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ZADAR (CROATIA) AND EDIRNE (TURKEY) WILL HOST ENPP MEETINGS IN 2012

ENPP Meetings in 2012 will be held in the cities of Zadar (Croatia) in May, and the city of Edirne (Turkey) in September at the invitation of the respective municipalities.
Both cities are currently members of ENPP and in both cities were signed important treaties of peace: in Zadar, in 1358 and in Edirne, in the years 1713 and 1829.
These two further European meetings of ENPP will be an opportunity to increase the visibility of the Network in Europe and to consolidate its ongoing projects.

Zadar (Croatia)

Edirne (Turkey)

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E.N.P.P. in dialogue with "Oasis of Peace"(Israel)

Three weeks after the 5th meeting of the ENPP at Trencin Slovakia, vice-president Ed Dumrese visited Neve Shalom/Wahat al-Salam (NSWAS) in Israel. The village is located mid-way between Tel Aviv and Jerusalem and was founded about 40 years ago. The name Neve Shalom in Hebrew and Wahat al-Salam in Arabic means "Oasis of Peace". This places deserves it's name because its community of nowadays 60 families, half Palestinian and half Jewish demonstrate that they can live peacefully and as equals together. In this conflict-ridden area the residents manage to be a shining symbol of hope, proclaiming "peace is possible". For more information please see www.nswas.org.
Among other the ENPP aims to promote a 'culture of peace' by entering ties with regions where war and conflict are still a reality. During the visit to the village Ed Dumrese proposed on behalf

of the ENPP to representatives of Neve Shalom/Wahat al-Salam to get member of the network because of the many impressive achievements and profound experiences in bringing peace in practice every single day. The cooperation can be mutually reinforcing. The democratic village committee will soon decide about the proposal. First individual reactions were all positive and very promising.

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