



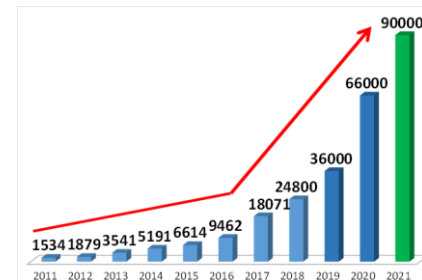
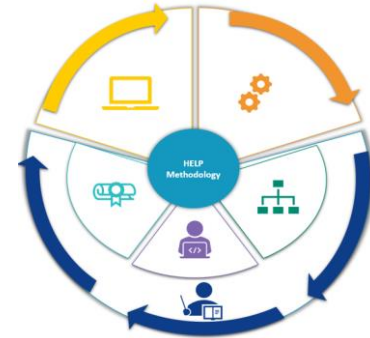
# OVERVIEW

□ HELP Network/users

□ HELP courses

□ Methodology

□ Impact



# Human Rights Education For Legal Professionals

## HELP's main goal

HELP legal professionals\* apply **European (CoE + EU)** human rights standards in their daily work, by training



\* and other current/future professionals



# Human Rights Education For Legal Professionals

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## HELP key 3 components

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Sometimes working w/ other National Authorities related to HELP courses topics

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The screenshot shows the HELP Online Courses website. At the top, it features the Council of Europe logo and the text 'Human Rights Education for Legal Professionals (HELP) My Courses'. The main heading is 'Human Rights Education for Legal Professionals'. Below this, there is a 'Take Free Courses' button. At the bottom, there are logos for various partner organizations including FBI, IAP, UNHCR, and the European Union. A section titled 'HELP Online Courses' lists three available courses: 'Introduction to the ECHR', 'Asylum and the ECHR', and 'Data Protection and Privacy Rights'.



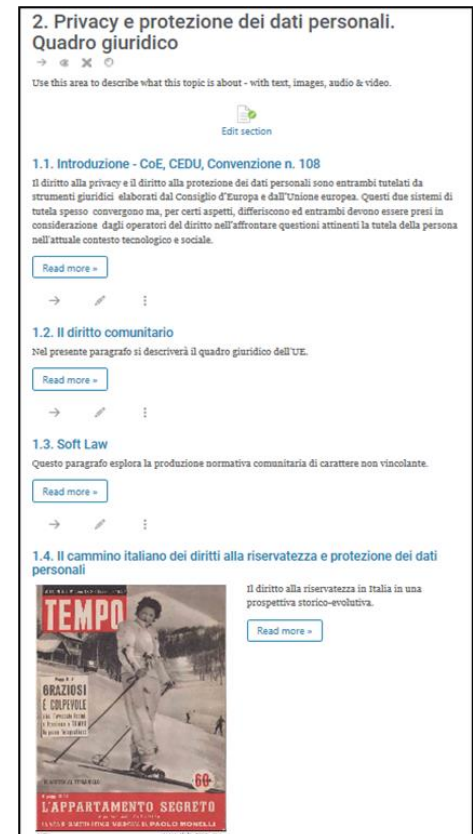
This screenshot shows the 'Radicalisation Prevention' Introduction Module. The title is 'Radicalisation Prevention' with the subtitle 'Improving the criminal justice response in Europe to prevent radicalisation leading to terrorism and violent extremism'. Below the title is an 'Introduction Module' section with a 'START THE MODULE' button. The HELP logo and the Council of Europe logo are visible at the bottom.



This screenshot shows the 'Prävention von Radikalisierung' Einleitungsmodul. The title is 'Prävention von Radikalisierung' with the subtitle 'Verbesserung der Reaktionsmöglichkeiten der Strafjustiz in Europa zur Prävention von Radikalisierung, die zu Terrorismus und gewalttätigem Extremismus führt'. Below the title is an 'Einleitungsmodul' section with a 'MODUL STARTEN' button. The HELP logo and the Council of Europe logo are visible at the bottom.



