

**STANDARDS**



**MONITORING**

**COOPERATION**



Human Rights Education  
for Legal Professionals

## HELP's main goal

HELP legal professionals\*  
apply **European human rights standards** in their  
daily work, mainly by training



\* and other current/future  
professionals

(ECtHR, Execution,  
CPT, GRECO, GREVIO...)

## HELP's 3 elements

### NETWORK

- Justice Training Institutions / Bar Councils

### ONLINE COURSES

- Tutored/self-learning
- Free, self-paced, certified



### HR TRAINING METHODOLOGY

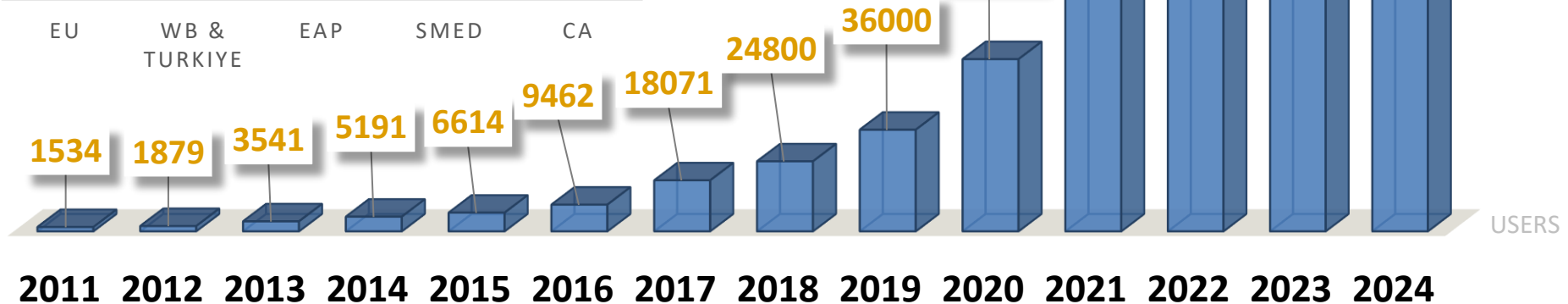
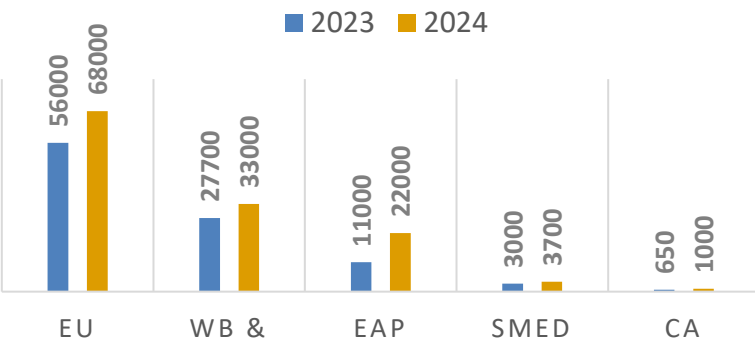
- Blended, scalable, flexible



