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## C O L L O Q U I U M

### ICPC's Seventh Annual Crime Prevention Colloquium Oslo, Norway November 8-9, 2007



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## *THE ROLE OF THE POLICE IN PREVENTION*

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### PRELIMINARY PROGRAMME

#### **Introduction**

ICPC's Seventh Annual Colloquium on Crime Prevention will focus on the role that police organizations can and should play in integrated efforts to reduce crime and build safety in communities. In particular three sub themes will form the basis of debates and discussion throughout the two days:

#### **Building Effective Partnerships with Police Services in Prevention**

The UN Guidelines for the Prevention of Crime emphasize that cooperation/partnerships should be an integral part of effective crime prevention, given the wide-ranging nature of the causes of crime and the skills and responsibilities required to address them. This workshop will present recent examples of local crime prevention partnerships that illustrate in particular, different levels of police contributions (eg. community policing, technological advances, etc), lessons learned and results achieved. In countries where public perceptions of the police may be low, participants will highlight some of the mechanisms used to develop 'new relationships among stakeholders' and 'ways of working' towards a more collaborative approach to crime prevention.

#### **Examining the Organizational Culture and Structure of Police Services**

Highlighting forms of resistance and persistence to change in the organizational culture and structure of police services in this area is important. The workshop will consider the extent to which today's police services are fully integrating and embracing the concept of prevention within their work as commonly espoused, discuss ways to work with partners towards a common goal, drawing on different approaches and expertise, and consider different valuing of those forms of expertise. The workshop will also highlight the extent to which prevention training forms part of the larger curriculum in police training institutions?

#### **Highlighting Contemporary Developments in Knowledge-Based Policing**

The development of increased knowledge-based methods, such as problem-oriented policing, intelligence-led policing, hot-spot policing, and community mobilization makes it necessary for the police to consider and re-examine its role, and level of contribution to (traditional, modern and evolving) larger community safety partnerships. This development has also brought a series of opportunities and challenges in relation to information sharing, opening up of expertise to public and private actors, and developing new evaluative frameworks to assess the effectiveness of these police models.

## PRELIMINARY PROGRAMME

**Day One**  
**Thursday November 8<sup>th</sup>, 2007**

8.00- 9:00 Registration

09:00-10:30 **Opening Session**

**Knut Storberget**, Minister of Justice and Police, Norway

**Raymonde Dury**, ICPC's President Address

Mayor of the City of Oslo

**Ingelin Killengreen**, Police Commissioner, Norway

10:30 – 11:00 **Break and Exhibition**

Kiosks featuring National Crime Prevention Councils in Scandinavia, The Nordic Model", and from other countries.

11:00- 11:15 **ICPC Director General's Address: Valerie Sagant**  
 'Partnering with the Police in Prevention'

11:30-12.30 **Keynote Address**

**Nils Christie**, Professor of Criminology, University of Oslo (tbc)

12.30-14:00 **Lunch and Exhibition**

14:00- 16:30 **Concurrent Workshops**

<b>Building Effective Partnerships for Safe Communities</b>	<b>Examining the Structure and Culture of Police Services</b>	<b>Highlighting Contemporary Developments in Knowledge-Based Policing</b>
<p><b>Rapporteur: Barbara Holtmann</b>, CSIR, South Africa</p> <p><b>Introductory Speaker /Animator:</b> Professor <b>Jean Paul Brodeur</b></p>	<p><b>Rapporteur: Margaret Shaw</b>, International Centre for the Prevention of Crime</p> <p><b>Introductory Speaker/Animator:</b> Liv Finstad, University of Oslo</p>	<p><b>Rapporteur: Dr. Clive Harfield</b>, London Metropolitan University</p> <p><b>Introductory Speaker /Animator:</b> <b>Paal Christian Balchen</b>, National Police Directorate</p>
<p><b>Speakers:</b></p> <p><b>Peter St Jean</b>, University of Chicago, Community Police Relations in Dominica, West Indies</p> <p><b>Erik Nadheim</b>, Director, National Crime Prevention Council, Norway</p> <p>Representative, Swedish Police District</p>	<p><b>Speakers:</b></p> <p><b>Javiera Blanco</b>, Deputy Secretary, Carabineros, Chile (tbc)</p> <p>Representative, Danish Police District</p> <p><i>Other speakers to be announced (tba)...</i></p>	<p><b>Speakers:</b></p> <p><b>Frederic Ocqueteau</b>, Centre d'Études et de Recherches de Science Administrative (CERSA), France</p> <p>Representative, Victoria Australia (tba)</p>

