



FINAL CONFERENCE, November 2014, The Hague

The SOMEC (Serious Offending by Mobile European Criminals) Project will host its Final Conference at the Dutch Ministry of Justice and Security in The Hague, The Netherlands from Wednesday 5th to Friday 7th November 2014. The event will be formally opened by Lord Taylor of Holbeach CBE, UK Parliamentary Under Secretary of State for Criminal Information and will include a plenary presentation from the Dutch Secretary of State for Security and Justice, Mr Teeven.

SOMEC has been a two year project funded by the European Commission bringing together a range of criminal justice organisations from across Europe to look at how Member States can co-operate in order to safeguard their citizens against travelling serious violent or sexual offenders travelling across the EU.

Aims:

- To present and discuss the main project research findings;
 - To provide delegates with the opportunity to consider the practical implementation of the research recommendations;
 - To allow criminal justice representatives from across the EU to consider short, medium and long term goals to improve practice in this area at national and pan European levels;
 - To give *senior* delegates the scope to network, share practice and exchange ideas.
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Costs:

There is **no charge** to attend the SOMEC Final Conference. In addition, travel (flights and local train) for the event will be booked and paid for by the project. The project will also cover hotel accommodation for Wednesday 5th and Thursday 6th November 2014; and all refreshments during the event.

Registration:

To register your interest for the SOMEC Final Conference, please go to <http://somec-final-conference.eventbrite.co.uk>

For further information on the Project and the Final Conference, please contact Mark Rowlandson on Mark.Rowlandson@noms.gsi.gov.uk or visit the SOMEC website on www.somec-project.eu. A full agenda will be available in September 2014.

Please note spaces for the event are limited and will be distributed to ensure equal representation from across the EU.