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

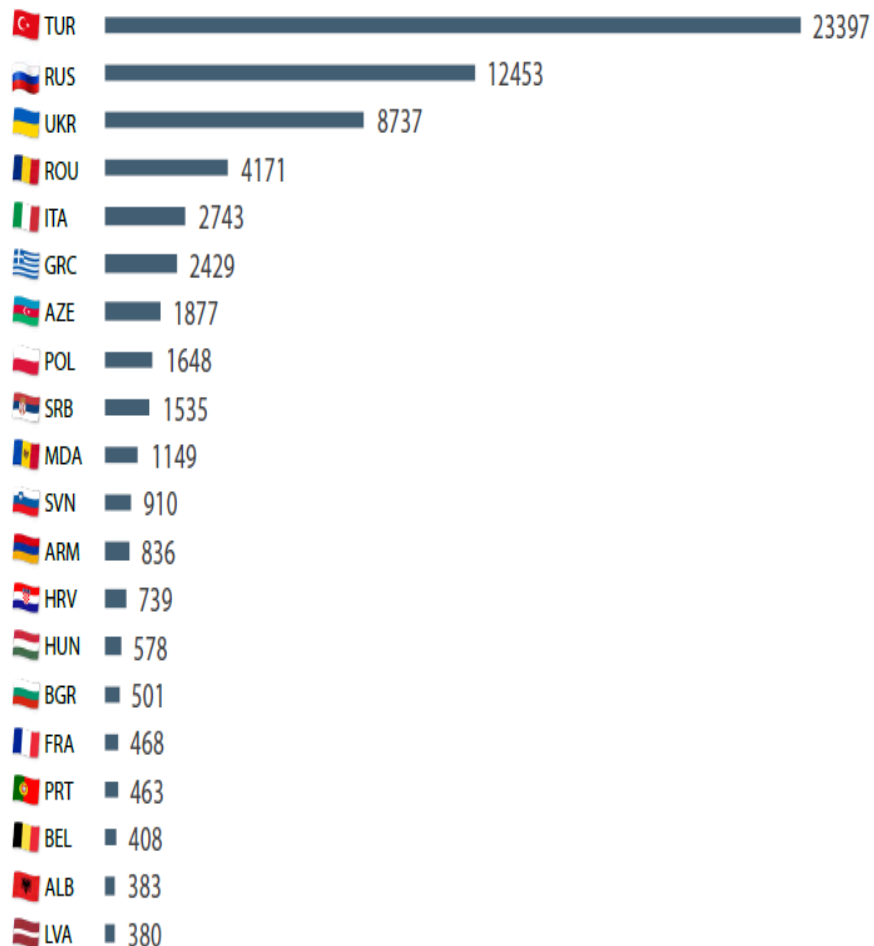
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### BY REGION

