



# TRACE

**TR**afficking as A Criminal Enterprise

## TRACE Workshop

### The role of technology in human trafficking

*29 September 2015, Netherlands, Tilburg University*

The TRACE consortium as well as experts from a broad range of fields (e.g., police, academia, civil society) will gather in the **Netherlands, at Tilburg University** to discuss the role of technology in human trafficking. The workshop will bring together lessons learnt from the work conducted, focusing on the following elements:

- How technology can play a role in facilitating human trafficking
- How technology can be seen to contribute to preventing & combatting human trafficking.
- Future trends in technology and how they may play a role in facilitating, preventing and combatting human trafficking
- Who are the traffickers

During the workshop the TRACE partners will present their findings on research and will invite feedback from those participating in the workshop in order to discuss the findings. In addition, partners will present findings from a study of the traffickers completed during the project.

The workshop is due to take place on 29 September 2015 and is free to attend.

To apply to participate in the workshop, please complete the following form: <https://goo.gl/QJZxiE>

Funding is available to cover expenses of some participants and will be determined by the organizing committee.

If you have any questions regarding registration, please contact: Borislav Gerasimov (La Strada International) [bg@lastradainternational.org](mailto:bg@lastradainternational.org)

## Workshop agenda

09:00 – 09:30	<b>Registration &amp; coffee</b>
09:30 – 10:00	Welcome & an introduction to the TRACE project & introduction of participants – <a href="#">Kush Wadhwa (TRI)</a>
10:00 – 10:45	Keynote speaker – <a href="#">Paul de Hert (Free University Brussels and Tilburg University)</a>
10:45 – 11:30	The role of technology in human trafficking: <a href="#">Anna Donovan (TRI)</a>
11:30 – 11:45	<b>Coffee break</b>
11:45 – 12:15	Overview of key findings concerning the traffickers, including how they use technology to facilitate THB: <a href="#">Conny Rijken (TIU)</a>
12:15 – 13:00	Group discussion 1: How can technology play a role in preventing human trafficking? <i>Introduction: Theo Noten (ECPAT)</i> <i>Chair: Suzanne Hoff (La Strada International)</i>
13:00 – 14:00	<b>Lunch</b>
	<b>Plenary discussion</b>
14:00 – 14:45	Environmental scanning to fight Organised Crime - Trafficking in Human Being case - ePOOLICE project, <a href="#">Franck Mignet (Thales Research and Technology)</a> , Detective Sergeant Tim Ingle (West Yorkshire Police).
14:45 – 15:30	Group discussion 2: How can technology be seen to contribute to combatting human trafficking? ( <i>Law enforcement</i> ) <i>Chair: Conny Rijken (Tilburg University)</i>
15:30 – 16:00	<b>Coffee break</b>
16:00 – 16:45	<b>Plenary discussion</b>
	Group discussion 3: Ethical and data protection issues in the context of the role of technology in human trafficking <i>Introduction: Baerbel Uhl ('dataACT - data protection in anti-trafficking action')</i> <i>Chair: Anna Donovan (TRI)</i>
16:45 – 17:15	Next steps in TRACE & closing remarks