



**Fostering Child-Friendly Legal Environments  
through collaborative networks**

***FOSTER Final Conference***

***Enhancing Child-Friendly Justice  
Systems for Victims of Crime***

***May 21<sup>st</sup> 2026***

***09:15 – 16:30 (Athens)/ 08:15 –  
15:30 (CEST)***



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In the frame of the EU co-funded project *FOSTER – Fostering Child-Friendly Legal Environments through Collaborative Approaches*, the Centre for European Constitutional Law, in collaboration with FOSTER project partners, proudly invite you to the FOSTER Final Conference.

The Conference will take place on **21 May 2026** in Athens and in a **hybrid format**, allowing participation from practitioners and stakeholders across Europe.

Legal professionals and child protection practitioners from Greece, Bulgaria, Slovenia, and Hungary will participate in the Conference to exchange insights on challenges, share good practices, and explore opportunities for strengthening support to child victims of crime.

The working languages of the Conference will be **Greek** and **English**, with simultaneous interpretation available.

**To attend the conference online kindly register [here](#).**

### *Agenda*

09:15 – 09:30 | Registration and welcome coffee

09:30 – 09:45 | Welcome remarks

**09:45 – 10:00 | FOSTER project: Outputs, results and achievements**

**Natasha Alexopoulou**, FOSTER project coordinator, Centre for European Constitutional Law

**10:00 – 10:40 | Key note speeches**

**Xeni Dimitriou**, Honorary Public Prosecutor of the Supreme Court of Greece

**Konstantinos Panagos**, Assistant Professor, Law School of Athens, National and Kapodistrian University of Athens

10:40 - 11:00 | Coffee break

**11:00 – 12:30 | Panel 1 – Safeguarding the Rights of Child Victims of Crime**

Moderator: **Miha Hafner**, Assistant Professor, Faculty of Law University of Ljubljana, Institute of Criminology at the Faculty of Law Ljubljana

Contributions by:

**Deja Kozjek**, Judge at the Ljubljana Court of Appeal, Slovenia

**Elitsa Lingorski**, New Bulgarian University's Know-how Center for Alternative Childcare, Bulgaria

**Katerina Angelopoulou**, Lawyer, SOS Villages Legal Advisor, Greece



**Dr. Dorina Csalár**, Head of Internet Hotline Department, National Media and Infocommunications Authority, Hungary

12:30 – 13:30 | Lunch Break

**13:30 – 14:45 | Panel 2 – Building Safe Communication with Child Victims of Crime**

Moderator: **Agnes Lux**, Research Fellow, PhD, ELTE Institute for Legal Studies of the Centre for Social Sciences

Contributions by:

**Csilla Naggyőr**, Lieutenant colonel, National Police, Hungary

**Dr. Mateja Hudoklin**, Child clinical psychologist, Slovenia

**Sevasti Oikonomou**, Head of Children's House Piraeus, Greece

14:45 – 15:00 | Short Break

**15:00 – 15:45 | Panel 3 – Improving Child-Friendly Justice Systems in Practice and Policy**

Moderator: **Natasha Alexopoulou**, FOSTER project coordinator, Centre for European Constitutional Law

Contributions by:

**Tomislav Toshkov**, Attorney's Training Center "Krustyo Tsonchev", Bulgaria

**Nicholas Spetsidis**, Project coordinator, Union of Women Members' Associations of Heraklion Prefecture, Greece

**15:45 – 16:30 | Discussion and final remarks**



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