



## Is the EU living up to its values in relation to migrants and refugees?



## The role of national judges and lawyers

## Final event of the FAIR PLUS Project Wednesday 27 April 2022

## 14.00-15.30

Radisson Red Hotel, Rue d'Idalie 35, 1050 Brussels

To attend, please register here: <u>https://forms.gle/fP6FyM1h7ePwT6iw7</u>

Event moderated by Alexandros Konstantinou, Senior Lawyer, Greek Council for Refugees

- 14.00 Welcome by Róisín Pillay, Director of the Europe and Central Asia Programme of the ICJ
- 14.05 How can the EU live up to its values in relation to migrants and refugees? How should we be improving the system?
  - Saskia Bricmont, MEP
- 14.10 Introduction to a short movie on experiences of migrants and refugees in the EU
  Aryan Ashory, 17-year-old Afghan poet, filmmaker, human right activist and journalist.
  Video: migrant stories 3 minutes
- 14.20 Brief presentation of the FAIR project Karolína Babická, Legal Adviser, ICJ Presentation of the FAIR PLUS Project <u>Training Modules</u>, National trainings, International roundtable, Briefing papers Video about the FAIR+ project - 5 minutes
- 14.30The role of national judges and lawyersJustice Richard Humphreys, Judge, High Court of Ireland
- **14.45** How the EU supports the challenging role of national judges and lawyers *Lena Geckle, DG Justice, European Commission*
- **15.00** Discussion among participants (NGO representatives, judges, lawyers, MEPs, European Commission, Permanent Representations)
- 15.30 Wrap up



