

Conference Media Regulations in Lebanon: Facts and Perspectives

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Opening Session

9:30 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.

Welcoming Remarks

Mrs. Karine Nasr Demerjian – Associate Dean, Faculty of Arts and Sciences, USEK Mrs. Rita Khalil El-Khoury – Head of the Department of Journalism, USEK Mr. Bechara Karam – Assistant Professor, School of Law and Political Sciences, USEK

Moderator: Mrs. Nidal Ayoub Yaacoub - Journalist, University Lecturer, USEK

Mr. Georges Awad – Communication and Information Program Specialist, UNESCO Multisectoral Regional Office – Beirut UNESCO's Technical Support for an Upgraded Media Law in Lebanon

Mr. Tony Mikhaël – Lawyer at the Beirut Bar Association

The Media Regulatory Authority: Structure and Scopes of Action

Mrs. Rouba El Helou – Secretary General, Board Member at CLDH, Consultant and National Facilitator at NIRAS for Lebanon

Self and Co-regulation: Legal Frameworks and Professional Standards for Independent News Media – International Examples

Mr. Pierre El-Khoury – Practicing Lawyer, Director of the Institute of Lawyers at the Beirut Bar Association, Independent Consultant with WIPO-UN, Professor of Law Legal Challenges Facing Media Regulations in Lebanon in the Digital Era