



13th UNITED NATIONS CONGRESS ON CRIME PREVENTION AND CRIMINAL JUSTICE

Doha, 12-19 April 2015



H.E. DANILO TURK



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High-level event

SPOTLIGHT ON HUMAN DIGNITY

"Together, we can advance justice and uphold human dignity, and confront the criminals who undermine the rule of law and sustainable development." The words of the Secretary-General of the Congress, Yury Fedotov, opened the high-level event on the rule of law, human rights and the post-2015 development agenda.

"Good governance and the rule of law are like Siamese twins," said the President of ECOSOC Martin Sajdik, emphasizing that there was no good governance without the rule of law and no rule of law without

good governance. Given the nexus between the two, he regretted that it had not been possible to include the rule of law in the title of Goal 16 of the Sustainable Development Goals.

Daniilo Turk, former President of Slovenia, had taken a close look at the Doha Declaration adopted on Monday. He was particularly interested in the updated Standard Minimum Rules for the Treatment of Prisoners mentioned in the Declaration, which to him are one of the great examples of how the rule of law and human rights connect with the larger development agenda. "You need states that have the capacity to implement the rule of law, and the UN has to assist states in building that capacity".

A few months ahead of the adoption of the post-2015 Development Agenda by the UN General Assembly,

there is a broad consensus that the new paradigm of development should be universal to meet the global challenges which we have to address today, said Andrea Orlando, Minister of Justice of Italy. As an essential factor for the welfare of all Nations, the application of the rule of law, respect for human rights and fundamental freedoms should be included along with the fight against terrorism, he said.



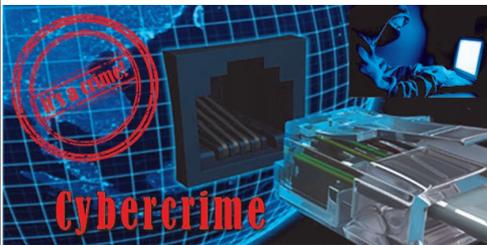
MEET

GARY HILL
COORDINATOR OF
ANCILLARY MEETINGS



Gary has coordinated the ancillary meetings of the UN Crime Congresses since 1985. At his first Congress in Milan, Italy he started out with just four meetings. This number has grown to almost 200 this year in Doha. Many controversial topics can better be discussed in a side event, he says, where professional standpoints are brought to the table without the need for political consensus. In his experience, many of the subjects made it to plenary at a later stage. In recent years, he finds more specialized professionals participating from the civil society side alongside with the general human rights advocates. He will continue volunteering for a simple reason: "It needs to be done".

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Workshop I: UN Standards and Norms

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10:00

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**"If we wish to secure peaceful societies,
then 'no one left behind' should be our urgent
priority"**

Ivan Simonovic, Assistant Secretary-General for Human Rights



DID YOU KNOW? FACTS ABOUT QATAR

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The **summer** in Doha is usually quite harsh with temperatures flaring up to 50 degrees Celsius

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Hello - Salam سلام

Goodbye - Ma'a salama مع السلامة

Yes - Na'am نعم

No - Laa لا

Good morning - Sabah el khayr

صباح الخير

Good evening - Masaa el khayr

مساء الخير

Good night - Layla Sa'ida ليلة سعيدة

Thank you - Shoukran شكرا

You're welcome - Ahlan أهلاً

My name is... - Ismee اسمي

Where is the... - Ayna Houwa أين هو

Can you help me? -

Hal youmkinouka mousaadati?

هل يمكنك مساعدتي؟

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