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**Sabina Klaneček** has a BA of the faculty of Education. Since 2018 she's been working for the **Office of the State Prosecutor General of the Republic of Slovenia**. Before that, she worked at the Ministry of Justice of the Republic of Slovenia for 12 years.

In 2010 she was a project manager for implementing the Use of videoconferencing systems for interviews with children, victims of sexual abuse or other criminal offences. She is co-author of Recommendations for the use of videoconferencing systems at the interview with children victims of sexual abuse. She closely cooperated with practitioners in the field of Justice, NGOs, Human Rights Ombudsman, courts, prosecutors, social workers and others. She was also the initiator of the first multidisciplinary training for experts who are interviewing children in child-friendly rooms.

In 2016 she initiated the project implementing Barnahus in Slovenia at the Ministry of Justice which resulted in National Guidelines for Barnahus in Slovenia and the Roadmap towards establishing, operating and evaluating Barnahus in Slovenia. She was actively involved in establishing Barnahus in Slovenia (project phases I and II).

Besides that she was:

- Independent consultant of the CoE presenting and promoting Guidelines on child-friendly Justice at International conference "Child-friendly Kazakhstan" devoted to 25th anniversary of Independence of the Republic Kazakhstan and 70th anniversary of UNICEF, 21-22 November 2016, Astana, organized together by Mazhilis of Parliament of the Republic of Kazakhstan (RK), Commissioner for the Rights of the Child in RK, Ministry of Education and Science of RK, Representation office of United Nations Children's Fund (UNICEF) in RK, Representation office of the European Union in RK;
- Panellist at UNICEF's conference in Brussels, 3.6.2015, "Prioritizing access to justice for all children in Europe and beyond What we know and what can be done";
- Independent consultant of the Council of Europe, promoting Guidelines on Child-friendly Justice and sharing best practices in the Summer School for Judges (Programme RO 24 Strengthening Judicial capacity and cooperation; Project "Strengthening the capacity of the Romanian judicial system to face new legislative and institutional challenges", Norwegian Financial Mechanism 2009 – 2014) held in Sinaia, Romania, 23.-27.6.2014;
- Lecturer at various Symposiums of the Public Prosecutors Association where Children as victims were in the centre (7.4.2011, 13.4.2012, 2015, 2016);
- Lecturer at a conference organized by the General Police Administration on Protecting children against sexual abuse (23.11.2010).