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Strategic Targeting of Recidivism through Evaluation & Monitoring (STREAM)

EU Project Transnational Partnership Conference

Bugibba, Malta

23rd – 24th October 2014

Dear Sir / Madam,

On behalf of the National Offender Management Service UK, CEP (Confederation of European Probation), and the STREAM (Strategic Targeting of Recidivism through Evaluation and Monitoring) Project Board, it gives me great pleasure to formally invite you to the “Strategic Targeting of Recidivism through Evaluation & Monitoring” (STREAM) Transnational Conference.

STREAM is a major European research project, funded by the EU and involving criminal justice agencies, ministries and universities in several European countries. It is led by the National Offender Management Service of England and Wales.

The aim of the project is to support the development of effective practice across Europe in working with offenders in the community and to facilitate the sharing of evidence-based good practice. To achieve success, this requires a focus on evaluation and development of evidence based practice across a range of offender services and organisations.

STREAM will disseminate knowledge about effective probation practice, how its implementation can be directed and how results can be identified. An evaluation guidance will be produced, along with recommendations.. Additionally the project investigated the European Probation Rules (EPR) and will present on the impact and compliance of this. There will also be a presentation on evaluating the SEED programme and the literature review on probation in Europe.

The STREAM Project Board would be delighted to have your participation in this conference, and invite you to nominate one or two delegates from your organisation. These should be experts who would ideally be able to both contribute to the conference and also take learning away which may help future developments. This conference will provide you with the opportunity to share and gain valuable experience and knowledge for your organisation. [Places will be available on a first come first served basis.](#)

Speakers will include: Professor Friedrich Losel; Professors Robert Canton and Jean Hine from De Montfort University, UK; Professor Joanna Shapland from Sheffield University, UK and Dr. Ioan Durnescu from Association of Schools and Social Work; Romania.

The Conference will be held in The Dolmen Hotel, Bugibba, Malta. The conference will start at 14:00 on Wednesday 22nd October and finish at 13.00 on Friday 24th October 2014. The working language of the conference will be English and translation will be provided in two European languages. The conference is supported by the European Commission. To attend the conference, a registration charge of €100 per delegate is required. This covers your flights, accommodation, food and refreshments for the whole duration of the conference. Upon registration, the organisers will contact you to confirm your space.



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An agenda will be sent to you before the event. To hold your space, please complete the attached booking form and send this back to the contact email address below. The organisers will be in contact shortly to confirm your space.

If you would like any further information before reserving your space, please contact Mark Rowlandson or Kim Lau via email on mark.rowlandson@noms.gsi.gov.uk / kim.lau@noms.gsi.gov.uk or via telephone on +44 (0)300 0476876 / (0)7813 459815.

I look forward to seeing you at what we are sure will prove to be an informative and stimulating event.

Yours sincerely,

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