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# HELP in Eastern Partnership countries. HELP in Universities. 2019-2020

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## HELP in Eastern Partnership countries



Still **no separate HELP Project** on EaP

YET, **growth** and many **achievements** in the region

Emphasises **transversality** of the HELP courses and Methodology

Thank you !



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1	UKRAINE	2488
2	AZERBAIJAN	694
3	MOLDOVA	598
4	GEORGIA	532
5	ARMENIA	390
6	BELARUS	191
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>4893</b>



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<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>8124</b>

**66 % growth !!**

## What? HELP actions!

1) HELP Training-of-Trainers



2) HELP course launches



3) HELP courses in curricula



## How many? Tutored courses and participants



**HELP courses launched** in EaP:

**31** since July 2019

**15** during COVID – 19

**Participants to HELP tutored courses:**

**853** since July 2019

**485** during COVID – 19



## How many? National course translations



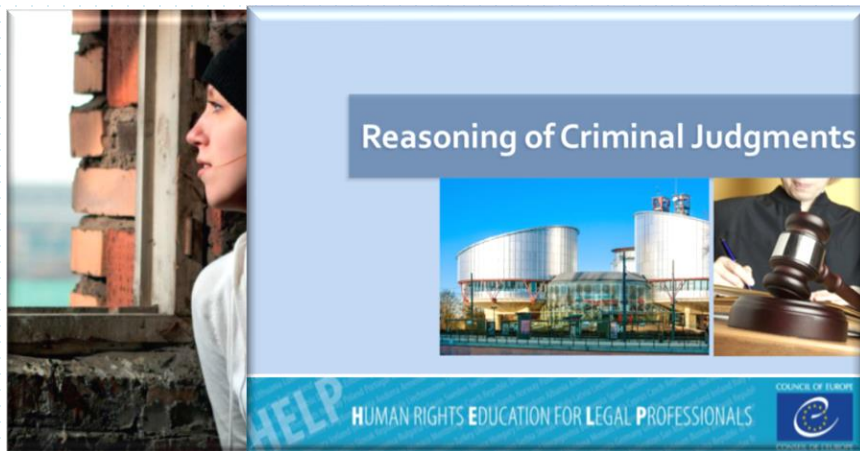
- ✓ TOTAL existing: **33**
- ✓ Newly produced (2019-2020): **12**
- ✓ In the pipeline (this summer): **12**





## Country highlights? ARMENIA

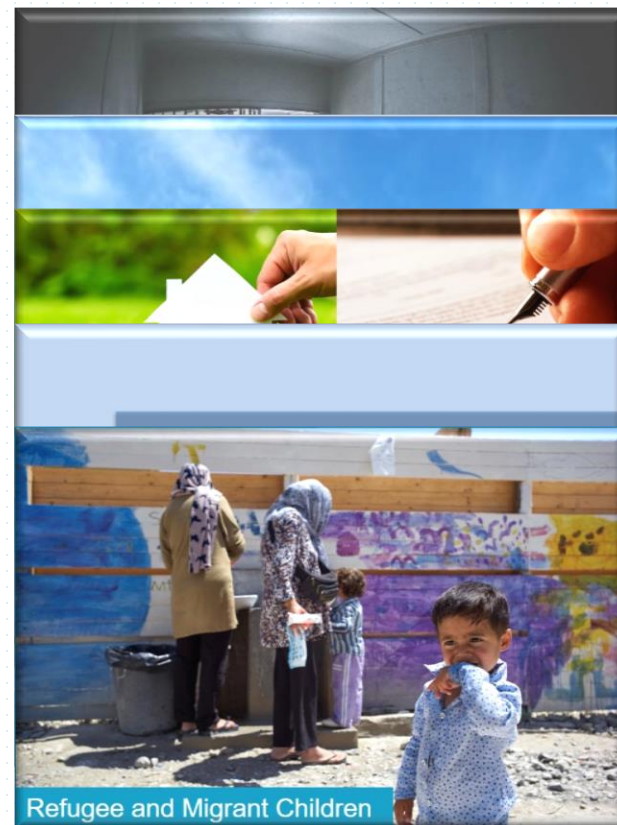
- ✓ Effective use of existing HELP courses – **repeated editions**





