

## **Journalism Workshop**

### **“Business and HIV. Economic Affect of HIV/AIDS Epidemic”**

Date: 16.11.2005, 10:00-14:00

Location: Training centre MTI, 14A Igorivska street, Kyiv

### **Agenda**

10:00-10:15 – Welcoming remarks and introduction. Journalism programs implemented by Kaiser Family Foundation and Transatlantic Partners Against AIDS (Jackie Judd, Kaiser Family Foundation)

10:15-10:30 – HIV/AIDS: ways of transmission and prevention of infection. Epidemic of HIV/AIDS in Ukraine. (Tetyana Aleksandrina, Ministry of Health of Ukraine)

10:30-10:50 – Economic affect of HIV/AIDS epidemic in Ukraine. Key factors and situation analysis. (Yuriy Scherbak, Advisor of Head of Verkhovna Rada of Ukraine)

10:50-11:05 – Discrimination of people living with HIV at work and ways to overcome it. Experience of “Life+” organization, Odessa (Petro Poliantsev, PR Manger of “Life+”)

11:05-11:25 – Legal protection of people living with HIV/AIDS. Case Study “Case of Alexey Voloshyn” (Tetyana Bordunis, Head of the legal department of All-Ukrainian Network of People living with HIV)

11:25-11:45 – Questions and answers

11:45-12:00 – Coffee break

12:00-12:10 – Role of private sector in the fight against HIV/AIDS. Involvement of business companies. (Olena Houmenyuk, Transatlantic Partners Against AIDS)

12:10-12:40 – Best practices of business companies in HIV/AIDS prevention at workplace and introduction of anti-discrimination policies. Case study based on the experiences of large businesses. (Julia Burmistenko, “INTERPIPE” corporation and Vitaliy Budin, JSC “Avto VAZ”)

12:40-13:00 – Questions and answers. Interactive discussion

13:00-14:00 – Lunch

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