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Migrant integration policy in Latvia: evidence and practice

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Hotel Avalon, 13.janvāra street 19

Working language: English

9:00 Registration and coffee

9:30 Introductory remarks: Marija Golubeva, PROVIDUS, development director

9:35 Presentation of Migrant integration policy index 2015 (MIPEX): Thomas Huddleston, Migration Policy Group, Policy analyst

10:10 Panel debate on Latvia's evaluation in MIPEX with a focus on political participation and citizenship

Participants:

- Thomas Huddleston, Migration Policy Group, Policy analyst,
- Jānis Citskovskis, Office of Citizenship and Migration Affairs, Deputy Head,
- Boriss Cilevičs, Latvian Parliament, Human Rights and Public Affairs Committee Deputy chairman, (tbc)
- Ilkhom Khalimzoda, third country national.

Moderator: Marija Golubeva, PROVIDUS, development director

11:40 Break

12:00 From policy to action: Presentation of mentors' programme and pilot projects. Indra Mangule, Policy analyst at PROVIDUS, and participants-third country nationals Aleksandra Ošiņa, Alexey Anisimov, Elena Ozola.

13:00 Sandwich lunch

14:00 Two parallel brain storm sessions:

- Goals, objectives and opportunities to establish a migrant NGO in Latvia, moderated by Iveta Kažoka, PROVIDUS, Policy analyst;
- Activities to enhance participation of third country nationals in Latvia, moderated by Indra Mangule, PROVIDUS, Policy analyst.

15:30 Presentation of brain storm results and concluding remarks

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