

Democracy, Social Cohesion and Global Challenges Committee

Working group: Gender perspectives in Political and Democratic Processes

Theme(s) discussed:

- Gender mainstreaming in all democratic processes

Aims:

- Gender mainstreaming in all fields of European societies and thus in all policies and measures in the work of the Conference of INGOs

Actions / Working methods

- This working group includes and coordinates the gender equality rapporteurs for all working groups of the INGO Conference
- In-depth study of topical issues identified by the coordinator on suggestion by group members or from the outside
- Input on gender issues to the other working groups of the Conference of INGOs
- Close co-operation with the Vice President for Gender Equality

Working languages: English with some translation into French

Coordinator: Bettina Hahne

Group members: approximately 50 members

Date created: recreated in October 2017, aims redefined in June 2018

Foreseen duration: until the end of the mandate of the current CONF/DEM Committee, either the summer or autumn session in 2020

Expected results:

- Gender mainstreaming through all the work of the Conference of INGOs by
 - o Appointing and coordinating gender equality rapporteurs in all the working groups of the Conference of INGOs
 - o Contributions/recommendations with specific focus on gender to the working groups of the Conference of INGOs and in its reports

Dissemination of the results:

- In reports, resolutions, recommendations

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