



W dniach 22-24 listopada 2006 r. w Warszawie w Wyższej Szkole Menedżerskiej odbyła się międzynarodowa konferencja nt. "Restorative Justice Research in Europe: Outcomes and Challenges", zorganizowana przez Polskie Towarzystwo Kryminologiczne im. Prof. Stanisława Batawii i European Forum for Restorative Justice.

Konferencja stanowiła zwieńczenie czteroletnich badań i dyskusji grupy akademików i praktyków z całej Europy na temat sprawiedliwości naprawczej i mediacji między ofiarą a sprawcą przestępstwa, działających w ramach programu COST Action 21 „Restorative Justice Developments In Europe”

Program ten obejmował cztery tematy 1. Evaluative research on restorative justice practices, 2. Policy oriented research on restorative justice; 3. Restorative justice theory, 4. Restorative justice, violent conflicts and mass victimisation.

Dzięki wspólnej inicjatywie zostało wydanych kilka publikacji oraz rozpoczęto badania, które będą kontynuowane.



## **COST Action A21 RESTORATIVE JUSTICE DEVELOPMENTS IN EUROPE**

### **Final Conference: Restorative Justice Research in Europe: Outcomes and Challenges**

**22-24 November 2006, Warsaw Academy of  
Management**

#### **Programme**

#### **Introduction**

The conference is structured along the four domains on which the COST Action has worked during four years:

- Evaluative research on restorative justice practices
- Policy oriented research on restorative justice
- Restorative justice theory
- Restorative justice, violent conflicts and mass victimization.

These domains will successively be discussed in blocks of each half a day on Thursday and Friday. On the one hand, the respective Working Groups of the COST Action will present their findings centered around the sub-domains they dealt with. On the other hand, each block gives room to paper presentations on related restorative justice research by non COST- members. Each block is concluded by an external expert.

## Wednesday 22 November

16.00- 18.00	<p><b>Opening Plenary Session</b></p> <p>Chair: Prof. Dr. Ivo Aertsen</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <b>Prof. Dr. Krzysztof Krajewski</b>, Polish Society of Criminology, President Elect of the European Society of Criminology: <i>Official welcome and opening of the conference.</i></li><li>• <b>Prof. Dr. Ivo Aertsen</b>, Catholic University of Leuven and Chair of COST Action A21: <i>The scientific programme and implementation of COST Action A21.</i></li><li>• <b>Ms. Veronica Beneitez Pinero</b>, European Commission Directorate General for Research: <i>The 7<sup>th</sup> Framework Programme and other research opportunities within the EU.</i></li><li>• <b>Dr. David Gronbaek</b>, Science Officer, COST Office, European Science Foundation: <i>The COST Framework and ESF funding opportunities.</i></li><li>• <b>Prof. Dr. Doina Balahur</b>, Al.i.Cuza University, Romania: <i>Presentation of the Conference Programme.</i></li></ul>
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## Thursday 23 November

9.30-10.00	<p><b>Plenary</b></p> <p>Contemporary RJ practices in Europe - Evaluative research presentations: Introduction to the domain of Working Group 1 by Prof. Dr Ida Hydle, Agder University College, Norway</p> <p>Chair: Prof. Dr. Arthur Hartman, University of Applied Sciences in Public Administration of Bremen, Germany</p>		
10.00-11.00	<p><b>Workshop 1</b></p> <p>Research Methodology</p> <p>Chair : Ida Hydle</p> <p>Jacques Faget</p> <p><i>'Epistemological reflections on the evaluation of restorative justice practices.'</i></p>	<p><b>Workshop 2</b></p> <p>Specific topics of evaluation</p> <p>Chair: Arthur Hartmann</p> <p>Joao Lázaro and Frederico Moyano Marques</p> <p><i>'What to do with these victims?'</i></p>	<p><b>Workshop 3</b></p> <p>Specific topics of evaluation</p> <p>Chair: John Blad</p> <p>Anne Lemonne</p> <p><i>'Doing comparison between the implementation of restorative justice in various countries: interest, potentialities and caveats'</i></p>
11.30-12.30	<p><b>Workshop 4</b></p> <p>Specific topics of evaluation</p> <p>Chair: Jaques Faget</p> <p>Geire Dale and Ida Hydle</p> <p><i>'Challenging the evaluation of Norwegian Restorative Justice experiences.'</i></p>	<p><b>Workshop 5</b></p> <p>Data Recording systems</p> <p>Chair: Frederico Moyano Marques</p> <p>Arthur Hartmann</p> <p><i>'Federal Statistics of Victim-Offender Mediation in Germany.'</i></p>	<p><b>Workshop 6</b></p> <p>External papers on evaluative research</p> <p>Chair: Anne Lemonne</p> <p>Shiona McArthur</p> <p><i>'An Evaluation of the development of an integrated restorative justice approach within one Scottish authority youth justice service.'</i></p>
12.30-13.15	<p><b>Plenary Session</b></p> <p>Prof. Dr. Joanna Shapland, Director of the Centre for Criminological Research, University of Sheffield, UK</p>		

