



**Fourth European Road Safety Day  
Nicosia, 25 July 2012**

**Nicosia Conference Centre**

**"Active involvement of Youth in Road Safety"**



08h00 - 08h30	Reception and registration of participants
08h30 - 08h45	Family photo
08h45 - 09h00	<p><b>OPENING</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Message of His Excellency Mr. Demetris CHRISTOFIAS, Chairman of EU Council, President of the Republic of Cyprus ( read by the Undersecretary to the President, Mr. Titos Christofides)</li> <li>➤ Message of Mr. Siim KALLAS, Vice-President of the European Commission responsible for Mobility and Transport (by video)</li> </ul>
09h00 - 09h20	<p>EU Road Safety Policy: Political orientations on Road Safety 2011 - 2020</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Mr. Szabolcs SCHMIDT, Head of Road Safety Unit, European Commission</li> </ul>
09h20 - 10h30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Findings of the PIN project with respect to Youth Mr. Antonio AVENOSO, Executive Director, European Transport Safety Council (ETSC)</li> <li>➤ The active involvement of Youth in the efforts for Road Safety Mr. Floor LIESHOUT, Director, YOURS (Youth for Road Safety)</li> <li>➤ Debate with the participants</li> </ul>
10h30 - 10h55	Coffee break
10h55 - 11h15	<p>Creation of a road safety culture among the young people</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Mr. Joël VALMAIN, Technical Advisor Europe-International, Interministerial Delegation for Road Safety - France</li> </ul>
11h15 - 12h30	<p>Findings and recommendations of a study by the University of Cyprus on the issue of road safety of the young and relevant actions taken in Cyprus</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Findings and recommendations of the study Dr Georgia PANAGIOTOU, Associate Professor, University of Cyprus</li> <li>➤ Relevant actions taken in Cyprus Mr. George MORFAKIS, Head of Road Safety Unit, Republic of Cyprus</li> <li>➤ Youth point on the findings and recommendations of the study and the actions taken in Cyprus Mr. Marios STAVROU, Chairman of the Cyprus Youth Organization for Road Safety, REACTION</li> <li>➤ Debate with the participants</li> </ul>
12h30 - 14h00	Lunch

14h00 - 15h30	<b>Workshops</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Education and training - Life-long learning</li> <li>➤ Enforcement - relations between the Police and the young people - ways of mutual understanding and cooperation</li> <li>➤ Risky behaviors (alcohol, drugs, speeding) and vulnerability of young road users (cyclists, powered-two-wheelers)</li> </ul>
15h30 - 16h00	<b>Coffee break</b>
16h00 - 16h30	<b>Plenary</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Presentation of workshops' conclusions / recommendations</li> <li>➤ Discussion and approval of conference conclusions/ recommendations</li> </ul>
16h30 - 16h45	<b>Closing of the conference</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Mr. Szabolcs SCHMIDT, Head of Road Safety Unit, European Commission</li> </ul>

#### Interactive demonstrations on safe and eco-driving

- Simulators are available throughout the conference time
- 16h45 - 17h00: Presentation on eco-driving (ECOWILL project)  
Mr. Gabriel SIMCIC, Project Manager, FIA Brussels
- As of 17h00, competition on eco-driving with Spyros PAVLIDES, Cypriot driver of the World Rally Championship

18h00 - 18h30 **Press conference**

#### Dinner by the sea

- 19h30: transfer to LUSH BEACHBAR RESTAURANT in Larnaca (Mackenzie Beach Area)
- 20h00 - 24h00: dinner
- 24h00: return to the hotel