This screenshot shows the 'Πρόληψη της ριζοσπαστικοποίησης' Εισαγωγική ενότητα. The title is 'Πρόληψη της ριζοσπαστικοποίησης' with the subtitle 'Βελτίωση των φύσεων αντίδρασης της ποινικής δικαιοσύνης στην Ευρώπη έναντι της πρόληψης της ριζοσπαστικοποίησης που οδηγεί στην τρομοκρατία και τον βίαιο εξτρεμισμό'. Below the title is an 'Εισαγωγική ενότητα' section with a 'ΞΑΝΑΡΧΩΣΕ ΤΗ ΕΝΟΤΗΤΑ' button. The HELP logo and the Council of Europe logo are visible at the bottom.



This screenshot shows a document page titled '2. Privacy e protezione dei dati personali. Quadro giuridico'. The page contains three sections: '1.1. Introduzione - CoE, CEDU, Convenzione n. 108', '1.2. Il diritto comunitario', and '1.3. Soft Law'. Each section has a 'Read more >' button. The page also features a small image of a person skiing and a newspaper clipping from 'TEMPO'.

## Total number of users of the HELP e-learning Platform (June every year)

HELP in EU: +43,000

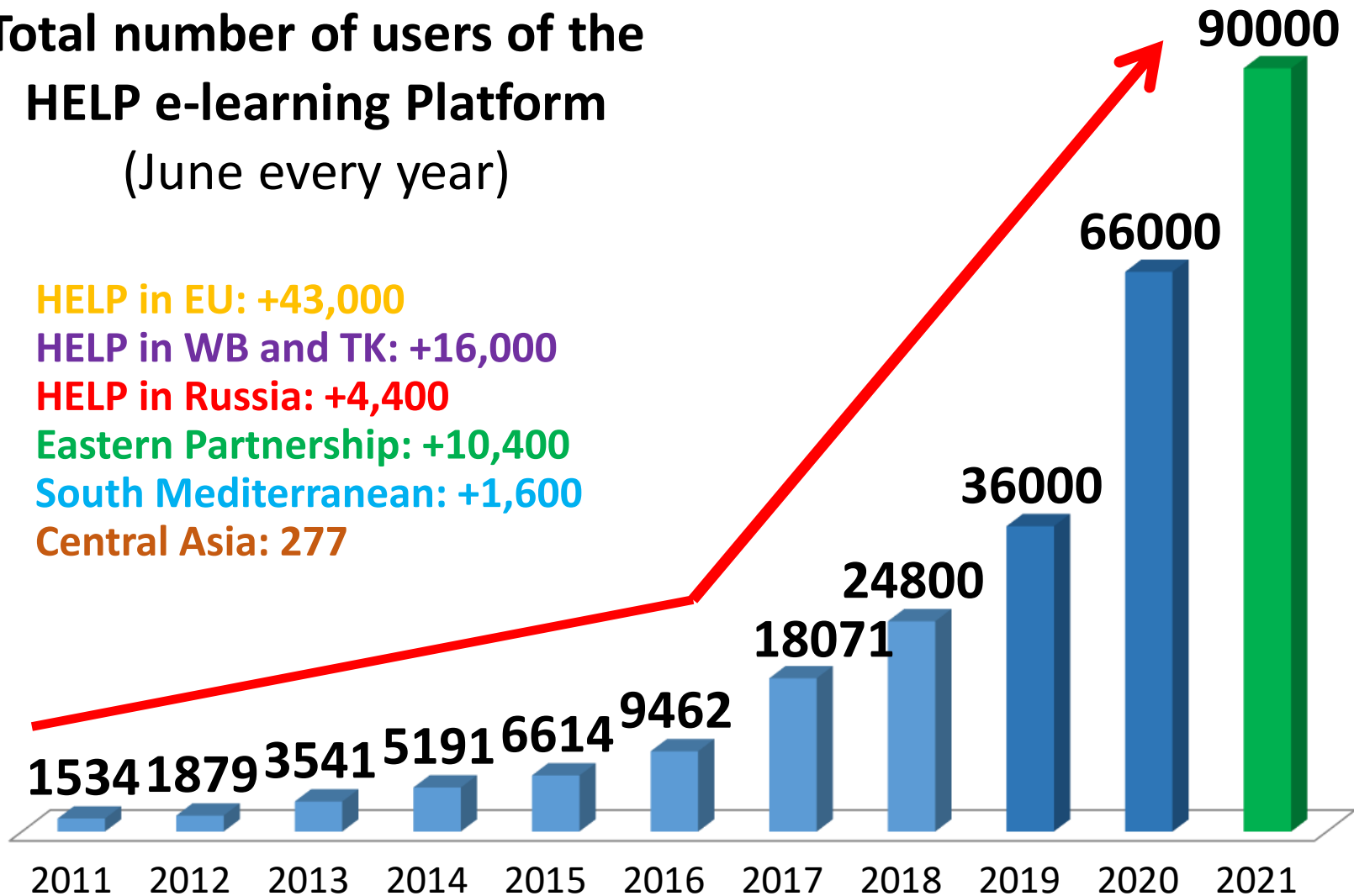
HELP in WB and TK: +16,000

HELP in Russia: +4,400

Eastern Partnership: +10,400

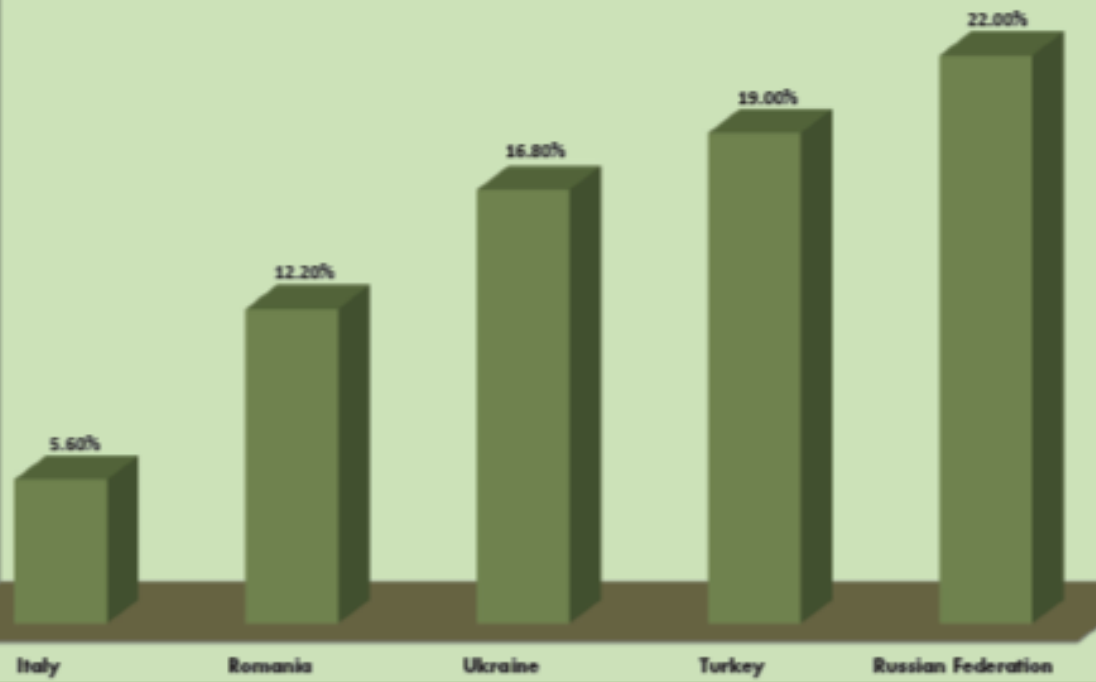
South Mediterranean: +1,600

Central Asia: 277





## ECHR- PENDING ALLOCATED CASES



**HELP in EU: 50%**

TOP COUNTRY	USERS
1 FRANCE	10 761
2 TURKEY	10 479
3 ITALY	7 447
4 SPAIN	6 972
5 UKRAINE	5 354
6 RUSSIA	4 443
7 GREECE	3 596
8 UK	3 578
9 ROMANIA	2 024
10 GEORGIA	1 567
11 POLAND	1 442
12 BELGIUM	1 365
13 ALBANIA	1 274
14 SERBIA	1 274
15 MOLDOVA	1 187
16 AZERBAIJAN	1 167
17 NORTH MACEDONIA	1 199
18 PORTUGAL	897
19 ARMENIA	893
20 GERMANY	876
21 LITHUANIA	845

