

The OSCE Mission to Moldova invites to a public lecture:

by **Stefan Wolff**

Centre for International Crisis Management and Conflict Resolution, University of Nottingham (England, UK) on

"Devolution in the UK: Model for Moldova?"

Date: 20 May 2009

Time: 18.30

Location: <u>ULIM</u> (str. Vlaicu Pârcălab, 52), <u>Aula Magnifica</u> (et. 4), free access The lecture will be held in English - simultaneous translation in Romanian

Short biography

Stefan Wolff is currently Professor of Political Science and Director of the Centre for International Crisis Management and Conflict Resolution at the University of Nottingham, England, UK. He is also an International Associate of the Liechtenstein Institute on Self-determination at Princeton University. He holds a Ph.D. in Political Science from the London School of Economics and Political Science, UK, and an M.Phil. in Political Theory from Magdalene College, Cambridge, UK. Political scientist by background, Wolff specialises in the management of contemporary security challenges, especially in the prevention and settlement of ethnic conflicts and in post-conflict reconstruction in deeply divided and war-torn societies. He has extensive expertise in Northern Ireland, the Balkans and Central and Eastern Europe, and has also worked on a wide range of other conflicts elsewhere, including the Middle East, Africa, and Central, South and Southeast Asia. Wolff's publications to date include eleven books and over twenty journal articles and book chapters. He has extensively written on ethnic conflict and conflict resolution, including *Ethnic Conflict: A Global Perspective* and the conflict prevention handbook *Power Sharing, Self-governance and Participation in Public Life*. Wolff is frequently advising governments and international organisations on conflict resolution issues.