

Event Agenda

Launch of IPHR Report: “Assessing Germany’s Capacity to Counter Russian Transnational Repression”

Co-hosted by: Heinrich-Böll-Stiftung, International Partnership for Human Rights (IPHR), and the Coalition Against Transnational Repression in Germany.

Date: 28 April 2026

Time: 17:00 – 19:00

Venue: Heinrich-Böll-Stiftung, e.V. Schumannstr. 8 10117 Berlin

Moderated by *Simon Papuashvili, Programme Director Eastern Europe/South Caucasus at International Partnership for Human Rights (IPHR)*

17:00 – 17:15 | Welcome and Opening Remarks

- Heinrich-Böll-Stiftung - *Walter Kaufman, Head of Department for Eastern and Southeastern Europe at the Heinrich-Böll-Stiftung*
- International Partnership for Human Rights (IPHR) - *Simon Papuashvili, Programme Director Eastern Europe/South Caucasus at International Partnership for Human Rights (IPHR)*
- Coalition Against Transnational Repression in Germany - *Basma Mostafa, Director of Programs at the Law and Democracy Support Foundation*

17:15 – 17:30 | Tour de Table

- Participant introductions
- Overview of represented institutions and perspectives

17:30 – 17:45 | Presentation of IPHR Report - *Nuvola Galliani, Legal Officer at International Partnership for Human Rights (IPHR) and Author of the report*

- Key findings
- Core recommendations
- Identified gaps in Germany’s response to Russian transnational repression

17:45 – 18.00 | Presentation of the Coalition Against Transnational Repression in Germany’s work -

Haiyuer Kuerban, Director of Berlin Office, World Uyghur Congress

Dr. Noura Chalati, Advocacy Officer, Reporter ohne Grenzen

Dr. Bärbel Heide Uhl, Deputy Chairperson, Belarusische Gemeinschaft RAZAM

- Introduction to the Coalition
- Current situation in Germany
- Coalition policy recommendations

18:00 – 18:15 | Testimonies: Experiences of TNR in Germany

First-person interventions from affected individuals and communities

18:15 – 18:30 | Discussion: Assessing the State Response

Reflections from:

- German state institutions
- Civil society actors
- Subject-matter experts

18:30 – 18:50 | Open Discussion and Q&A

- Interactive exchange with participants
- Clarifications, reactions, and policy-relevant inputs

18:50 – 19:00 | Key Takeaways and Closing

- Summary of discussion
- Next steps and follow-up opportunities

19:00 onwards | Networking Reception / Light Dinner