14.30- 15.00	<b>Plenary</b> <b>Policy oriented research on restorative justice: Introduction to the findings of Working Group 2, by Dr. Michael Kilchling, Max-Planck-Institut für ausländischen und internationales Strafrecht, Freiburg, Germany</b> Chair : Prof. Dr. Ivo Aertsen, Catholic University of Leuven, Belgium		
15.00- 16.00	<b>Workshop 1</b> <b>Legislation on restorative justice</b> Chair: Michael Kilchling Ivo Aertsen and David Miers <i>'Legislation on restorative justice in European countries.'</i>	<b>Workshop 2</b> <b>Referral procedures</b> Chair: Dobrinka Chankova Anna Val Rius and Tinneke Van Camp <i>'Referral procedures.'</i>	<b>Workshop 3</b> <b>Training of legal professionals</b> Chair: Doina Balahur Borbala Fellegi <i>'Training of legal professionals.'</i>
16.30- 17.30	<b>Workshop 4</b> <b>New directions in restorative justice interpretation</b> Chair: David Miers Doina Balahur <i>'The European ways of restorative justice: towards a theory of subsidiarized justice.'</i>	<b>Workshop 5</b> <b>New Restorative Justice applications</b> Chair: Tinneke Van Camp Dobrinka Chankova <i>'New restorative justice models: Results of a Survey'</i>	<b>Workshop 6</b> <b>External papers on policy oriented research</b> Chair: Borbala Fellegi Belinda Hopkins <i>'The Challenges and Opportunities for Developing Restorative Justice Approaches in Schools'</i>
17.30- 18.15	<b>Plenary Session</b> <b>Prof. Dr. Gerry Johnstone, Director of the Law School, University of Hull, UK</b>		

## Friday 24 November

9.30-10.00	<p><b>Plenary</b></p> <p><b>Restorative justice theory: Introduction to the findings of Working Group 3, by Mr. Rob Mackay, Perth and Kinross Council, Perth, United Kingdom.</b></p> <p>Chair : Prof. Dr. Johan Deklerck, Catholic University of Leuven, Belgium</p>		
10.00-11.00	<p><b>Workshop 1</b></p> <p><b>Restorative Justice and Society</b></p> <p>Chair: Bas van Stokkom <b>Christa Pelikan</b> <i>'The place of restorative justice in society: making sense of developments in time and space.'</i></p> <p><b>Inge Vanfraechem</b> <i>'Community, society and the state in restorative justice: some reflections.'</i></p>	<p><b>Workshop 2</b></p> <p><b>Restorative Justice and the Law</b></p> <p>Chair: Martin Wright <b>Marko Bosnjak</b> <i>'Some thoughts on relationship between restorative justice and the criminal law'</i></p> <p><b>Rob Mackay</b> <i>'Law as peacemaking: beyond the concept of restorative justice.'</i></p>	<p><b>Workshop 3</b></p> <p><b>External papers on theoretical research</b></p> <p>Chair: Johan Deklerck <b>Silvio Ciappi and Alessandro Padovani</b> <i>'The Care of Dike: Restorative justice theories and contemporary forms of juvenile delinquency.'</i></p> <p><b>Lieve Bradt</b> <i>'Restorative justice for young offenders: responsibility as a new pedagogical norm'</i></p>

