



PROGRAM

**BOARD MEETING OF THE EUROPEAN OMBUDSMAN
INSTITUTE - EOI;**

**GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE EUROPEAN OMBUDSMAN
INSTITUTE - EOI;**

**EVENT ORGANIZED ON THE OCCASION OF THE 20TH
ANNIVERSARY OF THE ESTABLISHMENT OF THE PEOPLE'S
ADVOCATE INSTITUTION;**

INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON HUMAN RIGHTS

20 to 23 September 2017

Day 1 - 20 September 2017

Arrival (individually) of participants and hotel accommodation - 4 nights

- 17:00-18:30 Meeting of the EOI Board (Board members only) – Hotel Marriott
- 19:00-21:00 Dinner at the Restaurant of Hotel Marriott - optional
Participants: (EOI members)

Day 2 - 21 September 2017

- 09:00 Meeting in the lobby of the hotels and travel to the Palace of Parliament - C.A. Rosetti Hall
- 09:15 Registration for the Participants of the General Assembly
- 10:00-12:30 **EOI General Assembly** and group photo
- 12:30-13:00 Constituent board meeting
- 13:00-14:30 Lunch at Salonul Brâncovenesc of the Palace of Parliament
- 15:00-17:00 **Anniversary Event 20 years since the establishment of the People's Advocate Institution of the Republic of Romania**
- Guests:** Romanian President, Prime Minister, Ministers, heads of institutions, former Ombudsmen, EOI members, foreign guests, staff of the People's Advocate institution and others
- 17:00 Return to hotels; free time
- 19:30 Meeting in the lobby of the hotels and travel to the Palace of Parliament
- 20:00-22:00 Reception hosted by the People's Advocate at the Palace of the Parliament – Reception Hall
- 22:00 Return to the hotels

Day 3 – 22 September 2017

- 09:00 Meeting in the lobby of the hotels and travel to the Palace of Parliament - C.A. Rosetti Hall
- 10:00-12:45 **International Conference on Human Rights**
- Session 1**
The Ombudsman's political independence in the future
+ Conclusions
- 13:00-14:45 Lunch at Salonul Brâncovenesc - Palace of Parliament
- 15:00-17:00 **Session 2**
The Ombudsman's role in eliminating discrimination
+ Conclusions
- Will be organized by the EOI in assistance with the People's Advocate of the Republic of Romania
- 17:00 Return to hotels and free time
- 19:00 Meeting in the lobby of the hotels and travel to the Palace of Parliament
- 19:30-21:30 Dinner hosted by the People's Advocate of the Republic of Romania at the Palace of Parliament – Reception Hall
- 21:30 Return to hotels

Day 4 – 23 September 2017

- 09:30 Meeting in the lobby of hotels
- 10:00-12:00 Visiting the Palace of Parliament – guided tour of the
Palace of Parliament – (English guide)
- 12:30-13:30 Lunch at Salonul Brâncovenesc of the Palace of
Parliament
- 14:00-17:00 Bucharest City Tour + and Historical Centre

Departure (individually)

Dr. Josef Siegele m.p.
Secretary General – EOI

Dr. Victor Ciorbea m.p.
National Ombudsman
Republic of Romania