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In the last years, we have been approaching very diverse topics in Mozaik. The issue of human trafficking is probably one of the bitterest. With this Spring edition we are following up the conference Invisible Slavery: Human Trafficking in Europe that took part in Sankt Gilgen, Austria in October 2013. During six days in the Austrian countryside the participants tried to understand what human trafficking, prostitution and invisible slavery is. The deeper we were engaging in the discussions, the more the surreal nightmare of human trafficking was becoming unexplainable. We hope to invite you to a personal reflection about the themes we are looking at. What is your responsibility with regards to the victims of human trafficking? Do you think that prostitution is a regular job as any other?

Sankt Gilgen brought also plenty of new people to the European Regional Committee (ERC). The conference was followed by the European Regional Assembly. Its participants managed to envisage a path that WSCF-E should follow for the next two years. In this issue you can read a piece by Zuzka Babicova, the new Chairperson. Zuzka explains her vision and creates space for both seasoned SCMerS and those who became interested in our work only recently. Very warm welcome to the new ERC members!

With this Mozaik my service as the Editor-in-Chief comes to an end. I would like to take this opportunity to thank all the people who I encountered in my WSCF journey that was one of the most enriching, eye-opening and enjoyable in my life. My special thanks go to the people I worked very closely with: the Office Interns Jill Piebiak and Miro Pastorek and four Regional Secretaries: Jooa Vuorinen, David Masters, Katka Babicova and Hans Hommens. Infinite thanks to the European Regional Committees I was privileged to work with and to the WSCF Global Office. I wish all the Federation many great initiatives in the coming years!