



European Union Project – Towards Preventing Violent Radicalisation  
Project Summary

- To develop and research methods of interventions used with violent radical offenders
  - To study the intervention methods developed by the Violence Prevention Network working with young offenders in German Prisons sentenced for violent crimes from extremist Muslim and right wing backgrounds
  - To develop and study a pilot community-based programme in the UK between London Probation Trust, Stockwell Green Community Services and London College of Business Management & Information Technology supporting more effective supervision of radicalised Muslim offenders released from prison on licence and under probation supervision
  - To evaluate the two different live methods of intervention, identifying best practice approaches, obstacles to success and issues of transferability
  - To showcase project learning at Conferences and Seminars
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The TPVR project studies methods of rehabilitation and reintegration which have proven successful in working with violent offenders from religious fundamentalist and right-wing political extremist backgrounds. The aims of these interventions are to de-radicalise and prevent ex-offenders from recommitting acts of violence and terrorism.

This project will be carried out by:

1. Studying the work of Violence Prevention Network in Germany who engage with violent young prisoners from religious fundamentalist and extreme right wing backgrounds
2. Developing a pilot community-based programme in the UK between London Probation Trust, Stockwell Green Community Services and London College of BMIT supporting more effective supervision of radicalised Muslim offenders
3. Commissioning research to evaluate the two different live methods of intervention identifying best practice approaches, obstacles to success and issues of transferability

Dissemination of learning from this project is by way of conferences, publications and local seminars in partner countries.

Project Partners

- London Probation Trust, UK (lead partner)
- National Offender Management Service (NOMS), UK
- Stockwell Green Community Services (SGCS), UK

- London College of Business Management & Information Technology (LCBMIT), UK
- Violence Prevention Network (VPN), Germany
- European Institute for Social Services (EISS), UK

### Project Outputs

- To study the model of intervention and engagement used by VPN with violent young prisoners from right wing and Muslim backgrounds
- To pilot and study a community based partnership in the UK between London Probation Trust and Stockwell Green Community Services and London College of BMIT supporting more effective supervision of radicalised Muslim offenders
- To carry out research and evaluation of the two different models of intervention and engagement
- To host expert seminars in the UK and Germany to highlight issues and share learning
- 1<sup>st</sup> trans-national Conference held in Berlin, May 2010, to inform and develop methods of intervention and engagement
- 2<sup>nd</sup> trans-national Conference held in the UK, October 2010, to showcase project learning & best practise and to examine current practice

### Timeline

Project Start Date: June 2008

Project End Date: January 2011

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