**TRANSPARENCY in the WORLD and TURKEY**

*Initiative for Freedom of Expression*

*Transparency Association*

*Istanbul Bilgi University Human Rights Law Research Center*

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**Istanbul Bilgi University** *(santralistanbul Campus)*

**24 May 2014 Saturday**

**09:30 OPENING SPEECHES** *(Names in alphabetical order)*

Dr. Karin Deutsch Karlekar *(Freedom House),* Andrew Gardner *(a.i.),* Nathalie Losekoot *(Article 19),* Eugene Schoulgin *(International PEN),* Emma Sinclair Webb *(HRW*), Prof. Turgut Tarhanlı *(Istanbul Bilgi University)*

**Video messages:** Johann Bihr *(RSF*), Annie Game *(IFEX),* Dunja Mijatovic *(OSCE),* Joel Simon *(CPJ),* J. C. Weliamuna *(Transparency International)*

**10:30 TESTIMONIES-1:** Victims/Witnesses from Turkey will testify

**11:15 .......... COFFEE BREAK ...................**

**11:30 PANEL-1:** **TRANSPARENCY AND FREDOM OF EXPRESSION**

Prof. Dr. Yaman Akdeniz *(Moderator, Istanbul Bilgi University)*

Sevi Fırat *(Transparency Association- Turkey)*

Ali Rıza Keleş *(Alternative Communication Association)*

**12:30 PANEL-2: TRANSPARENCY IN PUBLIC WORK**

Hıfzı Deveci *(Public Administration Consultant)*

Gönenç Gürkaynak *(Lawyer)*

Fikret Toksöz *(Moderator, HYD/Helsinki Citizens Assembly Governance Consultant)*

**13:30 \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*LUNCH BREAK \*\*\*\*\*\*\***

**14:45 TESTIMONIES-2:** Victims/Witnesses from Turkey will testify

**15:30 PANEL-3: ROLE of the MASS MEDIA and SOCIAL MEDIA**

Ercan İpekçi *(Journalist)*

Turgay Olcayto *(Journalists Association of Turkey)*

Erol Önderoğlu *(Moderatör, Bianet, RSF)*

Deniz Zeyrek *(Ankara representative of Daily Hurriyet)*

**16:30 .......... COFFEE BREAK ...................**

**16:45 PANEL-4: SOMA CATASTHOPHE and TRANSPARENCY IN TURKEY**

Ass. Prof. Dr. Aziz Çelik *(Kocaeli University)*

Murat Dinçer *(Lawyer, Helsinki Citizens Assembly and CHD Contemporary Lawyers)*

Prof. Dr. Turgut Tarhanlı *(Moderatör,İstanbul Bilgi University)*

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**25 May 2014 Sunday**

**14:00 HOW TRANSPARENT DOES TURKEY LOOK?- 2**

William Nygaard *(Norwegian PEN- Chairman; Publisher)*

Nathalie Losekoot *(Article 19, Senior Program Officer-Europe)*

Eugene Schoulgin (*Author, International PEN, Vice President)*

**15:00 FREEDOM OF THE WORLD MAP** (Freedom House Report)

Dr. Karin Deutsch Karlekar *(Freedom House, Managing Editor)*

Nevşin Mengü (*Moderator,* *CNN TURK)*

**16:00 ................. COFFEE BREAK ................**

**16:15 TELECONFERENCE**

Prof. Noam Chomsky *(MIT- Massachuttes Institute of Technology- USA)*

Şanar Yurdatapan (*Moderator, Initiative for Freedom of Expression)*

**17:15 Opening of The MUSEUM OF CRIMES of THOUGHT**

ByProf. Noam Chomsky *(on SKYPE)*