

5 TAKEAWAYS ON BREXIT:

Brexit and Citizens Rights The Case of Gibraltar

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University of Gibraltar, Europa Point Campus

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Organized by: European Citizens Action Services (ECAS), Citizens Advice International (CAI) and the Government of Gibraltar.

The aim of the workshop is to outline possible scenarios for a new EU-UK relationship and their impact on the citizens of Gibraltar, identifying current challenges of the fundamental rights of citizens and exploring the way forward, visions, strategies and possible solutions.

The debate is part of the project. **Brexit Takeaways**, which aims to provide citizens with evidence-based information on how the final deal reached between the EU and the UK, might influence their rights, in order to allow them to back the best deal when negotiations start and assert their rights once an agreement is reached. A series of events are being organised in London, Northern Ireland, Gibraltar and Belgium, from February to June 2017, to disseminate and discuss the findings of the study on which this project is based. The partners acknowledge the financial support of the Joseph Rowntree Charitable Trust.

More at: <http://ecas.org/projects/brexit-takeaways/>

AGENDA

- 09:00 - 09:15 Welcome/ Registration
- 09:15 - 09:30 Keynote address by Chief Minister of Gibraltar (*The Hon Fabian Picardo QC MP*)
- 09:30 – 10:00 Keynote speech and introduction to the workshop (*Assya Kavrakova, ECAS' Director*)
Presentation of ECAS' study findings – General implications of Brexit for citizens' rights (*Marta Pont, ECAS' Membership and Outreach Manager*)
- 10:00 – 10:20 The Implications of Brexit for Gibraltar by Deputy Chief Minister (*The Hon Dr Joseph Garcia, Minister for Brexit*)
- 10:30 -11:00 Coffee Break
- 11:00 –12:30 Discussions from the panel - A way forward: Visions, Strategies and possible Solutions for the citizens of Gibraltar
- Michael Llamas QC - Attorney General for Gibraltar (Chair)*
Molly Scott, MEP representative for Gibraltar (videoconference)
Assya Kavrakova – ECAS Director
Marta Pont – Membership & Outreach Manager ECAS
Gemma Vasquez – Gibraltar Lawyer
Daniella Tilbury – Vice Chancellor – CEO University of Gibraltar
- 12:30-13:00 Questions & Answers
- 13:00-13:15 Rapporteur - *Richard Buttigieg - Lawyer & Trustee of Citizens Advice Bureau Gibraltar*
- 13:15-13:30 Closure – *Minister for Equality & Housing, the Hon Samantha Sacramento*
- 13:30 Lunch at the University of Gibraltar