



## Press Release

On the 25<sup>th</sup> and 26<sup>th</sup> of February, the Slynn Foundation, in conjunction with Public Administration International (PAI) and the British High Commission Nicosia, presented a two-day training course which was held at the Court of Audit in the northern part of Cyprus.

The training course was delivered by the Foundation's chairman, Sir Stephen Irwin, and English barrister and deputy High Court judge, Ms Helen Malcolm KC.

This year's programme, presented over the two-day period, provided a broad opportunity for representation from the judiciary and members of the Bar of the northern part of Cyprus and covered areas of criminal and civil procedure.

The High Commissioner, Michael Tatham CMG, held a welcome reception at Shakespeare House where he thanked the Slynn Foundation for its ongoing contribution to the rule of law programme.

We would like to thank the British High Commission for their assistance in delivering this programme, and the Chief Justice and the Bar Council for their hospitality during our visit. This was the fourth training course delivered by the Slynn Foundation and PAI for the Turkish Cypriot legal community and we look forward to future engagement.

*The Slynn Foundation is a UK based charity working with senior judges and justice institutions around the world to enhance the rule of law, and to improve professional understanding of human rights, mediation, and legal practice.*

*Public Administration International (PAI) is a UK based international development consultancy and development organisation which was established in 1995. PAI works to strengthen governance and support policy makers, judges and court administrators, regulators and public sector managers. PAI has been collaborating with the British High Commission in Nicosia for over fifteen years.*