

WOMEN'S SPRING EVENT

“How long do we still have to go? How can we stop violence on women?”

Hilton Cyprus Hotel, Nicosia, Cyprus

13th May 2017

- 09.30 – 10:00 Arrival and Registration of Participants
- 10.00 – 10.10 Welcome Speeches
- ★ **Marina DEMETRIOU**, President of Women's Alliance
 - ★ **Flaminia BAFFIGO**, Coordinator of the Institute of European Democrats
 - ★ **Yiorgos LILLIKAS**, President of Citizens' Alliance
- 10.10 – 11.00 **1st SESSION: Addressing Violence Against Women – From Individual Assistance to Regional Support.**
- ★ **Maria EPAMINONDA**, President of Cyprus Women Lobby and Executive Director of the Cyprus Family Planning Association
“Sexual violence – the Sound of Silence.”
 - ★ **Georgia BOURI**, Social worker, Counsellor on Mental Health and Head of the Department of Equality and Discrimination in the Municipality of Athens
“Domestic violence: stories from next door.”
 - ★ **Androula CHRISTOFIDOU HENRIQUES**, Psychologist and Honorary President of the anti-human trafficking network ‘Cyprus STOP trafficking’
“Human trafficking.”
- 11.00 – 11.30 Coffee Break and Interviews
- 11.30 – 12.30 **2nd SESSION: Reflections on Ways to End Violence Against Women – From Regional Support to Global Recognition.**
- ★ **Luca ATTANASIO**, Italian Journalist and Writer
“Violence on forced migrant women.”
 - ★ **Hauwa IBRAHIM**, Nigerian Human Rights Lawyer, one of the top defenders of women's rights in Nigeria and Winner of the European Parliament's Sakharov Prize for Freedom of Thought in 2005
“How can we stop violence on women?”
- 12.30 – 13:00 Debate with public and Conclusions