## HELP PROJECTS:

- **HELP in the EU**
- **Radicalisation Prevention, Judicial Response to Terrorism and International Cooperation in Criminal Matters**
- **HELP in Russia** – funded by HRTF – VC
- **HELP in Cyprus** – funded by UK



## HELP COMPONENTS in mainly EU-funded projects:

- **HELP in the Western Balkans & Turkey**
- **South Mediterranean**
- **Support to Independent Instances- Tunisia**
- **HELP in Central Asia**
- **Other CoE cooperation projects**  
(e.g. Business & HR, migration)





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**HELP ONLINE FREE COURSES AT <http://help.elearning.ext.coe.int/>**

- ❖ Introduction to the ECHR and the ECtHR
- ❖ Admissibility criteria (ECtHR)
- ❖ Asylum and human rights
- ❖ Family law and human rights
- ❖ Child-friendly justice and children's rights
- ❖ Anti-discrimination
- ❖ Hate crime and hate speech
- ❖ Community sanctions and alternative measure to detention
- ❖ International co-operation in criminal matters
- ❖ Business and human rights
- ❖ Pharmaceutical crime and Medicrime convention
- ❖ Transitional justice and human rights
- ❖ Property rights and the ECHR
- ❖ Freedom of expression
- ❖ Combatting trafficking in human beings
- ❖ Pre-trial investigation in the light of the ECHR
- ❖ Reasoning of criminal judgments
- ❖ Fight against racism, xenophobia, homophobia & transphobia
- ❖ Data protection and privacy rights

- ❖ Access to justice for women
- ❖ Alternatives to immigration detention
- ❖ CPT standards
- ❖ Ethics for judges, prosecutors & lawyers
- ❖ Gathering and use of evidence in counter-terrorism cases
- ❖ Human rights in sports
- ❖ Internal displacements
- ❖ Key human rights principles in biomedicine
- ❖ Labour rights
- ❖ Managing foreign prisoners (europris)
- ❖ Pre-trial investigation and the ECHR
- ❖ Procedural safeguards in criminal proceedings and victims' rights
- ❖ Prohibition of ill-treatment
- ❖ Protection and safety of journalists
- ❖ Radicalisation prevention
- ❖ Refugee and migrant children
- ❖ Right to the integrity of the person (bioethics)
- ❖ Right to liberty and security
- ❖ Right to respect for private and family life
- ❖ Right of persons with disabilities
- ❖ The environment and human rights
- ❖ Violence against women and domestic violence

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**HELP** 5-hr online course

Jointly w. Execution Department & ECtHR Registry lawyers



**Introduction to the European Convention on Human Rights and the European Court of Human Rights**

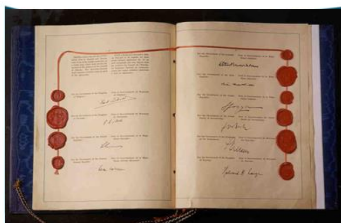
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**+17,000 users!**



Introduction to the European Convention on Human Rights



Introduction to the European Court of Human Rights



Execution of the Judgments of the European Court of Human Rights

With EU/DG JUST support, in 2022:

Development of HELP online course on interplay bet. the ECHR and the EUCFR  
Complement CoE + FRA online tools



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## HELP courses – Rule of Law

### ETHICS FOR JUDGES, PROSECUTORS AND LAWYERS

### Human Rights Education for Legal Professionals

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by the European Union



Co-funded and implemented  
by the Council of Europe

Start Course



### Procedural Safeguards in Criminal Proceedings and Victims' Rights

HELP  
Council of Europe Programme for  
Human Rights Education for Legal  
Professionals



### Women's Access to Justice



HELP  
Human Rights Education for Legal Professionals



### PROTECTION & SAFETY OF JOURNALISTS

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by the Council of Europe

### FREEDOM OF EXPRESSION

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### Welcome to Module 1 MEANING OF CORRUPTION

Corruption is a term used frequently, by politicians, the media, NGOs, in our daily life. But do we all have a clear and common understanding of what we mean by "corruption"?



