



### **Agenda (Draft 9.2.2017)**

## **WAVE - Youth Video Award Ceremony**

*Monday, February 27<sup>th</sup>, 2017*

*EU Parliament Brussels, Room ASP 5E-1*

### **18.30-21.30pm**

The European Youth Video Award was created in order to bring more youth involvement to the campaign. Young people (18-25 years old), youth organizations, (film-) schools and media departments of universities were encouraged to participate actively, with the main goal of raising awareness of violence against women and encouraging survivors to seek support. Step Up! Is a European-wide campaign promoting the rights of women survivors of violence and their children to access support and protection. This campaign aims to step up efforts in Europe to stop violence against women, raise awareness of the problem, and protect survivors through activities which target different stakeholders and decision-makers.

Seven countries took part in the Video Awards: **Austria, Italy, Finland, Macedonia, Portugal and Serbia.**

Moderation by Maria Rösslhuber.

18:30: Opening by Ulrike Lunacek, Vice-President of the European Parliament, The Greens/EFA, Austria

18:45: Opening by Monika Vana, The Greens/EFA and MEP for Austria

19:00: Rosa Logar, WAVE President, Speech about WAVE and Step Up! Campaign

19:15: Lina Piskernik, WAVE office, Presentation about the Youth Video Award

19:30: Presentation of the Austrian national winner followed by discussion with filmmakers Laura Untner, Sophie Kele and Tobias Aigner

19:40: Presentation of "Portami via" followed by discussion with Italian filmmaker Luciana Trulio

19:50: Presentation of “Speak” followed by discussion with Finnish filmmakers Noora Tossavainen, Helmi Hytönen, Miika Lautkoski and Matias Tanner

20:00: Presentation of “Little Me vs Society” followed by discussion with the Macedonian filmmakers Elena Kostoska and Lina Lambrinidis

20:10: Presentation of “Atitude em movimento” followed by discussion with Portuguese filmmaker Joana do Mar Ferreira Machado

20:20: Presentation of “Silent Life” followed by discussion with the Serbian filmmakers Aleksandar Dadic and Dejan Terzic

20:25: Bequeathing of the European Step Up! Youth Video Award & Audience Award Prize followed by discussion with jury members Kirsi Liimatainen and Kajal Nisha Patel

20:35: Representative from the EU Parliament speaks about the importance of engaging youth on violence against women (tbc)

20:45: Irene Zeilinger, Garance ASBL, WAVE Member discusses self-defense and exercises a method with the audience

21:00: Buffet with snacks and drinks

We thank the EU Parliament, the EFA and Greens for support the WAVE Step Up Award ceremony.

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