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June 20<sup>th</sup> 2016, 10:00, New Conference Hall, Sofia University "St. K. Ohridski"

## **PROGRAMME**

10:00 – 10:15 **REGISTRATION AND WELCOME COFFEE** 

10:15 – 10:30 **OPENING ADDRESSES: Ministry of Education and Science Bulgarian Sociological Association** 

## **SESSION 1. Chair: Lilia Dimova**

10:30 – 11:00	The European Social Survey: background and latest findings	Rory Fitzgerald, Director ESS ERIC, City University, London
	Is Europe tolerant to "others"?: ESS answers	Lilia Dimova, ASA Martin Dimov, GEMSEEK
11:20 – 11:45	Discussion	

11:45 – 12:00 COFFE BREAK (New Conference Hall)

## **SESSION 2. Chair: Krastyo Petkov**

12:00 – 12:20	Importance of ESS data for analysing stratification and social mobility	Rumiana Stoilova - ISSK, BAS Luchezar Niagolov - ISSK, BAS
12:20 – 12:40	Inequalities in education and employability as indicators for human capital: Insights from the ESS	Petya Ilieva-Trichkova – ISSK, BAS Pepka Boyadjieva – ISSK, BAS
12:40 – 13:00	Study of the social-economic factors' influence on the Bulgarian human values using ESS data	Alexander Naidenov - UNWE
13:00 – 13:30	Discussion	

13:30 – 14:10 LUNCH (Restaurant "Alma Mater", Sofia University)

## **SESSION 3. Chair: Rumiana Stoilova**

14:10 – 14:30	ESS application in high education: experience and results from University of National and world Economy	Krastyo Petkov, UBE Mihaela MIsheva, UNWE
14:30 – 14:50	How the declining social capital in Bulgaria boosted critical low trust in the institutions?	Teodor Slavev - UNWE
14:50 – 15:10	Beyond the ESS data of trust in justice: Bulgarian case	Irena Ilieva – ILS, BAS
15:10 – 15:30	Discussion	

15:30 CLOSING REMARKS

## Rory Fitzgerald, Lilia Dimova

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