



Graduation Ceremony of the European Master in Human Rights and Democratisation, EMA 2016/2017

and Inauguration of the Academic Year 2017/2018

In memoriam Antonio Papisca

Musicians

Musicians for Human Rights

Merimo Ključo, Accordion Jawa Manla, Oud and Voice Gennarino Amato, Clarinet Paolo Rossetti Murittu, Percussion Alessio Allegrini, French Horn **EIUC Master of Ceremony**

Elisabetta Noli

Venue

Scuola Grande di San Rocco, Venice 24 September 2017







16:00 Start of the ceremony

Volt ikh gehat koyekh (Eastern Europe Hasidic)

16:05 Entrance of Rectors and Professors of the EUC Universities

Hamisha Asar (Bosnia/Ladino)

16:10 Welcome addresses

Manfred Nowak, EIUC Secretary General Maria Laura Picchio Forlati, Scuola Grande di San Rocco

16:25 Guest speakers

Ermelinda Damiano, President of the City Council

Marco Mascia, Director, Human Rights Center, University of Padua Vital Moreira, EMA Director, University of Coimbra and former MEP

Paul Lemmens, Judge, European Court of Human Rights

16:50 Music

Hajd' Sad Majka (Bosnia), Dakhalt mara fe gnena (Syria), Canon Vračenica (Macedonia/Bulgaria)

17:00 Comments on music and human rights

Julian Fifer, Musicians for Human Rights (MFHR)

17:05 Music

El Cant dels Ocells (traditional, Catalonia)

17:10 Guest speakers

Stavros Lambrinidis, EU Special Representative for Human Rights Nada Al Nashif, Assistant Director-General for Social and Human Sciences, UNESCO Michael O'Flaherty, Director, EU Fundamental Rights Agency (FRA) Umberto Vattani, President, Venice International University (VIU)

Signature of the Memorandum of Understanding between MFHR/EIUC and VIU/EIUC

17:45 EMA alumni

Katarina Mansson, Office of the UN Special Coordinator for the Middle East Peace Process

17:50 Music

La Ballata dell' Eroe (Italy), Mujo (Bosnia), Dance! Dance! (Klezmer)

18:00 Address by Student Representatives Joëlle Catherine Klein and Jan Hagen Scholtzhauer

18:10 Awarding of Diplomas to the European Master in Human Rights and Democratisation 2016/2017

Introduced by **George Ulrich**, EMA Programme Director 2016/2017, together with Rectors and Professors

18:35 Awarding of the EMA Internships and announcement of EMA Awarded Theses 2016/2017

Introduced by Ria Wolleswinkel, EMA Chairperson

18:40 Awarding of the EMACtivism Prize 2017

Introduced by **Tessa Schrempf**, President of the EMAlumni Association

18:45 Awarding of the Global Campus Visual Contest 2017

Introduced by **Veronica Gomez**, Global Campus Council Chairperson

18:50 Inauguration of the European Master's Degree in Human Rights and Democratisation 2017/2018

Introduced by the Rectors and Professors of the EMA Universities

18:55 Music

Ode an die Freude, Ludwig van Beethoven