

# International Training School on Core Correctional Skills

7-11 October 2024

# **Programme**

**Venue:** Centre for Legal Studies and Specialized Training

Carrer de Pau Claris, 158, 08009 Barcelona, Catalonia – Spain





## Monday 7<sup>nd</sup> October

#### Room 4.03 - Chair of the day: Prof. Ioan Durnescu

09.30 – 10.00	Official opening  Dr Encarna Bodelon Gonzalez - Director of the Centre for Legal Studies and Judicial Training, Catalan Government.  Ms Marta Ferrer, Deputy Director of Probation, Restorative justice and Victim support, Catalan Department of Justice and Democratic Quality and CEP Vice-President.  Professor loan Durnescu – University of Bucharest, Romania and ITSCCS Course Coordinator.
10.00 – 10.40	Short introduction of the participants and housekeeping rules
10.40 – 11.15	Opening speech – Desistance and lived experience Prof Shadd Maruna - University of Liverpool
11.15 – 11.30	Q & A
11.30 – 12.00	Coffee break and Networking (Room 4.09)
12.00 – 12.45	How to build up the working alliance with an involuntary client?
	Prof Ioan Durnescu
12.45 – 13.00	Practice Lab – participants will practice the first interview
13.00 – 13.30	Pro-social modelling
	Prof Ioan Durnescu
	Ms Anna Esquerrà Roqueta
13.30 – 14.30	Practice micro-skills and feedback in the plenary
14.30 – 15.00	Lunch (free choice)
15.00 – 19.00	Free time
19.00 – 20.00	Reception at Hotel Renaissance – Roof top terrace C. de Pau Claris, 122, 08009 Barcelona *Open bar from 19.00 to 19.30. After 19.30 attendants will be able to continue enjoying the roof top terrace but any order after this time (food or dripk) will be baree by each attendant.



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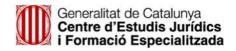
## Tuesday 8th October

9.30 – 10.30	<b>Lived experience (part 1)</b> Prof Andrew Brierley – Leeds Trinity University
10.30-11.00	Coffee break and Networking (Conference's room Hall, ground floor)
11.00-12.30	<b>Lived experience (part 2)</b> Prof Andrew Brierley — Leeds Trinity University
12.30 – 13.15	Lunch (free choice)
13.15 – 13.45	<b>Transportation to the study visit by metro.</b> Meeting point: front door Centre for Legal Studies.
14.00 – 15.30	Study visit (part 1) - Conversation with two testimonies — Lived experience
15.30 – 16.30	Study visit (part 2) - Visit to a former Prison "La Model"



## Wednesday 9th October

09.30 – 10.30	Problem solving Ms Iuliana Carbunaru
10.30 – 11.30	Practice Lab – practicing in small groups – problem orientation and problem-solving
11.30 – 12.00	Coffee break and Networking (Room 4.09)
12.00 – 12.30	Feedback in plenary on problem-solving
12.30 – 13.30	Motivational interviewing  Ms Iuliana Carbunaru and Prof Ioan Durnescu
13.30 – 14.30	Practice Lab – practicing in small groups – the use of change talk and amplifying discrepancies.
14.30 – 15.30	Lunch (free choice)
15.30 - 17.30	Walking tour Barcelona - Eixample and Gothic Quarter Meeting point: front door of the Centre for Legal Studies and go together to the starting point of the walking tour.  The tour will last about 2.00h approx., wear comfortable shoes.





## Thursday 10th October

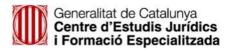
09.30 – 10.30	Summary of the previous days and feedback from the participants  Ask anything session  Prof. loan Durnescu
10.30 – 11.30	Feedback to the plenary and discussions on Motivational Interviewing
11.30 – 12.00	Coffee break and Networking (Conference's room Hall, ground floor)
12.00 – 13.00	Cognitive behavioural interventions  Mr Joseph Arvidson and Prof Ioan Durnescu
13.00 – 14.00	Practice Lab – practicing in small groups based on scenarios
14.00 – 14.30	Feedback on the plenary and discussions
14.30 – 15.30	Lunch (free choice)





## Friday 11th October

09.30 – 10.00	Summary of the previous days and feedback from the participants Ask anything session Prof. Ioan Durnescu
10.00 – 10.45	On the feedback loops. Measuring the quality of the relationship Prof. Ioan Durnescu
10.45 – 11.15	Coffee break and Networking (Room 4.09)
11.15 – 12.15	Integrating all skills into everyday practice. Discussions on how to transfer the new learning into normal working routines
12.15 – 14.00	Final evaluation of the course and closing ceremony  Ms Penelope Torres Moreno – Head of Criminal Justice Initial Training - Centre for Legal Studies and Judicial Training.  Ms Iuliana Carbunaru - Probation Inspector for the National Probation Directorate, Ministry of Justice of Romania and CEP Vice-President.  Professor Ioan Durnescu – University of Bucharest, Romania and ITSCCS Course coordinator.





#### **Partners**

The Fourth edition of the International Training School on Core Correctional Skills is organised by the Confederation of European Probation (CEP) and the Centre for Legal Studies and Specialised Training.

The Centre for Legal Studies and Specialized Training is an autonomous administrative body attached to the Ministry of Justice of the Government of Catalonia. It was created in 1990 and its fundamental mission is to organise initial training and continuous education for the staff working at different units of the Ministry with the aim of ensuring and improving the quality of the services provided. With a view to contributing to this end, another pivotal activity of the centre is to conduct research in the fields of criminology, enforcement of sentences, administration of justice and the Catalonia's own body of laws. Moreover, the centre leads university practicum programmes, is home to a specialised public library, organises exchanges with teaching and research centres at national and international level, and regularly takes an active part in international exchange and innovation projects.

More information can be found at http://cejfe.gencat.cat/ca/inici/

The Confederation of European Probation (CEP) is an umbrella organisation for Probation institutions in Europe. Founded in 1981, CEP brings together practitioners, managers, academics, stakeholders and others working in the field of probation and criminal justice from all over Europe. The goals of CEP are to enhance the profile of probation and to improve professionalism in this field, on a national and a European level. It promotes pan-European cooperation and exchange of ideas by organising conferences, by making reports available, by publishing its digital newsletter and through its website. In addition, CEP participates in academic projects which compile and study effective policy and practice in probation. It thus endorses the start of a 'science' of probation. To European bodies such as the European Union and the Council of Europe, CEP is the spokesperson for the sector of probation, providing expertise and comparative data. CEP is a member-based organisation with 90 members representing 39 EU countries and 42 EU jurisdictions.

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#### Additional information

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