



EUROPEAN COMMISSION
DIRECTORATE-GENERAL JUSTICE AND CONSUMERS



EACH ONE
TEACH ONE e.V.

*Presentation of the FRA report:
"Being Black in the EU"*

Followed by a session:

How best to use FRA's survey findings on people of African descent in policy-making?

Workshop at the European Commission

28 November 2018, 14:00-16:00

*European Commission, Directorate-General Migration and Home Affairs, Rue du Luxembourg 46
(meeting room Falcone-Borsellino, ground floor)*

- Moderator:** Larry Olomofe, Executive Director of PADLINK and Consultative Member of the European Network of People of African Descent (ENPAD)
- 14:00-14:10** Welcome address by Barbara Nolan, Head of the Fundamental Rights Policy Unit, DG JUSTICE
- 14:10-14:15** Introduction by Larry Olomofe and Tatjana Peric, Senior Programme Manager at OSCE Office for Democratic Institutions and Human Rights (ODIHR)
- 14:15-14:20** Opening remarks by Cécile Kyenge, Member of the European Parliament and co-President of the European Parliament and Anti-racism and Diversity Intergroup (ARDI)
- 14:20-14:40** Rossalina Latcheva, Senior Programme Manager, European Union Agency for Fundamental Rights (FRA) – *Conclusions and opinions of FRA report "Being Black in the EU: experiences of racial discrimination and racist violence among people of African descent"*
- 14:40-14:50** Birgit Van Hout, UN Human Rights Office (OHCHR) Regional Representative for Europe – *The added value to the EU of the UN International Decade for People of African Descent 2015-2024*
- 14:50-15:00** Esther Mamadou, ENPAD Executive Director – *Reflections by ENPAD and the European Network against Racism (ENAR) on the most central findings of the survey and the adequacy of existing EU measures and policies*
- 15:00-15:05** His Excellency Ahmat Awad Sakine, the African Union Ambassador to the EU – *Comments on promoting the rights of people of African descent in the EU* (tbc)
- 15:05-15:55** Structured roundtable on areas where policy interventions against afrophobia/anti-black racism are most (urgently) needed, introduced by Linda Ravo and Nadège Defrère, DG JUSTICE
- 15:55-16:00** Closing remarks and next steps by the moderator, Larry Olomofe

The workshop will be followed by a closed doors meeting for civil society representatives