

# TRANSNATIONAL SOCIAL SERVICES

## Invitation

## "Migration and Social Work in Germany: Access of EU-Citizens to

the German Help System"

Conference 14.02.2023 - 15.02.2023

**Venue:** Hamburg University of Applied Sciences Alexander Str. 1, 22399 Hamburg Room, Alsterblick" (10.27)

## Dear colleagues and interested parties,

We are pleased to invite you to participate in the conference on "Migration and Social Work in Germany: Access of EU Citizens to the German Social Welfare System", organised in the framework of the Erasmus+project "Transnational Social Services (TSS)" in cooperation with Diakonie Hamburg and the Hamburg University of Applied Sciences in Germany, as well as the Bulgarian-Romanian Institute for Cross-Border Mediation and the Institute for Population Research (IPHS) at the Bulgarian Academy of Sciences in Bulgaria. The TSS project brings together institutions and experts from Bulgaria and Germany to exchange information on support needs and measures for mobile EU citizens and to promote the networking of counsellors. The conference combines theoretical and practical questions on the context in which mobile immigrants move in Germany: legal framework, social policy, institutional responsibilities at regional and local level, daily practice and case studies that social workers encounter in Germany. The event raises the question of how social work can be supported in a transnational context and what social workers need to know about each other for their counselling work.







## **Information for participants**

Two hybrid conference days:

- ▶ Tuesday, 14 February 2023, morning
  - The social assistance system in the context of migration and the importance of the principle of subsidiarity as well as the history of migration in Germany (from labour recruitment in the 1960s to free movement within the EU).
- ▶ Wednesday, 15 February 2023, morning
  - EU immigration, access of EU citizens to the assistance system, labour market, health care and education in Germany.

## **Important dates:**

- Registration on the project website by **09.02.2023**
- Confirmation of registration from **10.02.2023**

#### Link to the seminar programme in German or English:

## https://tss-net.eu/migration-and-social-work-in-germany/

#### Venue:

- Participation in presence: Hamburg University of Applied Sciences (HAW), Alexander Str. 1, 22399 Hamburg, room "Alsterblick" (10.27).
- ➤ *For digital participation*: an additional link will be sent by email after registration

#### **Event languages:**

German, Bulgarian, simultaneous translation will be provided

## **Participation fee: free of charge**

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