<p>11.30-12.30</p>	<p><b>Workshop 4</b>  <b>Restorative Justice and the Law</b>          (continuation)</p> <p>Chair: Marko Bosnjak  <b>Bas van Stokkum</b>  <i>'The expressive function of restorative punishment: a 'public interest' perspective.'</i>  <b>Martin Wright</b>  <i>'Punishment and restorative justice: an ethical comparison.'</i></p>	<p><b>Workshop 5</b>          The internal dynamics of restorative justice.          Chair: Christa Pelikan  <b>Johan Deklerck</b>  <i>'Re-linking de-linquency: why restorative justice works.'</i></p>	<p><b>Workshop 6</b>          External papers on theoretical research          Chair: Rob Mackay  <b>Brian Williams</b>  <i>'Empathy: do we understand its role in RJ?'</i></p>
<p>12.30-13.15</p>	<p><b>Plenary</b>  <b>Prof. Dr. Hans-Jürgen Kerner</b>, Director of the Institute of Criminology, Eberhard Karls University Tübingen, Germany</p>		

<p>14.30-15.00</p>	<p><b>Plenary</b>  <b>Restorative justice, violent conflicts and mass victimization: Introduction to the findings of Working Group 4</b>, by Ms Jana Arsovska, Catholic University of Leuven, Belgium          Chair : Dr. Beata Czarnecka-Dzialuk, Polish Academy of Sciences</p>
<p>15.00-16.00</p>	<p><b>Plenary</b>  <b>Tyrone Savage</b> : '<i>Transforming conflict in the trigger of Africa : a role for Restorative Justice.</i>'  <b>Andrej Nosov</b>: '<i>The Kosovo conflict. An overview of the justice mechanisms and the prospects for peace.</i>'  <b>Peretz Segal</b> : '<i>Restorative Justice and cross cultural Challenges - Reflections from the Israeli experience.</i>'</p>

16.30- 17.30	<b>Workshop1</b> <b>Restorative Justice and Kosovo conflict.</b>  Chair : Sonia Sousa Pereira  Marta Valinas  <i>'The limits and opportunities of restorative justice in the large scale conflict of Kosovo.'</i>	<b>Workshop2</b> <b>Restorative Justice and Israeli-Pales- tinian conflict.</b>  Chair: Sarah Ben- David  <b>Holger-C. Rohne</b>  <i>'Prospects for restorative justice in the Israeli- Palestinian conflict. Contrasting restorative justice with attitudes among intifada victims towards legal responses'</i>  <b>Natti Ronel</b>  <i>'Obstacles to restorative justice in the Middle East - the role of perceptions'</i>	<b>Workshop3</b> <b>Restorative Justice and Congo conflict.</b>  Chair: Borbala Fellegi  <b>Kris Vanspauwen</b>  <i>'The politics of restorative justice in the trigger of Africa. How useful are our restorative justice frameworks in interlocked conflicts.'</i>	<b>Workshop4</b> <b>Inclusive Approaches to Post-Conflict Justice</b>  Chair: Jolien Willemensens  <b>Finn Tschudi</b>  <i>'Breaking bows and arrows. Mass victimization and reconciliation in Bougainville'</i>  <b>Ida Hydle</b>  <i>'A gender perspective on restorative justice in situations of widespread violence.'</i>
17.30- 18.15	<b>Plenary</b> <b>Dr. Laura Stovel, St. Paul University Ottawa, Canada</b>			
18.15- 19.00	<b>Concluding Plenary</b> <b>Chairs: Mr. Rob MacKay, Dr. Marko Bosnjak</b> <b>European Cooperation in Restorative Justice Research: Outcomes and Prospects by Prof. Dr. Ivo Aertsen, Dr. Marko Bosnjak, Prof. Dr. Doina Balahur, Prof. Dr. Arthur Hartmann, Mr. Rob MacKay, Ms Jolien Willemensens</b>			