



## SASCE (Safer and stronger communities in Europe) TRAINING AGENDA

We are pleased to offer you a **Training in Security Awareness and Crisis Management** within the scope of the “Safer and Stronger Communities in Europe (SASCE)” project. The European Buddhist Union together with its partners from the European Jewish Congress’ (EJC) Security and Crisis Centre (SACC), the Conference of European Churches (CEC) and Faith Matters as the representative of the Muslim communities, has been awarded funding by the European Commission to assist in the protection of places of worship in Europe.

The SASCE project is a multi-layered approach aiming to increase security in and around places of worship, as well as within and among Christian, Buddhist, Muslim and Jewish communities. **For the first time, representatives of the four faith communities are working together on a common project to enhance security.**

**Our goal is to ensure the safety and preparedness of the communities across Europe regardless of faith.**

The trainers will be

- **Ron Eichhorn, President of the EBU**
- **Dany Choueka, Head of Crisis Management at SACC by EJC**

**What you will learn in the training:**

- What is SASCE about
- Why does the EU commission assess that places of worship need to be protected better
- Why is security a relevant topic for Buddhist communities in Europe and society at large
- What is security awareness and why is it important
- What is a crisis and how can it be managed when it occurs
- What are „Security Ambassadors“ and what are they needed for
- An outline of the future cooperation with the Network of Security Ambassadors

The training will include explanations, statistics, tangible examples and a case study.

**Agenda:**

- Introduction of the Trainers and participants
- Basics in Security and Crisis Management
- Dialogue on what is the specific situation in terms of security and crisis management for the Buddhist communities in Belgium, and what is needed to improve safety
- Case Study: Attack on the Synagogue in Halle, Germany in October 2019
- Security Ambassador organization and details
- Q&A

**The training is free of cost**

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