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## HELP courses – WOMEN Joint collaboration w. CoE Equality and Human Dignity Department

**+7000**

العنف ضد المرأة والعنف المنزلي

هيلب  
تعليم حقوق الإنسان للمهنيين القانونيين

**+2400**

Women's Access to Justice

Partnership for Good Governance

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Կանանց նկատմամբ բռնություն և ընտանեկան բռնություն

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Пристап на жените до правдата

HELP  
Едукација за човекови права за правните професионалци

Вовед

Nasilje nad ženama i nasilje u porodici

HELP  
EDUKACIJA PRANIKA O LJUDSKIM PRAVIMA

Насилие в отношении женщин и домашнее насилие

HELP  
ЕВРОПЕЙСКА ПРОГРАМА ОБРАЗОВАНИЕ И ОБУЧЕНИЕ ПРАВ ЧЕЛОВЕКА ДЛЯ ПРЕДСТАВИТЕЛЕЙ ЮРИДИЧЕСКОЙ ПРОФЕССИИ

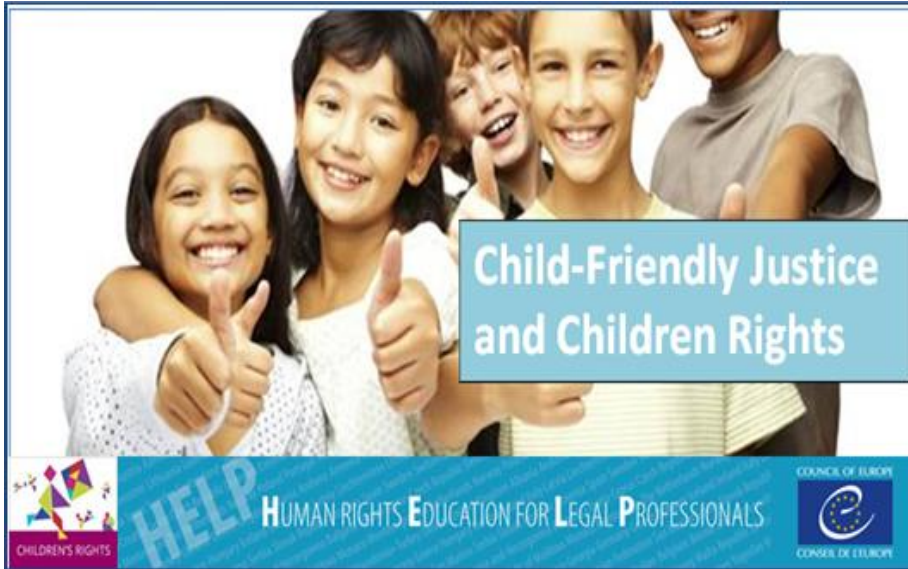
Πρόσβαση Γυναίκών στη Δικαιοσύνη

HELP  
Εκπαίδευση στις Ανθρώπινα Δικαιώματα για Εισαγωγικούς Νομικούς

Εισαγωγή

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## HELP courses – CHILDREN'S RIGHTS



Joint collaboration with CoE  
Children's Rights Division



Synergies



## Module 5 – Children's rights: key challenges

### 1-2 hour e-learning

- Protection of children from sexual exploitation & abuse| **Lanzarote** Convention
- Rights of the child in the **digital** environment





+5000

Asylum and  
Human Rights

Start Module

6 hour online learning

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+3000

REFUGEE AND MIGRANT CHILDREN  
(10 hour online learning)

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HUMAN RIGHTS EDUCATION FOR LEGAL PROFESSIONALS



Alternatives to  
Immigration  
Detention  
+700

HELP  
Human Rights Education  
for Legal Professionals

7 hour online learning



Internal  
displacement

+800



HELP  
HUMAN RIGHTS EDUCATION FOR LEGAL PROFESSIONALS







Fight against  
**Racism**  
**Xenophobia**  
**Homophobia** and  
**Transphobia**



## DISCRIMINATION AGAINST ROMA



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[Start Course](#)

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Human Rights Education for Legal Professionals  
Council of Europe



European Commission  
against Racism and Intolerance

**ECRI**  
Commission européenne  
contre le racisme et l'intolérance

## HATE CRIME

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## HATE SPEECH

HELP  
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**HELP courses** – in high demand during pandemic times – and beyond

