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Short-film release: Shakiras story

"I was told that I would start school, but when I got there, he told me it was prostitution I was there for. If you run away, you are mad, he said " - Shakira.

MeCAHT and EXIST have collaboratively produced a short-film featuring Shakiras story of being tricked to Libya and forced into prostitution. She has now broken free and is a makeup artist who also makes jewellery, shoes and soap for a living.

Although feeling much better today, the hardship she was put through and the traumas she suffered are still lingering in her memory. Hear more about Shakiras story by clicking below [↓](#)

Shakiras story

GENERALFORSAMLING
EXIST holder generalforsamling
med efterfølgende samtale om

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**Et København
uden kvindehandel**

Oplægsholdere



Trine Madsen
Socialdemokratiet København,
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Københavns Borgerrepræsentation



Philip Hyldgaard
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Velkommen
Onsdag d. 22. juni
Baggesensgade 7, 2200 København N.



Vi glæder os til at se dig!
På bestyrelsens vegne
Karin Kjærgaard
Daglig leder af EXIST

Program
 Kl. 17.30-18.15: Generalforsamling
 Kl. 18.15-18.30: Grab en wrap og en cola
 Kl. 18.30-19.15: Et København uden kvindehandel
 Kl. 19.15-20.00: Hæng ud og netværk

Arrangementet
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via facebook:
EXIST vil stoppe
menneskehandel



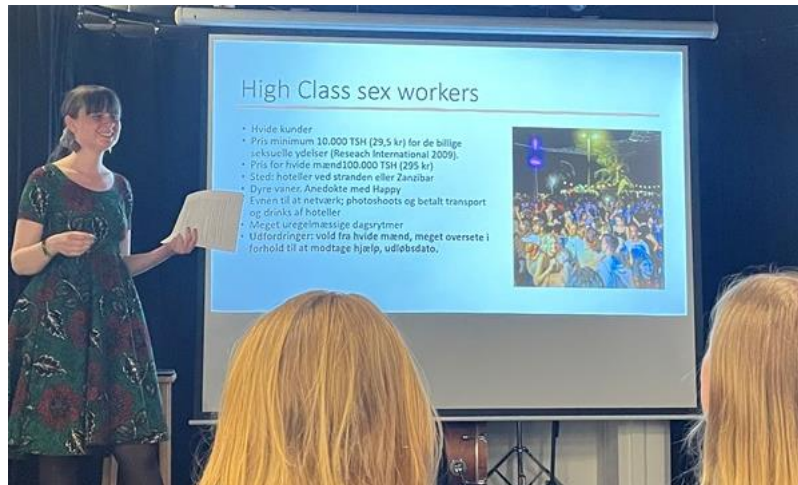
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A Copenhagen without trafficking in women - EXIST holds general assembly on the 22nd of June

As a member of EXIST you contribute to the organisations daily work all whilst supporting the development towards future projects. If you are

not already a member, you can become one at www.EXIST-ngo.org (furthest down on the homepage). It costs 200 DKK / year.

Everyone are welcome to participate in the general assembly and the conversations regarding a Copenhagen without trafficking in women! We are looking forward to seeing you.



Sex-work in Tanzania: Elisabeth shares insights from her internship

Elisabeth, leader member of EXIST's volunteer group and Night Light Café volunteer held a presentation about the conditions of Tanzanian sex-workers in Dar es Salam.

The objective of her field work with a local NGO was to develop prospective interventions targeting sex workers with social and health-related services.

She shared how women's access to health related services and financial empowerment is extremely limited. One of the huge issues is that sex-workers are conditioned and influenced to participate in unsafe sex, with condoms being expensive to buy, and buyers offering up to 5 times more if they

agree not to use them. The need to scale up interventions to help is urgent.

“Although I during my internship saw how many extreme challenges sex-workers face, I still believe that there is hope for the women and that makes me positive for the future. I can’t wait to go back and continue my work.” - Elisabeth Tveit Nielsen, anthropology student at the University of Copenhagen.

We appreciate your efforts and support on the journey towards ending human trafficking. Thank you!

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Did you know we make podcasts?

EXIST'S interns from University College of Copenhagen Ahmed and Olivia has made a podcast episode with Night Light Café volunteers Ben and Asta! Here, they shine light on the issues and devastation concerning Nigerian women trafficked to Denmark. Follow this link to hear more:

<https://open.spotify.com/show/7yY8d34b3SCboRkV5EeJiN?si=cb662c6124bf4810>



Making things better, *together*.

Thor and Nikolaj are former interns at EXIST and now responsible for our LinkedIn page! They are currently learning how to make organisations more resilient and how to facilitate better conditions for children and families in Denmark.

"Helping out at EXIST feels important and just makes sense. Change truly becomes possible when we show up with the mindset that we are in it together." - Thor Haugaard Jensen and Nikolaj Malmstrøm Jensen, students at University College Copenhagen.



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