mater Studiorum - Università di Bologna)

-Jure Gombač (ZRC SAZU), “Social entrepreneurship education for asylum seekers and refugees in ‘difficult times’. Slovenian version of the ‘theatre of the oppressed’”

-Fardeen Dodo (Alma Mater Studiorum - Università di Bologna), “Reconciling between Italy and African immigrants and asylum seekers: Evolving a Social Enterprising Mindset through Action Research”

-Melati Nungsari (MIT Sloan School of Management) and Hui Yin Chuah (Asia School of Business) “Social entrepreneurship in refugee context: A panacea for self-reliance and integration?”

-Max Zimani (Director of Skuhna), “Opportunities and challenges of integrating asylum seekers and refugees through a culinary social enterprise”

**6.30 pm.**                    *Conference closure*

**Friday 11<sup>th</sup> March 2022 (Forlì Campus, Teaching Hub, Room 14)**

**09.30 - 11.00 am.** PANEL “Economic integration of refugees: opportunities and challenges” and discussion (Moderator: Silvia Cittadini, Alma Mater Studiorum - Università di Bologna)

-Anja Zafošnik and Simona Zavratnik (University of Ljubljana), “Research on economic integration of refugees in Spain, Slovenia and Austria - processes of integration in the labour market”

-Ksenija Perković, Maja Zadel and Blaž Lenarčič (ZRS Koper), “The Integration of Refugees through Social Entrepreneurship: The socioeconomic environment in Slovenia”

-Leendert de Bell and Linda Bakker (University of Applied Sciences Utrecht), “Labour market participation of refugees in the Netherlands and the role of social enterprises”

-Alma Džanić (University of Bihać), “Possibilities of employment of asylum seekers and refugees through social entrepreneurship in Bosnia and Herzegovina”

***11.00 - 11.15 am. Coffee break***

**11.15 - 12.45 am.** PANEL “Approaches to social entrepreneurship” and discussion (Moderator: Marco Zoppi, Alma Mater Studiorum - Università di Bologna)

-Konstantinos Mantzos, Sissie Theodosiou, Achilleas Kameas, Christina Fili (Hellenic Open University), “From Social Enterprise to Social Network and Back: Creating a social enterprise association in NW Greece”

-Lukáš Válek (Prague University of Economics and Business), “Co-production in social entrepreneurship: Many points of view, one result”

-Eleonora Grassi, Federica Bandini and Daniela Bolzani (Alma Mater Studiorum - Università di Bologna), “Social Entrepreneurship and migrants’ integration: developing a conceptual framework”

-Ala Uddin (University of Chittagong), “Inclusion of Rohingyas in social interaction and economic activities in Bangladesh”