

THE WORLD IN THE COUNTRY

FROM RECEPTION TO INCLUSION OF REFUGEES IN THE RURAL MUNICIPALITIES OF PIEDMONT

Thursday 11 May 2017 | Hours 9.00 – 17.00
Auditorium Vivaldi – University of Turin National Library
Square Carlo Alberto 5/A, Turin

Thursday 11 May 2017, starting from **09.00**, at the Vivaldi Auditorium of the National University Library in Turin (Square Carlo Alberto 3, Turin), the **Compagnia San Paolo**, the Piedmont Region **and the Metropolitan City of Turin**, in collaboration with the Association Dislivelli and the **International and European Forum on Migration Research (FIERI)**, organize ***The world in the country. From reception to inclusion of refugees in rural municipalities of Piedmont***, a conference dedicated to the reception and integration projects for refugees in rural Piedmont municipalities – in particular **mountain** –.

More than **14.000** migrants hosted in **Piedmont, 8% of the National total**. Piedmont is the fourth Italian Region for reception after Lombardy (with 13%), the Campania (with 9%) and Lazio (with 8%). It is a non-transitory phenomenon that involves not only the big cities of the plain, but also it involves increasingly **rural municipalities**, called to develop new hosting projects.

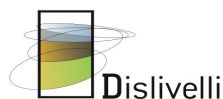
What happens when refugees settling in really small devices? What is the impact on social cohesion in host communities? Which sharing it is built with administrators and with local actors? What are the prospects for employment integration and economic impact on the areas concerned? How are held here the integration process? What problems and opportunities expressed by these territories in the host projects? Refugees may be an opportunity for Piedmont rural areas?

The world country will try to answer **some** of these questions by reflecting on the possibilities offered by the “common template” reception from the experience of Piedmont, between potential and problems to solve. To animate the conference on Thursday 11 May, a processo of collaboration between the **Compagnia San Paolo**, the **Piedmont Region**, the **Metropolitan City of Turin**, the **Association Dislivelli** and **FIERI** who actively involved municipalities, reception center for asylum seekers, the SPRAR, operators and association, collecting 22 good practices. An exchange of experiences and reflections that began thanks to search **Montanari for strenght**. ***What opportunities for forced migrants in the Italian Mountains? What opportunities for Italian***

Mountains in the reception of forced migrants? Promoted within the Programme “**Turin and the Alps**” of the **Compagnia San Paolo** and realized by the **Association Dislivelli**, whose results will be presented in the opening session.

Within the reading of new data on numbers of refugees hosted in the Piedmont Alpine municipalities, the testimonies of some areas affected by the phenomenon and the analysis of some projects implemented in mountain areas (CAS and SPRAR), ***The world country*** aims to reflect on the contribution that the Highlands and more generally decentralized rural areas can offer, taking the example of those experiences that have been able to do the welcome added value for guests, the community and the host territory: an opportunity for discussion and debate with the goal of identifying additional resources that the Piedmont institutions can put in place to better deal with the reception of refugees in our country.

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PROGRAM

- Hours 09.00** Reception and registration of participants
- Hours 09.30** **Welcome and introduction to the day**
Daniela DEL BOCA General Council of the Society San Paolo
Assessor at Welfare City of Turin
Metropolitan City of Turin
Assessor of Immigration Piedmont Region
- Hours 10.00** **“Montanari for strenght. What opportunities for refugees in the Italian Mountains? What opportunities for Italian Mountains in the reception of refugees?”: presentation of research results**
Alberto DI GIOIA (Association Dislivelli)
- Hours 10.20** **The reception of refugees in extra-urban areas: the risks and potential for integration**
Irene PONZO (FIERI)
- Hours 10.35** **The testimonies of of the territories**
Introduced and moderated Maurizio Dematteis (Association Dislivelli)
- **The experience of a social welfare Consortium - L'esperienza di un Consorzio socio assistenziale** – Pinerolo Social Welfare Consortium (SPRAR)
 - **When integration is made by the Association: the experience of the Lanzo Valleys** – Marino POMA, Association Morus Onlus
 - **The “capital of trust” that unites local communités can produce professional integration** – Mayor of Borgiallo (CAS – Sprar)
 - **As the rural community is able to express social integration** –Giacomo CIAVARELLA, Social Cooperative La Contrada
 - **Support and mobilization of civil society: the experience of Pettinengo, a country that welcomes** – Andrea TRIVERO, Association Pacefuturo Onlus
 - **Environment, land and integration: Project Solidarity Park** – Paolo SALSOTTO,

Management Authority of Protected Areas of the Alpes-Maritimes

Hours 12.30

Lunch break

Hours 13.30

The testimonies of the territories

Moderator Maurizio Dematteis (Association Dislivelli)

- **To be defined**– Ivrea
- **To be defined** – Castellamonte

Hours 14.00

Debate

Hours 14.30

The problems to solve and area for improvement

Elena Di Bella (Metropolitan City of Turin)

Hours 14.45

The points of view of the institutions: roundtable

Maria Teresa MARTINENGO (La Stampa)

Speakers: ANCI Piedmont, Claudio SPADON Piedmont Agency Work, Delegate to Social Rights and Equality, Welfare, Linguistic minorities Metropolitan City of Turin, Compagnia San Paolo, Third Sector Forum Piedmont, Turin Prefecture, Assessor of Immigration Piedmont Region, Marco BUSSONE UNCEM Piedmont

Hours 16.30

Debate