# International Conference ESTABLISHING THE TRUTH ABOUT WAR CRIMES AND CONFLICTS Second Regional Forum, Zagreb, Hotel Sheraton Program

#### Thursday, February 8, 2007

9:00 - 10:00 Arrival and accreditation

10:00 – 10:30 Welcome address and opening of conference

Vesna Teršelič, Director of Documenta

**Jadranka Kosor**, Deputy Prime Minister and Minister of Family, Veterans' Affairs and Intergenerational Solidarity

Stjepan Mesić, President of the Republic of Croatia

### 10:30 – 11:45 <u>Transitional Justice – Mechanisms for Establishing Truth – Worldwide</u> and Regional Experiences

Moderator: Vesna Teršelič

Žarko Puhovski, President of the Croatian Helsinki Committee, Zagreb

Mark Freeman, International Center for Transitional Justice, Brussels

Yuri Afanasiev, UNDP, Zagreb

Discussion

Break 11:45 - 12:00

#### 12:00 – 13:15 The Importance of Facts in Establishing Truth

Moderator: Nataša Kandić, Executive Director of Humanitarian Law Centre, Belgrade

**Zoran Pusić**, President of Citizens' Committee for Human Rights and President of the Governing Committee of *Documenta* 

Safer Hukara, Director of Research and Documentation Center, Sarajevo

Clint Williamson, Ambassador at large for War Crimes Issues, Washington D.C.

Drago Hedl, Feral Tribune

Discussion

13:15 - 14:30 Lunch

#### 14:30 - 15:15 The Role of War Crimes Trials in Truth-telling

Moderator: Ivo Josipović, Faculty of Law

Carla del Ponte, International Criminal Tribunal for the former Yugoslavia Prosecutor

Mladen Bajić, Chief State Attorney of the Republic of Croatia

Marinko Jurčević, Chief Prosecutor of the Prosecutor's Office of Bosnia and Hercegovina

Vladimir Vukčević, Chief Prosecutor, Republic of Serbia

Break 15:15 - 15:30

#### 15:30 - 16:45 The Role of War Crimes Trials in Truth-telling

**Fausto Pocar,** International Criminal Tribunal for the former Yugoslavia President

Meddžida Kreso, President of the Court of Bosnia and Hercegovina

Biljana Sinanović, District Court in Belgrade

Nataša Kandić, Executive Director of Humanitarian Law Centre, Belgrade

Discussion

Break 16:45 - 17:00

#### 17:00 – 18:15 Regional Approaches to Truth-Telling

Working group session (work on deepening discussion about proposals for regional cooperation on establishing truth, in groups of 15-20 participants)

#### 18.30 – 19.00 Reports from working groups (plenary session)

19.00 Banquet

20.00 Koncert: Dunja Knebl

21.00 Film projection lead by Dana Budisavljević

Lora – Testimonies

Director: Nenad Puhovski; Scenario: Nenad Puhovski, Production: Factum/B92, 2004

Carneval

Director: Alen Drljević; Scenario: Alen Drljević, Šeki Radončić, Production: Mediacentar

Sarajevo, 2006

**Vukovar – The Final cut,** 

Director: Janko Baljak; Scenario: Janko Baljak, Drago Hedl, Production: B92, 2006

#### Friday, February 9, 2007

## 9:00 – 10:30 <u>Establishing Truth at the Regional Level From the Perspective of Victims</u>

Moderators: Zdenka Pantić, Vesna Teršelič

Ljiljana Alvir, Mothers of Vukovar, Vukovar

Vjera Solar, Citizens' Association Against Violence, Sisak

Tomo Aračić, President of the Union of Croatian Settlers Associations

Discussion

Break 10:30 - 11:00

11:00 - 12:30 The Arts and Truth-telling

Moderator: Nataša Govedić

Nenad Puhovski

Slobodan Šnajder

Dino Mustafić

Haris Pašović

Janko Baljak

Šeki Radončić

Zlatko Topčić

Discussion

12:30 - 14:00 Lunch

## 14:00 – 15:30 <u>Analysis of the Dealing with the Past Practice in Legislative Institutions</u>

Moderator: Srđan Dvornik, Executive Director of Croatian Helsinki Committee

Milorad Pupovac, Croatian Parliament

Gordana Sobol, Croatian Parliament

Vesna Pusić, Croatian Parliament

Break 15:30 – 16:00

#### 16:00 - 17:00 The Importance and Future of the Hague Archive

Moderator: **Igor Graovac,** Dialogue-Society for the Promotion of Scientific Dialogue/Croatian Institute for History

**Hans Holthuis**, International Criminal Tribunal for the former Yugoslavia Registrar

Nataša Kandić, Executive Director of Humanitarian Law Centre, Belgrade

Discussion

17:00 - 17:30 Conclusions