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*Justice, Freedom &
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**Human Rights Education
for Legal Professionals:**
HELP Programme of the Council of Europe

Human Rights Education for Legal Professionals (HELP)

- What is HELP
- HELP in the 28 Programme
- Future EU-HELP partnership



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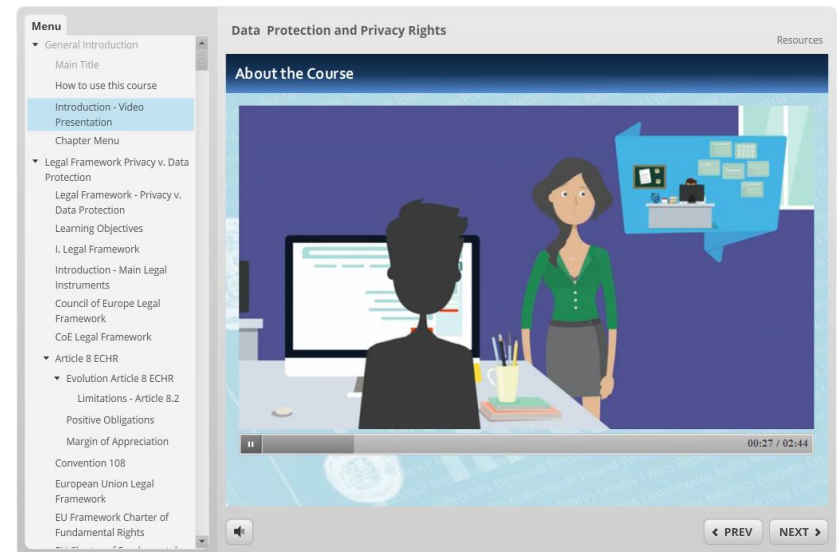
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First of all watch these 2 videos

Labour rights

Data protection & private life



Added value of Council of Europe/HELP training



Standards
(ECHR or ESC)



Monitoring
(ECtHR, CPT, GRECO...)



Cooperation

What is HELP?

- 1) HELP Network! Including EJTN + CCBE
- 2) Free e-learning platform
- 3) Human rights training methodology

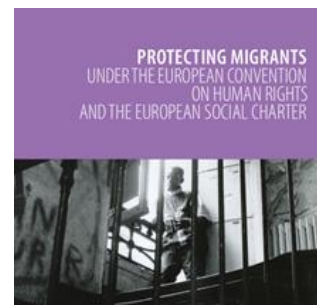
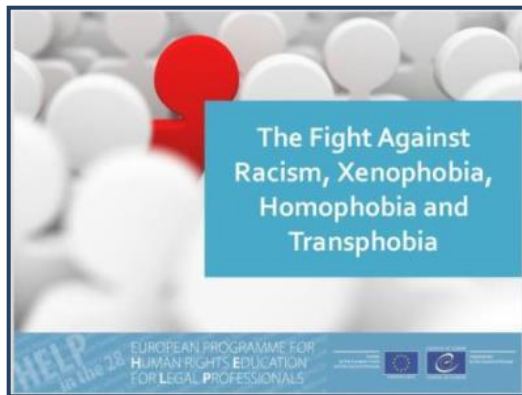


A screenshot of the HELP in the 28 website. The header features the Council of Europe logo and navigation tabs for Home, About HELP, HELP Network, HELP in the 28, and Training. The main content area is titled "HELP in the 28" and "EUROPEAN PROGRAMME FOR HUMAN RIGHTS EDUCATION FOR LEGAL PROFESSIONALS". It includes a paragraph about the program's goals and a section for "EVENTS" with three featured items: "The Right to the Integrity of the Person (Bioethics)", a group photo, and "The Fight Against Racism, Xenophobia and Homophobia".

The cover of the "HELP Guidebook on Human Rights training methodology for legal professionals". The background is a collage of various national flags and legal symbols. The title "HELP Guidebook on Human Rights training methodology for legal professionals" is prominently displayed in white and blue text. At the bottom, it identifies the "HELP European Programme for Human Rights Education for Legal Professionals" and includes the Council of Europe logo.