16:30-16:45

**Break**

16:45-17:30

**Conclusions**

Chair: **Tor Tanke Holme**, Norwegian Police Directorate

Three Rapporteurs

19:00

**Official Dinner**

**Day Two**  
**Friday November 9<sup>th</sup>, 2007**

8.00- 9:00                      Registration

08:30 – 08:45                **Opening Session**  
**Keynote Presentation:** *(title to be announced)*  
**Kjellbjørg Lunde**, President National Crime Prevention Council.

08:45-9:45                    **Keynote Presentation:** **Has the citizen any role in expert policing?**  
**Jean Paul Brodeur**, Director of the *International Centre for Comparative Criminology*, University of Montreal

9:45 – 10:00                **Break & Exhibition**

10:45 – 11:30              **Concurrent Workshops**

<b>Building Effective Partnerships for Safe Communities</b>	<b>Examining the Structure and Culture of Police Services</b>	<b>Highlighting Contemporary Developments in Knowledge-Based Policing</b>
<p><b>Rapporteur:</b> Representative, Australia</p> <p><b>Animator:</b>  Professor <b>Jean Paul Brodeur</b></p>	<p><b>Rapporteur:</b> Representative, South African Police Service</p> <p><b>Animator:</b>  <b>Liv Finstad</b>, University of Oslo</p>	<p><b>Rapporteur:</b> Representative, Belgium</p> <p><b>Animator:</b> (tba)</p>
<p><b>Speakers:</b></p> <p>Representative, Sami Parliament (tba)</p> <p>Representative, Queretaro, Mexico</p>	<p><b>Speakers:</b></p> <p><b>Cecilia MacDowell Santos</b>, Center for Social Studies, University of Coimbra, Portugal. Women's Police Stations in Brazil, and other countries.</p> <p><b>Daniel Langlais</b>, Former Police Chief, Quebec City, Canada</p> <p>Representative, Estonia Police District</p> <p>Police Representative, Belgium</p>	<p><b>Speakers:</b></p> <p><b>Katalin Gönczöl</b>, Professor of Criminology, Hungary</p> <p><b>Jerry Ratcliffe</b>, Associate Professor, Temple University, Philadelphia</p> <p>Representative; Hordaland Police District, Norway</p> <p>Representative, South Africa</p>

12:15– 13:15              **Lunch**

13:15 – 15:00

### Concurrent Roundtable Discussions

In this session, **two roundtable discussions** will be held on *International Cooperation and Technical Assistance Programs in Police Partnerships from Around the World*. Particular emphasis will be placed on ways to develop police exchanges on experiences, projects and activities related to partnering in crime prevention with other stakeholders.

**A third roundtable session** will act as a City Forum on the *Role of Cities in Crime Prevention and Local Safety*. Cities around the world share common issues facing crime and fear of crime. Local action in crime prevention involving police services as much as municipal departments, civil society, and citizens has been demonstrated as more effective in both the short and long term. This forum forms part of ICPC's ongoing mission in promoting direct exchanges between cities to strengthen their role at the international level.

International Cooperation and Technical Assistance	International Cooperation and Technical Assistance	Cities Forum
<b>Moderator: Tor Tanke Holm</b> , National Police Directorate, Norway	<b>Moderator: Laura Capobianco</b> , ICPC	<b>Moderator: Representative</b> , Canada (tbc)

15:00 – 15:30 **Statements on Police Partnerships from Around the World**

#### **International Cooperation**

Ellen Ahnfelt, Senior Advisor, National Police Directorate, Norway

#### **European Cooperation**

**Michel Marcus**, European Forum on Urban Safety

#### **Cities Forum**

Speaker (tba)

15:30-15:45

#### **Conclusions**

**Valerie Sagant**, Director General, Conclusions ICPC

15:45-16:00

**Presentation on ICPC's 8<sup>th</sup> Annual Colloquium on Crime Prevention**