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Emergent Threats Roundtable 3.0: How Is Transnational Policing Managing Anti-Semitic Hate Crimes and the Security Needs of Jewish and other Vulnerable Communities?

FOR: Event Participants
EVENT DATE & TIME: Thursday, September 28th, 2023 | 10:00AM Eastern Daylight Time
LOCATION: Zoom

OVERVIEW

ABOUT THE EVENT

EVENT FRAMING: As part of our Emergent Threats Roundtable series, which addresses incipient public safety and national security matters, we are assembling an international group of distinguished senior police officials to confer on the rise of Targeted Anti-Semitic Violent Crime. The panel will explore the issue within the framework of criminal acts — including hate crimes and violations of human rights. Anti-Semitic hate crimes and violent assaults occur in every country and have more recently morphed into terrorist-style attacks leading to loss of life and destruction. They pose a serious threat to both victims and democratic societies.

These sessions aim to assist police leaders throughout the Americas and Europe to better understand, recognize and assess the impact of hate crime, enhance information sharing, and establish formal mechanisms for the exchange of best practices as these crimes have risen to unprecedented levels both in the Americas and Europe.

The roundtable will further examine the latest data and trends, explore ways in which police can most effectively respond to targeted anti-Semitic violence and incidents, and provide proactive strategies for community engagement and partnership.

Once the information and data provided by the Roundtable members are collected, an additional roundtable comprised of state prosecutors will be scheduled for the purpose of examining prosecutorial processes and best practices.

LOGISTICS: This closed, non-public invitation-only event will be hosted and recorded on Zoom, and thereafter the findings will be compiled into a comprehensive report. The event will be a facilitated and moderated discussion where participants will be asked questions regarding the statutes, investigative processes, data collection and engagement activities within their respective countries. The chat feature will be available and monitored for participant communication between one another and the hosts.

We ask that participants join the call 5-10 minutes prior to the start (10:00am EDT) to ensure the technology is working for everyone.

To join the event, please use the Zoom link below that was also shared via calendar invite.

Zoom Link: <https://rutgers.zoom.us/j/93753035216?pwd=WnU2bXJpM2pPU1lkZVNxajUJJS1hoQT09&from=addon>

Meeting ID: 937 5303 5216

Password: 369775

AGENDA (ALL TIMES IN EASTERN DAYLIGHT TIME):

9:45AM	15 MIN BEFORE EVENT Join virtual conference bridge <i>Rutgers Miller Center will conduct roll call, lead A/V tests, and prepare for start of event</i>
10:00AM	Event begins
10:00AM – 10:03AM	Welcome and introductory remarks Paul Goldenberg – Senior Advisor, Policy and International Policing, Rutgers Miller Center on Policing and Community Resilience, former chair of the US Department of Homeland Security subcommittee addressing targeted violence against faith communities
10:03AM – 10:06AM	Level Set John Farmer - Executive Director, Rutgers Miller Center on Policing and Community Resilience
10:06AM – 10:15AM	Moderator Introductions Yifa Segal – Managing Director of Hetz Marvin Haiman – Chief of Staff, Washington, DC Metropolitan Police Department Paul Goldenberg – Chief Advisor, Rutgers Miller Center on Policing and Community Resilience
10:15AM – 11:45AM	Moderated Discussion Panel Participants John Farmer - Executive Director, Rutgers Miller Center on Policing and Community Resilience Yifa Segal – Managing Director of Hetz Marvin Haiman – Chief of Staff, Washington, DC Metropolitan Police Department Paul Goldenberg – Chief Advisor, Rutgers Miller Center on Policing and Community Resilience Chief Inspector Robert Davits – Chief Operations Diversity and Mediation, Antwerp Police Department, Belgium

Lt. Colonel Joseph Brennan – *Investigations Branch Commanding Officer, New Jersey State Police*

Saad Amrani – *Chief Superintendent, Strategic Advisor, Brussels Capital Police*

Stephan Kramer – *President of the State-Agency for the Protection of the Constitution in Thuringia, Germany*

Zsolt Molnar – *Head of External Affairs of Special Services for National Security in Hungary*

Danijela Petkovic – *Chief Police Advisor, General Police Directorate's Office, Croatian Ministry of Internal Affairs*

Matt Peggs – *Chief Superintendent, Royal Canadian Mounted Police*

Dirk Allaerts – *Fundamental Rights Officer, Europol*

Katrina von Schnurbein – *European Commission Coordinator on Combating Anti-Semitism and Fostering Jewish Life*

Peter Lambrinakos – *Chief of Police and Corporate Security, VIA Rail Canada*

Richard Benson – *Special Advisor, RU Miller Center on Policing and Community Resilience*

Superintendent Owen Renowden – *Lead Responsible Officer on Hate Crimes, London MET*

Captain Gary Marcus – *Commanding Officer, NYPD Hate Crime Task Force*

Lt. Robert Delaney – *NYPD hate Crime Task Force*

Brigadier General Xavier Denis – *French Gendarmerie*

Alex Goldenberg – *Chief Intelligence Analyst, Network Contagion Research Institute*

Serge Blais – *Executive Director, uOttawa Professional Development Institute*

Sean Griffin – *Senior Advisor, RU Miller Center on Policing and Community Resilience*

Jonathan Lewin – *Acting Deputy Director, Washington INTERPOL*

Mark Genatempo – *Senior Fellow, RU Miller Center on Community Protection and Resilience*

Mario Buil-Merce – *Senior Political Affairs Officer, UN Office of the Prevention of Genocide*

11:45AM – 12:00PM

Final Questions and Call Close

Paul Goldenberg – *Chief Advisor, Rutgers Miller Center on Policing and Community Resilience*

GUIDING QUESTIONS:

- Does your jurisdiction have a strategy for addressing anti-Semitism within your criminal code or criminal justice system?
- What is the best entity and/or person to contact within your agency/jurisdiction with relevant information regarding either a group or an individual responsible for a hate crime, anti-Semitic crime, terrorism related crime (proxy, funding) etc.?
- What is the process of designating a hate crime, anti-Semitic crime, terrorism related crime, etc. in your jurisdiction?
- What are some minimal thresholds to the level of evidence needed or format to designate something a hate crime, anti-Semitic crime, or terrorism-related crime?

HOSTS: Rutgers University Miller Center on Policing and Community Resilience, in cooperation with the HETZ Organization, the International March of the Living, the Network Contagion Research Institute (NCRI), University of Ottawa's Professional Development Institute, and the Global Consortium of Law Enforcement Training Executives (GCLETE).