Objective of HELP in the 28 and courses developed

HELP legal professionals to apply the **EU Charter on Fundamental Rights**, European Convention of Human Rights, the European Social Charter + CoE & **EU** laws in daily work



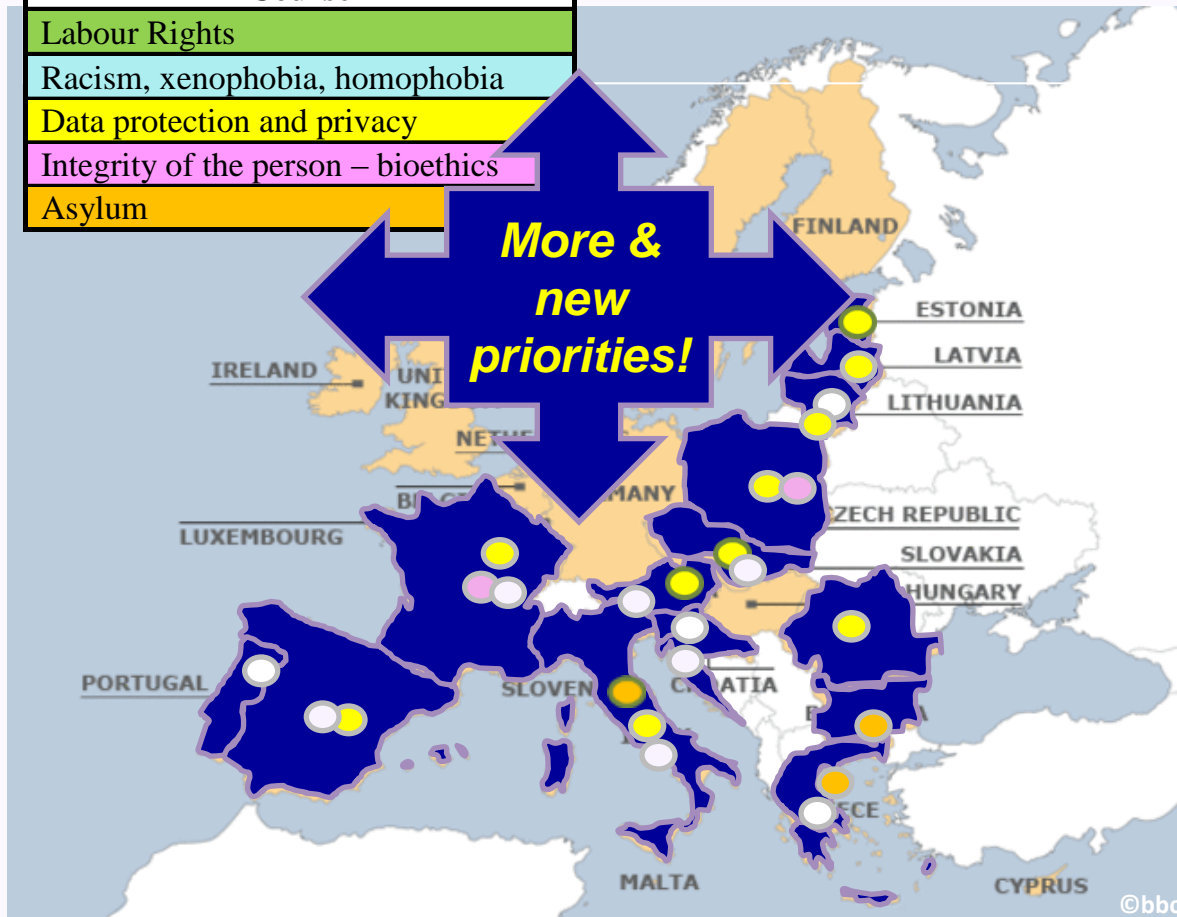
HELP/UNHCR course on asylum adapted to EU context!

Other HELP courses

1. Introduction to the ECHR and the ECtHR
2. Admissibility criteria (ECtHR)
3. Asylum
4. Family law
5. Child-friendly justice and children's rights
6. Anti-discrimination
7. Hate crime/hate speech
8. Community sanctions and alternative measures to detention
9. International co-operation in criminal matters
10. Business and human rights
11. Counterfeiting of medical products and crimes against public health
12. Transitional justice
13. Property rights
14. Trafficking of human beings
15. Pre-trial investigation in the light of ECHR
16. Reasoning of judgments in criminal cases

HELP IN THE 28

Course
Labour Rights
Racism, xenophobia, homophobia
Data protection and privacy
Integrity of the person – bioethics
Asylum



HELP in the 28 – I

Not yet

- Austria
- Bulgaria
- Croatia
- Czech R.
- Estonia
- France
- Greece
- Italy
- Latvia
- Lithuania
- Poland
- Portugal
- Romania
- Slovakia
- Slovenia
- Spain

