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# THE BEST OF THE WORST AND THE PERMANENTLY BAD. LIFE SENTENCED PRISONERS

NOVEMBER 18-19, 2021  
ONLINE

## PROGRAMME

NOVEMBER 18

10:00

Official Opening of the Conference:  
prof. Tomasz Kaźmierczak, dyrektor IPSiR Uniwersytet Warszawski  
ppłk w stanie spoczynku Magdalena Brodzińska-Patalas, Służba Więzienna

SESSION 1

Life imprisonment in the international perspective, part 1

CHAIR

dr Gaëtan Cliquennois

10:20

*Suicide prevention in places of detention: pre-suicide approach, risk management and punishment* – dr Gaëtan Cliquennois, French national Centre for Scientific Research (CNRS), "Law and Social Change", University of Nantes, France

10:40

*Informal life imprisonment: the problem of the euphemism* – prof. Dirk van Zyl Smit, Emeritus Professor of Comparative and International Penal Law, University of Nottingham; Emeritus Professor of Criminology, University of Cape Town

11:00

*Providing (false) hope of release? Life imprisonment in Lithuania* – dr Catherine Appleton (Senior Research Fellow at the Centre for Research and Education in Security, Prison and Forensic Psychiatry, St Olavs University Hospital, Trondheim and Research Associate in Law at the University of Nottingham), dr Simonas Nikartas, Goda Šleinotaitė (Law Institute at the Lithuanian Centre for Social Sciences)

11:20-11:35

Discussion

11:35-11:50

Coffee break



## NOVEMBER 19

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**10:00** *Welcoming the participants - dr Maria Niełaczná*

### **SESSION 4** Life imprisonment - legal and psychological aspects

**CHAIR** **dr Katarzyna Witkowska-Rozpara**

**10:10** *Is one diagnosis enough? The value of psychological and penitentiary opinions for the prisoner and the system - prof. dr hab. Beata Pastwa-Wojciechowska, Uniwersytet Gdański*

**10:30** *Psychological and penitentiary opinions of convicts serving a sentence of life imprisonment - dr Maria Gordon, wieloletnia biegła sądowa, Uniwersytet Warszawski*

**10:50** *Conduct and attitudes of prison staff towards persons sentenced to life imprisonment - a voice in the discussion - dr Robert Poklek, Uniwersytet im. Adama Mickiewicza w Poznaniu*

**11:10-11:25** Discussion

**11:25-11:35** Coffee break

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### **SESSION 5** Life imprisonment is a real place and time

**CHAIR** **Anna Osowska-Rembecka**

**11:35** *Question about the rehabilitation and citizenship of life prisoner - Anna Osowska-Rembecka, ekspert projektu "Studia dla więźniów", Paweł Luberski, płk w stanie spoczynku, Służba Więzienna*

**11:50** *„What works?” in the context of working with prisoners serving a sentence of life imprisonment - selected aspects - dr Monika Badowska-Hodyr, Uniwersytet Rzeszowski*

**12:10** *The best impact. Share the good - mjr Alicja Kapała, por Marek Pięta, ppor Kornel Ratajski, Zakład Karny w Rawiczu*

**12:40** *Who will plead for us? Life prisoners in complaints to the Ombudsman - dr Barbara Błońska, Uniwersytet Warszawski, dr Ewa Dawidziuk, Biuro Rzecznika Praw Obywatelskich*

**13:00-13:15** Discussion

**13:15-13:45** Lunch break

**SESSION 6**      **Life prisoners from different perspectives**

**CHAIR**

**dr Maria Niełaczná**

**13:45**

*Made in Poland, back from abroad – convicted abroad and extradited* – dr Justyna Włodarczyk-Madejska, mgr Dominik Wzorek, Instytut Nauk Prawnych PAN

**14:05**

*Women imprisoned for life. Longing, helplessness and hope* – Maria Ejchart-Dubois, Helsińska Fundacja Praw Człowieka

**14:25**

*Who is a life prisoner?* - prof. Andrzej Rzepliński, Uniwersytet Warszawski

**14:45-15:00**

Discussion and summary of the Conference

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Języki konferencji: polski i angielski (tłumaczenie symultaniczne)  
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