Anti-Feminism, Misogyny and Violent Extremism Intersections, trends, and responses

Program - 25 October 2023



16:30 - 16:45 WELCOMING REMARKS Opening by Dr. Anna Antonakis, swisspeace/KOFF & Prof. Laurent Goetschel, swisspeace **ROUNDTABLE DISCUSSION 1** 16:45 – 17.30 ANTI-FEMINISM, RESTRICTIVE GENDER ORDERS AND VIOLENT EXTREMISM: CRITICAL ANALYSES, FIELD EXPERIENCES AND CASE-STUDIES moderated by Dr. Anna Antonakis, swisspeace Dr. Elizabeth Mesok, Researcher, University of Basel Damjan Denkovski, Deputy Executive Director, Centre for Feminist Foreign Policy (CFFP) • Sophie Scheuble, Deputy Director, International Department, Violence Prevention Network (VPN) Hawa Noor Zitzmann, Expert, VPN Willemijn Kadijk, Researcher, Nuance door Training and Advies 17:30 - 17:45 SHORT BREAK 17.45 - 18.30 **ROUNDTABLE DISCUSSION 2** THE NEXUS BETWEEN MISOGYNY AND VIOLENT EXTREMISM IN POLICIES moderated by Elena Dal Santo, VPN Ambassador Patrick Wittmann, Canadian Embassy in Switzerland Ambassador Karin Mössenlechner, The Netherlands' Embassy in Switzerland Ambassador Claudia Fuentes Julio, Permanent Representative of Chile to the United Nations in Geneva

- Janna Lisa Chalmovsky, Desk Officer PVE/CVE, TOC and Instability, German Foreign Office
- Carol Mottet, Senior Advisor, Peace and Human Rights Division, Federal Deparment of Foreign Affairs (online, tbc)

18:30 – 18:45 MAIN TAKE-AWAYS AND CLOSING REMARKS moderated by Sophie Scheuble, VPN & Anna Antonakis, swisspeace

18.45 – 20.00 **STANDING APERITIVO** fireside chat hosted by Damjan Denkovski, CFFP