



PUBLIC HEARING

**on
"Situation of Muslim women"**

**Thursday, 17 April 2008
9.30 am - 12.30 pm
Room PHS 1A002
(Espace Leopold, rue Wiertz)
BRUSSELS**

Chair : Dr Anna ZÁBORSKÁ

DRAFT PROGRAMME

- 9.30 am** Welcome by Dr Anna ZÁBORSKÁ, Chair
- Dr. Azizah Y. AL-HIBRI, – Professor of Law, University of Richmond, USA
The Islamic Worldview of Gender and Women
- Dr. Shaheen SARDAR ALI – Professor of Law, University of Warwick, UK
Equality between Muslim women and men in daily life — experiences from the North West Frontier of Pakistan.
- Question time
- 10.40 am** Ms SUAD SBAI, Italy – President of the Confederation of Associations of Moroccan communities in Italy (NGO)
Integration of Muslim women in the second generation — an NGO perspective.
- Ms Nora KARTELOVA, Bulgaria – former assistant in the Movement for Rights and Freedom
Muslim women in Balkans; between the EU Charter of Fundamental Rights and the Koran
- The European Commission representative
- 11.40 am** Question time and general debate
- 12.25 pm** Closure of the Hearing by the Chair