

Preventing Violent Extremism in the Arab States

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25-26 February 2019

At: El Mouradi Gammarth, Tunis, Tunisia

AGENDA

DAY ONE – 25 February 2019	
8.30-9.00	Registration
9.00-9.30	<p>Opening Remarks</p> <p>Keynote Speakers: El Kebir Mdarhri Alaoui, Resident Representative a.i., UNDP Tunisia Mokhtar Ben Nasr, President, National Counter-Terrorism Commission, Government of Tunisia Khaled Abdel Shafi, Director, UNDP Regional Hub for Arab States</p>
9.30-11.00	<p>Session 1: National PVE Frameworks: Strategies and Action Plans <i>Consultation processes, governance mechanisms and implementation modalities</i></p> <p>Facilitator: Hanny Megally, Senior Fellow, New York University</p> <p>Speakers: Rubina Abou Zeinab, National Coordinator for Preventing Violent Extremism, Government of Lebanon Neila Feki, Vice-President, National Counter-Terrorism Commission, Tunisia Mohamed Jamal Eldin, Director General, Sudan National Commission on Counter Terrorism</p> <p>Presentation: <i>“Stocktaking of lessons learned from developing National Action Plans to Prevent Violent Extremism”</i> Malin Herwig, Peacebuilding Adviser, UNDP Regional Hub for Arab States</p>
11.00-11.30	Coffee Break
11.30-13.00	<p>Session 2: Resilience to Radicalization and Recruitment to Violent Extremist Organizations <i>Strengthening individual and community resilience</i></p> <p>Facilitator: Alaa Ali, Social Cohesion, Community Mobilization Specialist, UNDP Iraq</p> <p>Speakers: Khadije Nasser, Senior Regional Programme Manager, Strong Cities Network Dr. Mohammed Arabiat, President, Generations for Peace Ruth Simpson, Senior Lead – Development, Impact and Learning, MENA, International Alert Dr. Mohamed Belekbir, Director, Center on the Study of Values - Mohammadia League of Scholars</p>

13.00-14.00	Lunch
14.00-15.30	<p>Parallel Sessions <i>Including coffee break</i></p> <p>Session 3A: Preventing Violent Extremism through Education Room: Orchidée 1+2 (Main Conference Room)</p> <p>Facilitator: Alaa Ali, Social Cohesion, Community Mobilization Specialist, UNDP Iraq Speakers: Gabriel El Khili, Programme Specialist, UNESCO Aziz Nahya, Ministry of Education, Morocco</p> <p>Session 3B: Developing PVE National Action Plans <i>Lessons learned, including from consultation processes</i> Room: Orchidée 3</p> <p>Facilitator: Muhammad Abushaqra, PVE Policy Advisor, Government of Lebanon Speaker: Ines Tlili, Country Representative NOVACT-Tunisia</p> <p>Session 3C: Implementing PVE National Action Plans <i>Lessons learned, including inter-ministerial bodies and governance mechanisms</i> Room: Orchidée 4</p> <p>Facilitator: Malek Kochlef, Director General, Permanent Secretary of the National CT Commission, Presidency of the Government</p>
15.45-16.30	<p>Key Points from Parallel Sessions <i>Discussion in plenary</i></p> <p>Moderator: Ali Muntasir, PAVE Innovation and Youth Officer, UNDP Sudan</p>
<i>The next part of the agenda will be held in the lounge adjacent to reception at Ground Floor. Invitations will be extended beyond workshop participants.</i>	
17.00-18.00	<p><i>Exploring Protracted Violent Conflicts in MENA and how Violent Extremists exacerbate this trend</i></p> <p>Facilitator: Khaled Abdel Shafi, Director, UNDP Regional Hub for Arab States Speaker: Richard Barrett, Director, Global Strategy Network</p>
18.00-19.00	<p>Reception <i>With refreshments</i></p>

DAY TWO – 26 February 2019	
09.00-10.30	<p>Session 5: How can internal security actors contribute to preventing violent extremism? <i>How can collaboration between internal security forces and other actors can contribute to increase trust and ensure that human rights standards are integrated in PVE efforts?</i></p> <p>Facilitator: Hanny Megally, Senior Fellow, New York University Speakers: Marc Renfer, Police Attaché, Embassy of Switzerland, Tunisia Moulay Idriss Agoulmam, Director of Reinsertion, DGPAR (Prison Administration) Morocco Eduardo Lopez-Mancisidor Rule of law program coordinator, UNDP Tunisia</p>
10.30-11.00	Coffee Break
11.00-12.15	<p>Session 6: Support by Regional and International Organizations to effective PVE programmes and strategies <i>Key approaches, resources and strategies of regional and international organizations</i></p> <p>Facilitator: Malin Herwig, Peacebuilding Adviser, UNDP Regional Hub for Arab States</p> <p>Speakers: Zohra Elgeddy, League of Arab States Farah Mohamud, Programme Coordinator, IGAD Center for Preventing and Countering Violent Extremism Mehdi Knani, Political Affairs Officer, UNOCT</p>
12.15-13.00	<p>Session 7. Launch of New Publication: “Risk Management for PVE Programmes: Guidance for Practitioners”</p> <p>Presenters: Josie Lianna Kaye, Author and Research-Practitioner, TrustWorks Global and D.Phil Candidate, Oxford University Giordano Segneri, Peace and Development Adviser, UN Tunisia</p>
13.00-14.00	Lunch
14.00-15.15	<p>Parallel Sessions <i>Including coffee break</i></p> <p>Session 8A: Monitoring of PVE National Action Plans <i>How to measure impact of policies and programmes</i> Room: Orchidée 1+2 (Main Conference Room)</p> <p>Facilitator: Fadi Abilmona, Programme Manager, UNDP Lebanon</p>

	<p>Speaker: Ruth Simpson, Senior Lead – Development, Impact and Learning, MENA International Alert</p> <p>Session 8B: National, Sub-Regional and Local Programming <i>Programming at different geographic levels</i> Room: Orchidée 3</p> <p>Facilitator: Ibrahim Gharaibeh, Researcher, Center for Strategic Studies, Jordan Speakers: May Salem, Programme Manager, Cairo International Center for Conflict Resolution, Peacekeeping and Peacebuilding (CCCPA)</p> <p>Session 8C: Risk Management for PVE Programmes: Guidance Note <i>Applying the guide</i> Room: Orchidée 4</p> <p>Facilitator: Giordano Segneri, Peace and Development Adviser, UN Tunisia Speaker: Josie Lianna Kaye, Author and Research-Practitioner, TrustWorks Global and D.Phil Candidate at Oxford</p>
15.15-15.45	<p>Key Points from Parallel Sessions <i>Discussion in plenary</i></p> <p>Moderator: Ali Muntasir, PAVE Innovation and Youth Officer, UNDP Sudan</p>
15.45-16.00	<p>Thank You and Closing Remarks</p> <p>Mokhtar Ben Nasr, President, National Counter-Terrorism Commission, Government of Tunisia El Kebir Mdarhri Alaoui, Resident Representative a.i., UNDP Tunisia</p>