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STAKEHOLDER WORKSHOP

From Mare Nostrum to Triton and the Way Forward to Deal with Migration in the Mediterranean Sea

Naples, 15 May 2015
University of Naples "L'Orientale"
Palazzo Du Mesnil
Via Chiatamone n. 61/62



MIGRATION IN THE MEDITERRANEAN SEA: A COMPREHENSIVE APPROACH

On 1st November 2014 Frontex launched the Triton Operation in the Mediterranean. Unlike Italy's naval operation *Mare Nostrum*, Triton primarily has a border management mandate. The preceding border control operations in the Mediterranean proved controversial from the standpoint of international law, particularly regarding how border operations were conducted and managed.

Irregular migration by sea is a massive phenomenon that is not destined to stop any soon. Innovative strategies must be urgently implemented to deal with the two sensitive and interrelated aspects, which are ensuring border control and the saving of migrants' lives at sea. MARSAFENET and the Jean Monnet Centre of Excellence on Migrants' Rights in the Mediterranean intend to engage in dialogue and exchange with public and private stakeholders. The stakeholders point of view on important and pressing issues is essential in assessing feasible and suitable solutions tailored to irregular migration in the Mediterranean Sea.

The findings of this Stakeholder workshop will flow into the elaboration of *The Charter of Naples: The Way Forward to Deal with Migration in the Mediterranean Sea*. This Charter will provide analytical support to decision makers acting at the EU and national levels with respect to both border control and the protection and saving of migrants' lives at sea.

WELCOME AND INTRODUCTION

- 9.15 Registration
- 9.30 Welcome address
Prof. G. Cataldi
- 9.35 Introduction to Marsafenet COST Action IS1105
Dr. G. Andreone

- 9:40 Stakeholder questionnaire - Outcomes
Dr. M.C. Noto

Section I BORDER CONTROL AND MARITIME SURVEILLANCE

The latest increasing number of migrants, which includes asylum seekers and irregular migrants, has further complicated the capacity of States to determine who can legitimately claim protection based on humanitarian principles. At the same time, the global crisis, the raise of nationalist and anti-immigrant political parties and the increase in terrorist attacks have reshaped border security policies and systems in the EU. The scrutiny of migrants and potential refugees is greatly increased and it is harder for unauthorized immigrants to enter.

- MODERATOR** G. Cataldi
Univeristy of Naples - "L'Orientale"
- 9:45 Video - Italian Navy

PANELISTS

- 9:50 **immigration at Sea: Questions of International Law**
Prof. T. Scovazzi - University of Milan - "Bicocca"

10:115 THE STAKEHOLDER STAND POINT

- UNHCR - M. Molina
- Italian Navy - G. Ciolli
- Italian Council for Refugees - C. Hein

11:00 COFFE BREAK

- 11:15 **Smuggling of Migrants: Issues of Jurisdiction in the Mediterranean**
Dr. G. Andreone - Italian Research Council

11:40 THE STAKEHOLDER STAND POINT

- Giuseppe Morabito - Nato
- Italian Navy - F. Ruggiero
- Guardia di Finanza - M. Fantinato
- ASGI - G. Schiavone

12:30 DISCUSSION

15.00 NETWORKING LIGHT LUNCH

Session II PROTECTION AND SAVING OF MIGRANTS LIVES AT SEA

According to UNHCR, in 2014 over 218,000 refugees and migrants have crossed the Mediterranean Sea, many fleeing violence, conflict and persecution in, for example, Eritrea, Iraq and Syria. Italy has received more than 170,000 migrants, most of them were rescued at sea through the *Mare Nostrum* search and rescue naval operation. However, many thousands of migrants who left their country did not survive the voyage. Over 3,500 women, men and children have died or have gone missing in their attempt to reach Europe.

- MODERATOR** A. Saccucci
Unione Forense per la Tutela dei Diritti Umani
- 14:00 Video - Coast Guard

PANELISTS

- 14:05 **The Mediterranean Graveyard: The Need for a Comprehensive Approach to Sea Arrivals"**

Dr. V. Moreno-Lax - Queen Mary University of London

14:30 THE STAKEHOLDER STAND POINT

- MOAS - I. Ruggier
- Coast Guard - P. Cafaro
- LESS Onlus - S. Talamo

15:15 Immigration at Sea in Spain

Prof. V. L. Gutierrez Castillo - University of Jaén

15:40 THE STAKEHOLDER STAND POINT

- Augusta Offshore S.p.a. - M. Mattioli
- IOM - G. Falzoi
- Dedalus - L. Azzabi

16:15 DISCUSSION

CONCLUSIONS