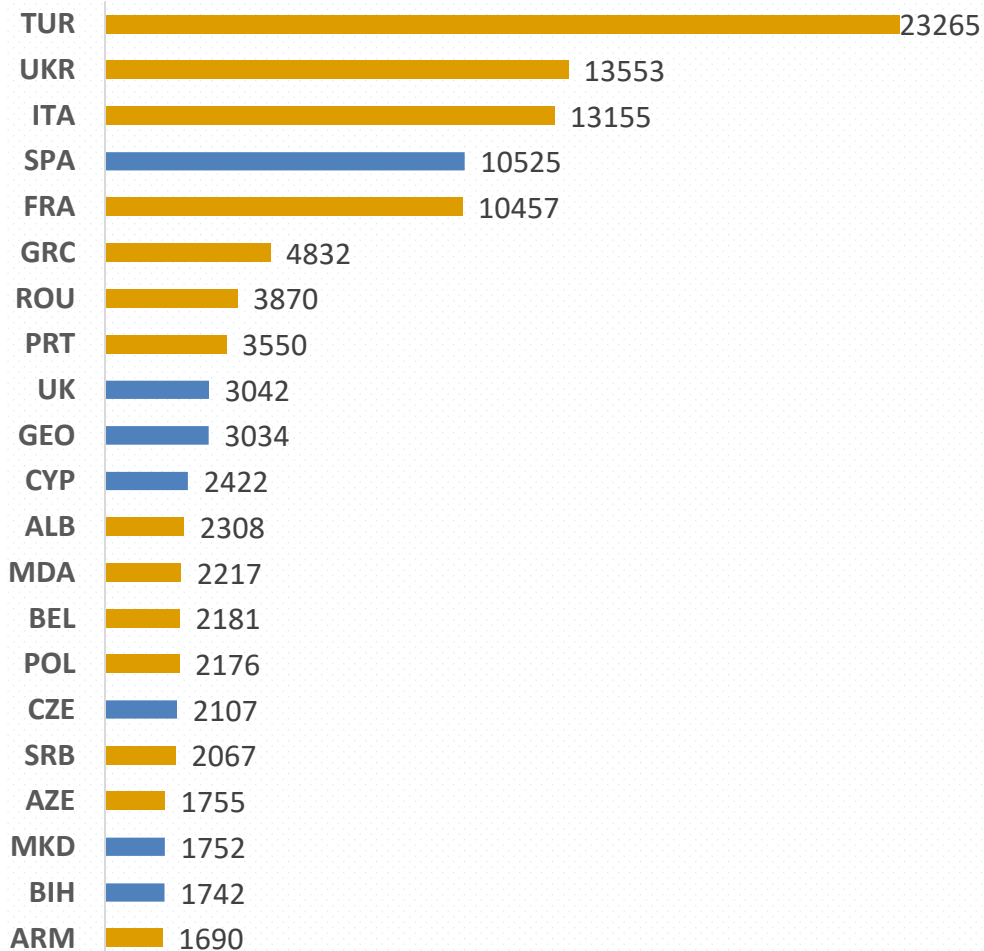


USERS

## ECtHR pending cases – Top 20 (2023)



## TOP 20 HELP users by CoE MS



# HELP PROJECTS

## HELP in the EU Judicial Training on Rule of Law and Fundamental Rights

Funded  
by the European Union  
and the Council of Europe



Implemented  
by the Council of Europe

## HELP in the Western Balkans

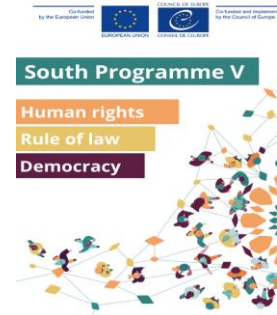


## HELP in Ukraine

## Voluntary Contributions

### HELP COMPONENTS in mainly EU-funded programmes:

## South Mediterranean Support to Indep. Instances- Tunisia

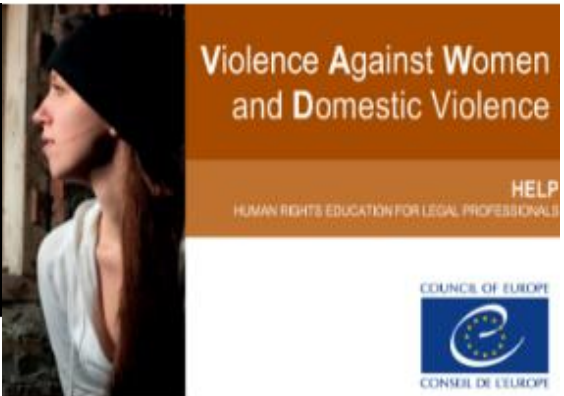
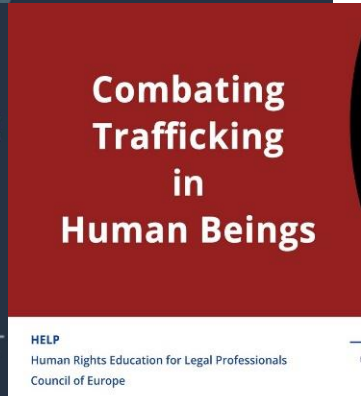
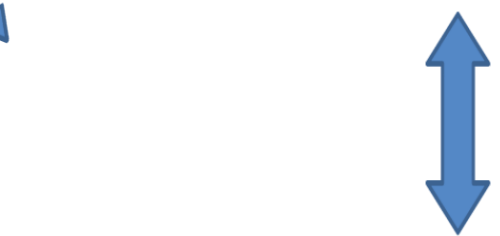
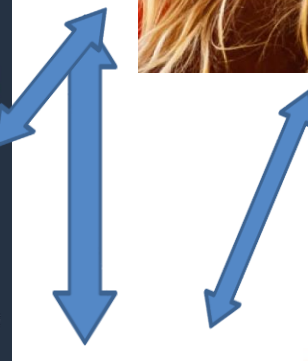
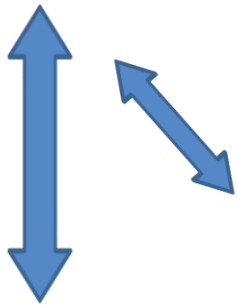
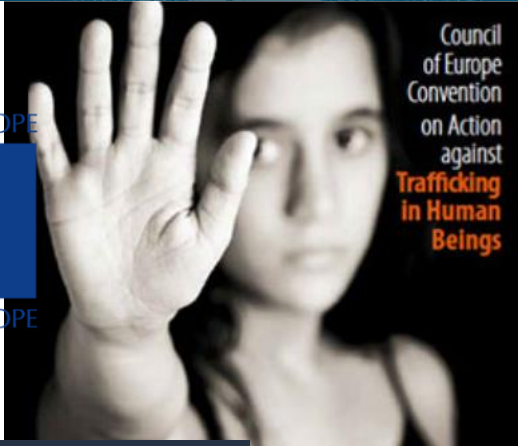


