UPDATE ON GENDER MAINSTREAMING AT THE COUNCIL OF EUROPE
16th meeting of the Gender Equality Commission
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Tools and gender mainstreaming activities

- Regular update of gender mainstreaming website
Internal support to Council of Europe entities and staff

✓ Meeting of the **Gender Mainstreaming Team** (June 2019)

✓ **Training for Gender Equality Rapporteurs**: yearly training, 1.5 days, 11-12 December, Strasbourg

✓ Ongoing **advice and contacts** with GERs and colleagues

✓ Work with **Office of the Directorate General of Programmes (ODGP)**

✓ **Training** for staff in 2020
Main policy developments on gender mainstreaming in Council of Europe sectors (1)

✓ European Committee on Legal Co-operation: workshop on gender mainstreaming in the process of law reform (12 November 2019)

✓ Report on gender sensitive issues in relation to bioethics (Bioethics Committee): gender bias in medicine, issues concerning access/representation of women, etc.

✓ Steering Committee on Human Rights: checklist on mainstreaming gender and human rights
Main policy developments on gender mainstreaming in Council of Europe sectors (2)

- **Artificial Intelligence**: organisation of internal workshop on GE & AI (May, 2019), participation in preparatory works of Council of Europe Ad-hoc Committee on AI and in CAHAI meeting
- Electoral assistance sector: new **ElecData** project comprises GE-related information
- GRECO and MONEYVAL commissioned a study on “Gender, Corruption and Fraud”
- Continued work of **Eurimages**: events, monitoring of GE in funding (36%)
Conclusions and looking ahead

- Reinforced gender mainstreaming activities, especially in legal sectors
- GM well anchored in some areas
- Training makes a difference
- Need for constant follow up, monitoring and mobilisation
- Continued work on language and gender sensitive communication
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