**Combating Trafficking in Human Beings**

HELP  
HUMAN RIGHTS EDUCATION FOR LEGAL PROFESSIONALS

**Data Protection and Privacy Rights**

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**CPT Standards**

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**Human Rights in Sports**

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**Pharmaceutical Crime  
and the  
MEDICRIME Convention**

**Introduction**

Key human rights  
principles in  
biomedicine

**Bioethics**

**CYBERCRIME**  
Cybercrime and Electronic Evidence

**START**

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**INTRODUCTION  
TO THE  
EUROPEAN  
SOCIAL CHARTER**

**START COURSE**

European Social Charter  
Charte sociale européenne

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**LABOUR RIGHTS  
AS  
HUMAN RIGHTS**

**START MODULE**

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**Business and  
Human Rights**

**The Environment  
and  
Human Rights**

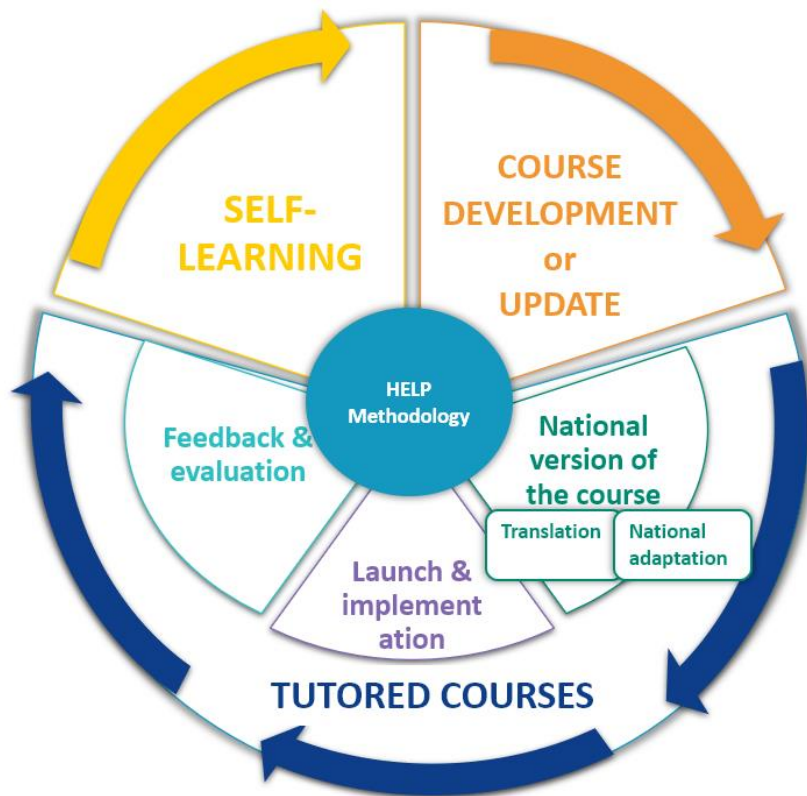
## **COURSES under preparation:**

- Update of Judicial reasoning
- Human Rights in the Armed Forces
- Violence against women for police

## **New COURSES to be prepared:**

- CEPEJ
- Medicrime for police
- Lanzarote Convention





## HELP training methodology



Average successful rate in tutored courses

[HELP Methodology Guidebook](#)  
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# HELP training methodology

Development of HELP model course  
(English)

Development of the national version

Launch and implementation

Evaluation and certification

Self-learning





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**Online course duration is 6-12 hrs**  
**More if reviewing links**