- Belgium
- Cyprus
- Denmark
- Finland
- Germany
- Hungary
- Ireland
- Luxembourg
- Malta
- Netherlands
- Sweden

Funded by the European Union and the Council of Europe

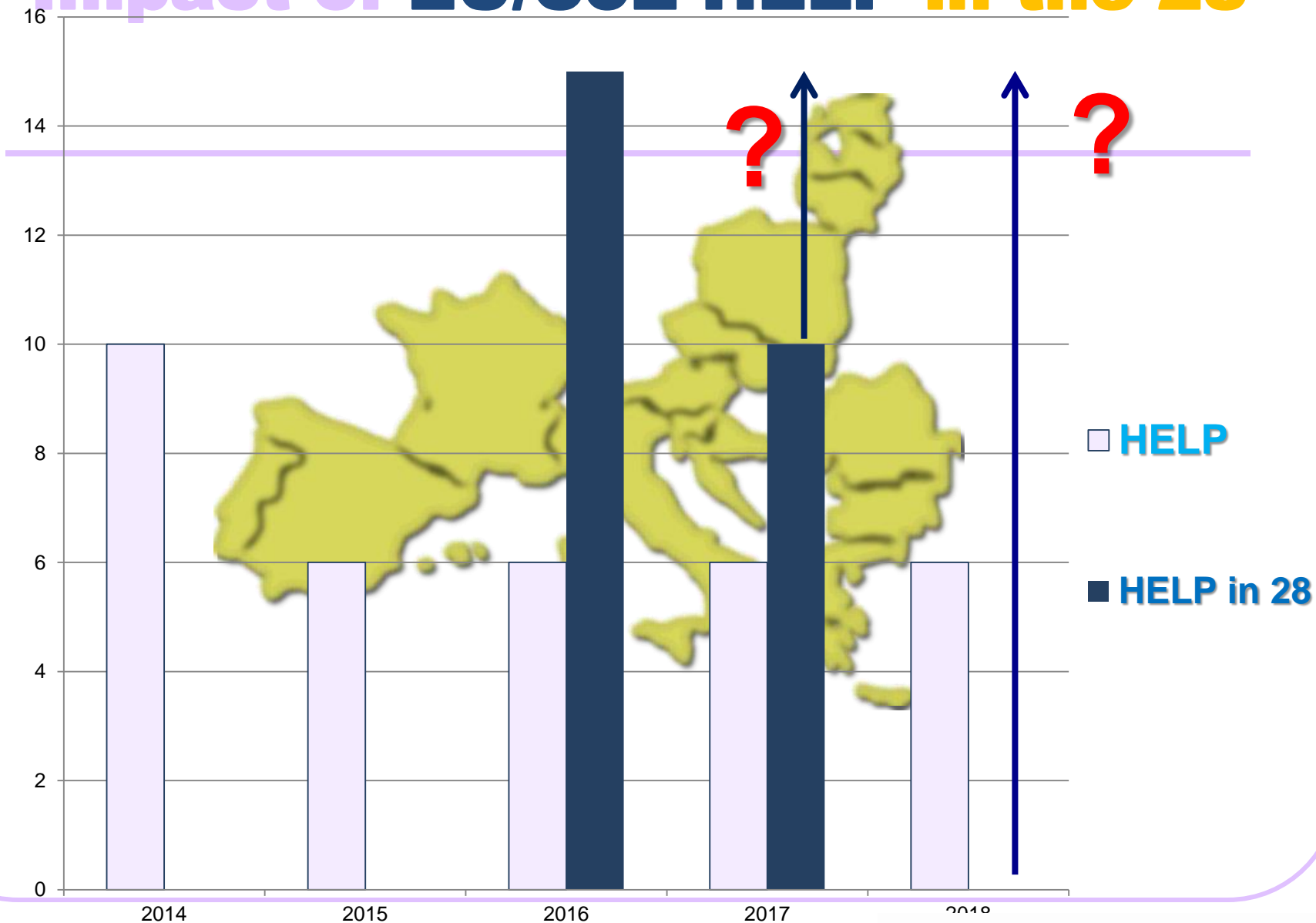


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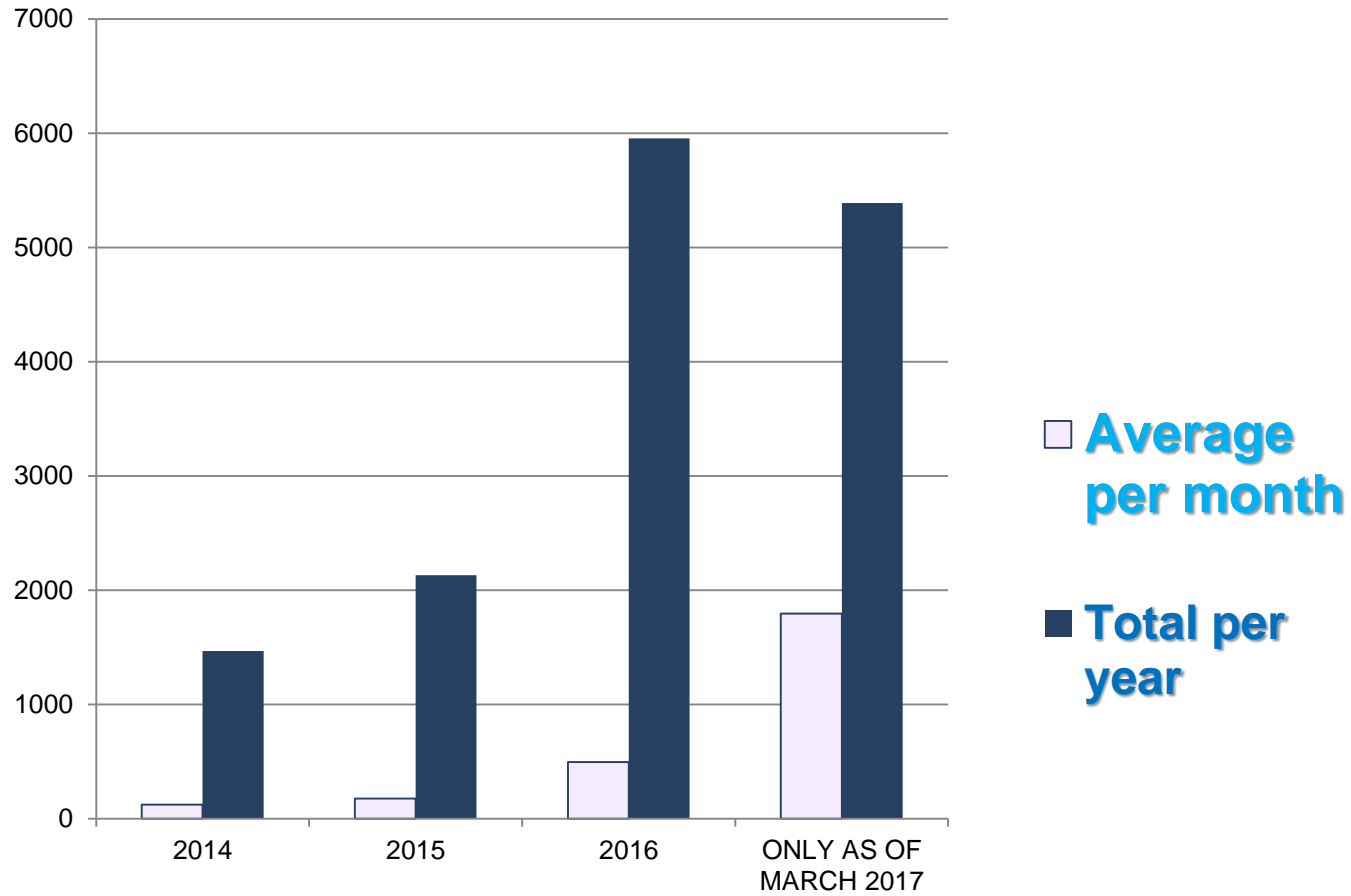


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Impact of EU/CoE HELP in the 28



Number of new subscribers in the HELP e-learning platform (18.00 users)



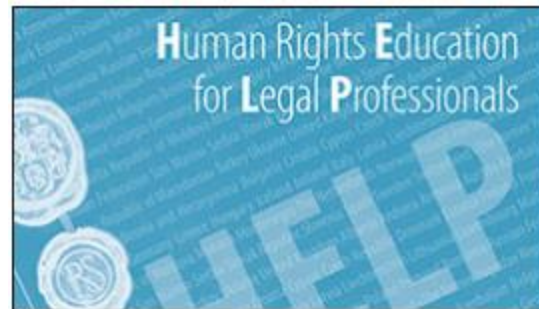
Future strategic EU-HELP relation

- Objective: better protection of **human rights in EU**
- Expanding coverage in **EU MS**
- Proposals submitted to EU
 - HELP in the EU
 - HELP radicalisation prevention
- Call for EP's support of a more strategic EU-HELP relationship for **more impact in EU**

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