



Mayors for Peace European Chapter,
NFLA and ICAN joint webinar
Friday 4th December 2020
9.15am–12pm GMT / 10.15am - 1pm CET

EUROPEAN PEACE AND SECURITY THROUGH THE 2020S

HOW DO WE CREATE A SAFER, MORE PEACEFUL CONTINENT FREE OF NUCLEAR WEAPONS?

In the year of the 75th anniversary of the first use of atomic weapons and of the largest public health emergency in known times, this joint webinar by the recently created European Chapter of Mayors for Peace, the UK & Ireland Nuclear Free Local Authorities (NFLA) and the International Campaign to Abolish Nuclear Weapons (ICAN) focuses on the European peace and security agenda prior to the next Review Conference of the Nuclear Non-Proliferation Treaty, and the imminent entry into force of the Treaty on the Prohibition of Nuclear Weapons.

The webinar will bring together mayors and experts on nuclear disarmament, and will concentrate on the important role of local towns and cities in creating safe, resilient, sustainable and more peaceful communities.









REGISTRATION:

This meeting will be hosted on Zoom and will also be streamed live on You Tube. The meeting will be held in English, with English-Spanish simultaneous translation offered by the City of Granollers. Please register at:

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WEBINAR PROGRAMME

Times listed in GMT/CET.

	<p>The webinar will be moderated by the UK & Ireland NFLA and Mayors for Peace Secretary, Sean Morris, Manchester City Council.</p>	
09:15 / 10:15	<p>Recorded video message from the Mayor of Hiroshima and President of Mayors for Peace, Mayor Kazumi Matsui (confirmed)</p>	
09:20 / 10:20	<p>Opening comments to introduce the webinar President of the Mayors for Peace European Chapter, Mayor Josep Mayoral, Mayor of Granollers (confirmed) Executive Director of ICAN, Beatrice Fihn (confirmed)</p>	 
09:30 / 10:30	<p>Is a new Cold War of 'self-centred nationalism' putting European security at threat? Dr Tytti Erasto, Senior Researcher Nuclear Disarmament, Non- proliferation and Arms Control Programme, SIPRI (confirmed)</p>	
09:50 / 10:50	<p>Short presentations on why leading European cities supports the TPNW / ICAN Cities Appeal Mayor Ada Colau of Barcelona (invited) Mayor Marianne Borgen of Oslo (confirmed) Mayor Philippe Rio of Grigny & Chair of Mayors for Peace France (confirmed)</p>	  
10:20 / 11:20	<p>The role of the ICAN Cities Appeal in challenging European NATO states to support the Treaty on the Prohibition of Nuclear Weapons Daniel Högsta, Campaign Coordinator ICAN (confirmed)</p>	
10:40 / 11:40	<p>Panel Discussion</p>	
11:00 / 12:00	<p>What is the role of towns and cities in developing safe, resilient and more peaceful communities? How Manchester responded after the May 2017 Arena terrorist attack, Councillor Eddy Newman, Manchester City Council and Lord Mayor of Manchester at the time of the attack (confirmed)</p> <p>Developing safer, resilient and more peaceful cities: the work of the Global Parliament of Mayors - Mayor Ricardo Rio, Mayor of Braga and Executive Member of the Global Parliament of Mayors (invited)</p>	 
11:35 / 12:35	<p>Panel Discussion</p>	
11:55 / 12:55	<p>Closing comments by European Chapter and Mayors for Peace Vice President, the Lord Mayor of Manchester, Councillor Thomas Judge</p>	