*Self-learning*

*Tutored course*

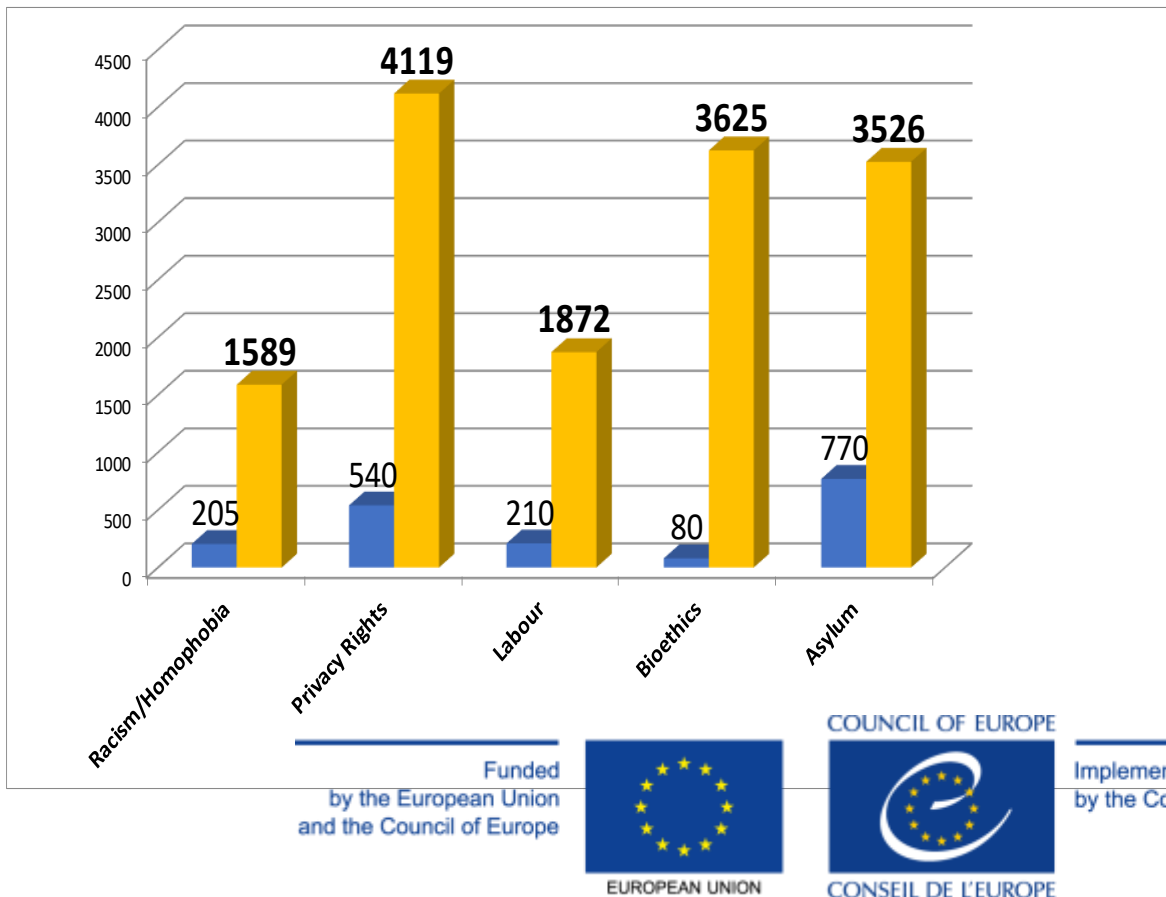


For the Partner Institution

For the HELP Secretariat

*Eva Past*

- ✓ Tested high quality
- ✓ Efficiency
- ✓ Proved sustainability



Medium –term  
impact courses  
developed under  
HELP in the EU  
3,5 year after  
project conclusion



# Human Rights Education For Legal Professionals

## Universities - OCEAN



GLASGOW



MOLDOVA STATE UNI



INSTITUTE OF INT'L RELATIONS  
KYIV TARAS SHEVCHENKO



SCIENCES PO-REIMS



BELGRADE



WEST UNIV. TIMISOARA



BRNO LAW FACULTY



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Your academic network?



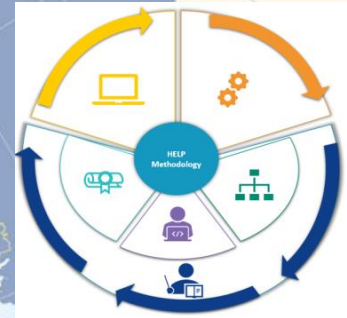


**WHAT:**  
38 **courses** on  
Human Rights  
+300 national  
versions

**For WHOM:**  
**HELP Network**  
**Justice professionals**  
+/- 25,000 tutored courses  
+ 90,000 users online

60 nat'l adaptations  
since 

4,100 tutored  
+45,000 since 



**HOW:**  
**HELP methodology**  
✓ (virtual) face-to-face & online  
✓ cross-border  
✓ cross-professional





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