## Country highlights? AZERBAIJAN

**5** new course translations published in May



## Country highlights? BELARUS

### Increased work with **Universities**



- **Belarus State University**
- introduction of **HELP tools** and methodology in the continuing education

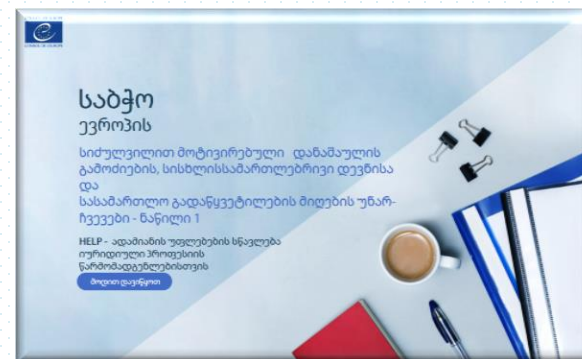
## Country highlights? GEORGIA



- ✓ First **online** HELP ToT, 2 June 2020
- ✓ **15** new HELP tutors: **judges, prosecutors, investigators, inspectors, legal staff**
- ✓ EU-CoE PGG project "Supporting the criminal justice reforms in Georgia"

- ✓ First launch of the **Skills-based course: Effective investigation, prosecution and adjudication of hate crimes**

- ✓ **45** participants





## Country highlights? MOLDOVA

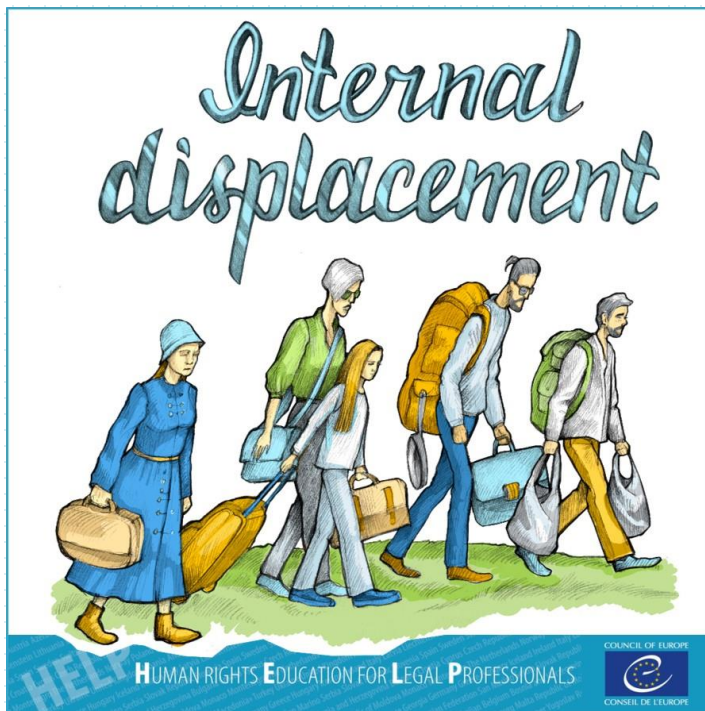


**6** HELP courses integrated in own platform (ILIAS)

More than **400** participants on ILIAS



## Country highlights? UKRAINE



**12** editions

more than **300** participants

**+190** self-learning

CoE Project [Internal Displacement in Ukraine: Building Solutions](#)

## HELP in Universities



### Strengthened mandate: Recommendation CM/Rec(2019/5)



- ✓ facilitating effective **access** to basic and practical **information** about the Convention system through university education ...
- ✓ the ability to **use** available resources (the HUDOC database, **HELP courses...**)



## What? HELP support

- ✓ HELP ToT
- ✓ Russian-Armenian University
- ✓ February 2020, Yerevan



- ✓ Increased contacts with Universities
- ✓ **Dedicated space** open on the HELP platform
- ✓ Professors directing students to self-study HELP courses

**OCEAN: specialised session**

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**Thank you** for your attention!  
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