

**The United Nations International Day in Support of Victims of Torture .26 of June
“Monitoring Torture; towards an efficient national plan”**

Conference Program
Ramallah - 30 June, 2010

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| 9:30 - 10:00 | Registration Welcoming and Opening Session 10:00-10:30 |
| | His Excellency Dr.Salam Fayyad Prime Minister Palestinian National Authority |
| | Dr. Mahmoud Sehwal Executive President The Treatment and Rehabilitation Center for Victims of Torture |
| | Eva Tomić Head of Office The High Commissioner for Human Rights in oPt |
| | First Panel: “Documentation of Torture” |
| | Moderator: Ms. Reema Jarrar Board of Directors The Treatment and Rehabilitation Center for Victims of Torture |
| 10:30 – 10:45 | “The Ministry’s role in documenting cases of torture, in order to internationalize the issue of prisoners” His Excellency Minister Mr. Issa Qaraqe’ Ministry of Detainees and Ex- Detainees Affairs Palestinian National Authority |
| 10:45 – 11:00 | “The importance of documenting the stories and daily suffering facing the prisoners in the Israeli jail” Dr. Mahmoud Elramahi General Secretary Palestinian Legislative Council |
| 11:00 -11:15 | “The new mandate of OHCHR-oPt in monitoring HR violations” Hani Aldeek Human Rights Officer UN Office of the High Commissioner for Human Rights in oPt |
| 11:15 - 11:30 | “Documentation of torture” Shawan Jabarin General Director Al-Haq |
| 11:30 -11:45 | “Medical documentation - An international perspective” Dr. Jens Modvig Health Program Manager Rehabilitation and Research Center for torture Victims – RCT, Denmark Member of the International Rehabilitation Council for Torture Victims (IRCT). International Forensic Expert Group. Denmark |
| 11:45 – 12:15 | Discussion |
| 12:15 – 12:30 | Coffee Break |

Second panel:
“Towards an Efficient National Plan”

Moderator: Bahaaeldin Sadi
 Human Right Officer
 The High Commissioner for Human Rights in oPt

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| 12:30 – 12:45 | <p>“Torture in Palestinian legislations between reality and ambition” Dr. Ahmad Barak Chief Prosecutor Palestinian National Authority</p> |
| 12:45 – 13:00 | <p>“The Importance of Comprehensive Documentation” Wisam Sehwal Research Unit Manager The Treatment and Rehabilitation Center for Victims of Torture – TRC</p> |
| 13:00 – 13:15 | <p>“The role of ICHR in monitoring torture in Palestinian prisons” Randa Seniora Executive Director The Independent Commission for Human Rights – ICHR</p> |
| 13:15 – 13:30 | <p>“The role of PCATI in monitoring torture in Israeli prisons” Dr. Ishai Menuchin Executive Director Public Committee Against Torture in Israel</p> |
| 13:30- 13:45 | <p>The Palestinian national plan of torture documentation workshop conclusions Presented by the Palestinian Coalition Against Torture</p> |
| 13:45-14:15 | <p>Discussion</p> |
| 14:15 – 14:30 | <p>Conference Recommendations Presented by: Muriel Genot Psychotherapist / Trainer Center for Victims of Torture, USA – CVT Jordan Branch</p> |
| 14:30 | <p>Lunch</p> |



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