

# INVISIBLE CHAINS:

BREAKING THE TIES OF TRAFFICKING IN HUMANS



## Conference Agenda:

- 9:00 – 10:00 Registration and Continental Breakfast in Kelly Plaza
- 10:00 – 10:05 Welcome: Monsignor Franklyn Casale, President of St. Thomas University Moot Courtroom
- 10:05 – 10:15 Opening Remarks: Ms. Michele Gillen, Chief Investigative Reporter, WFOR-TV
- 10:15 – 10:35 **Session I: Breaking the Ties of Trafficking in Humans**

### Speaker:

Ambassador Jim Nicholson  
U.S. Embassy to the Holy See, Rome, Italy

*Presentation by Arthur Furia of NIAF “Voice of Courage” Award*

- 10:35 – 10:40 **Dean Bob Butterworth and Announcement of state-wide “Anti-Trafficking Day”**
- 10:40 – 10:55 **Session II: Screening of Invisible Chains TV series**

### Presented by:

Ms. Michele Gillen, Chief Investigative Reporter, WFOR-TV

- 10:55 – 11:15 **Session III: U.S. Efforts to Fight Human Trafficking Worldwide**

### Speaker:

Ambassador John Miller  
U.S. Department of State, Washington, D.C.

*Presentation by Ambassador Jim Nicholson of the Human Dignity, Justice & Freedom medallion from the U.S. Embassy to the Holy See*

- 11:15 – 11:30 **“Esperanza,” survivor who escaped enslavement on U.S. soil**
- 11:30 – 11:40 *Coffee Break in Moot Courtroom*
- 11:40 – 12:30 **Panel A: The Face of Human Trafficking in Florida**  
*This session will be combined with a Q&A period.*

### Moderator:

Dean Bob Butterworth, St. Thomas University School of Law

### Speakers:

Mr. Terry Coonan, Executive Director, Center for Advancement of Human Rights,  
Florida State University, Tallahassee, FL  
Mr. Doug Molloy, Chief Assistant, US Attorney’s Office, Fort Myers, FL

- 12:45 – 2:00 **Lunch in Kelly Plaza, compliments of St. Thomas University School of Law**  
**or**  
**Optional session: Screening of “Dying to Leave”**

2:00 – 2:50

**Session IV: Living Proof of 21<sup>st</sup> Century Slavery**

*Introduction by Michael Collieran, President/General Manager, WFOR-TV*

*This session will be combined with a Q&A period and network television clips illuminating the role of media in the fight against human trafficking.*

**Speaker:**

Francis Bok, Former child slave from Sudan, American Anti-Slavery Group, Boston, MA

2:50 – 3:40

**Panel D: Putting Lives Back Together**

**Moderator:**

Ambassador Jim Nicholson

U.S. Embassy to the Holy See, Rome, Italy

**Speakers:**

Sr. Eugenia Bonetti, Italian Union of Major Superiors (USMI), Rome, Italy

Ms. Kay Buck, Executive Director, Coalition to Abolish Slavery & Trafficking (CAST),  
Los Angeles, CA

3:40

**Conference Wrap-up**

Followed by Francis Bok book signing and light refreshments