## HELP in Central Asia



## HELP Courses Links to International/CoE/EU Instruments







## Convention 108 +

Convention for the protection of individuals  
with regard to the processing  
of personal data



(12 hours)



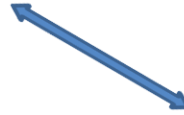
(10 hours)



(11 hours)

## HELP Courses: links to ECHR-ESC/EU Charter on Fdtal. Rights

**ECHR**  
(5h)



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**ESC**  
(1h)



### Interplay between the ECHR and the EU Charter of Fundamental Rights

About the course:

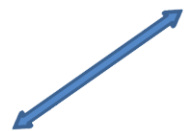
 Brief  6 hours

**EU Charter on Fdtal. Rights**




**CHARTER COURSES**

The Charter courses provide practical guidance on when and how the EU Charter of Fundamental Rights applies at national level. Judges and legal practitioners will be particularly interested in the step-by-step Charter e-guidance and concrete examples. Law students and trainers will find the Charter case studies e-course and trainers' area of benefit.



**7 NEW  
courses  
published**

**Gender Equality  
and  
Gender Mainstreaming**

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**International Humanitarian  
Law and Human Rights**

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**Quality of Justice:  
the Work of the  
CEPEJ**

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**Temporary  
Protection  
in the European Union**

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**JUDGES UPHOLDING THE  
RULE OF LAW**

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**ARTIFICIAL  
INTELLIGENCE AND  
HUMAN RIGHTS**

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**3 courses  
updated**

**PERSONAL DATA  
PROTECTION  
IN PUBLICATION  
OF JUDICIAL DECISIONS**

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**Combating  
Trafficking  
in  
Human Beings**

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**COMBATING  
HATE SPEECH**

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**Right to Liberty  
and Security**

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**In the  
making...**



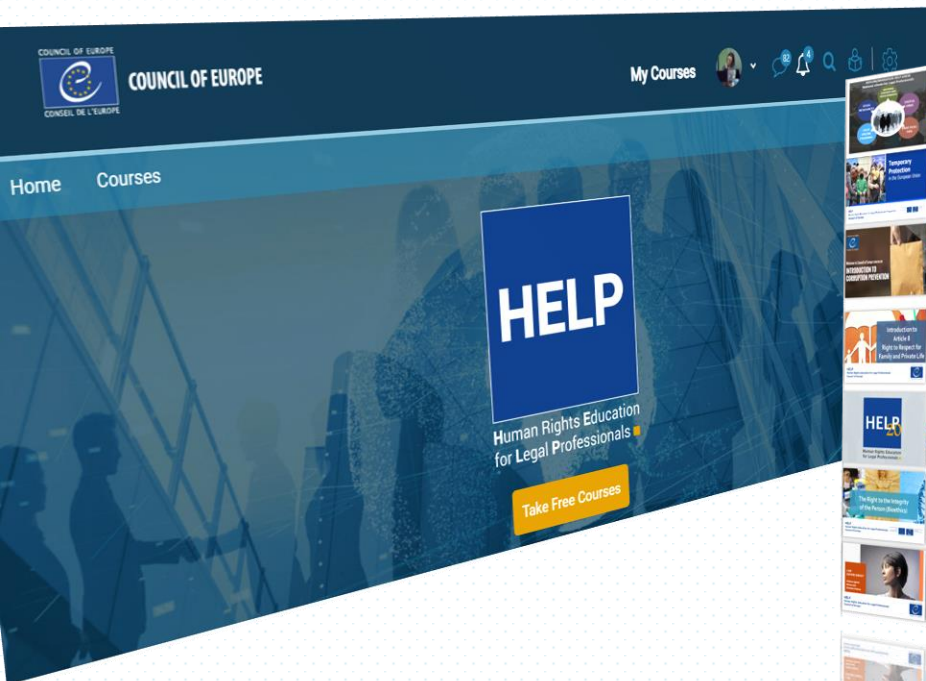
## NEW courses

- Mental Health and Human Rights
- Combating sexual exploitation of children (CoE Lanzarote Convention)
- Deportation of Children during Armed Conflicts
- Human Rights and the Use of Drugs (Pompidou Group)

## UPDATES

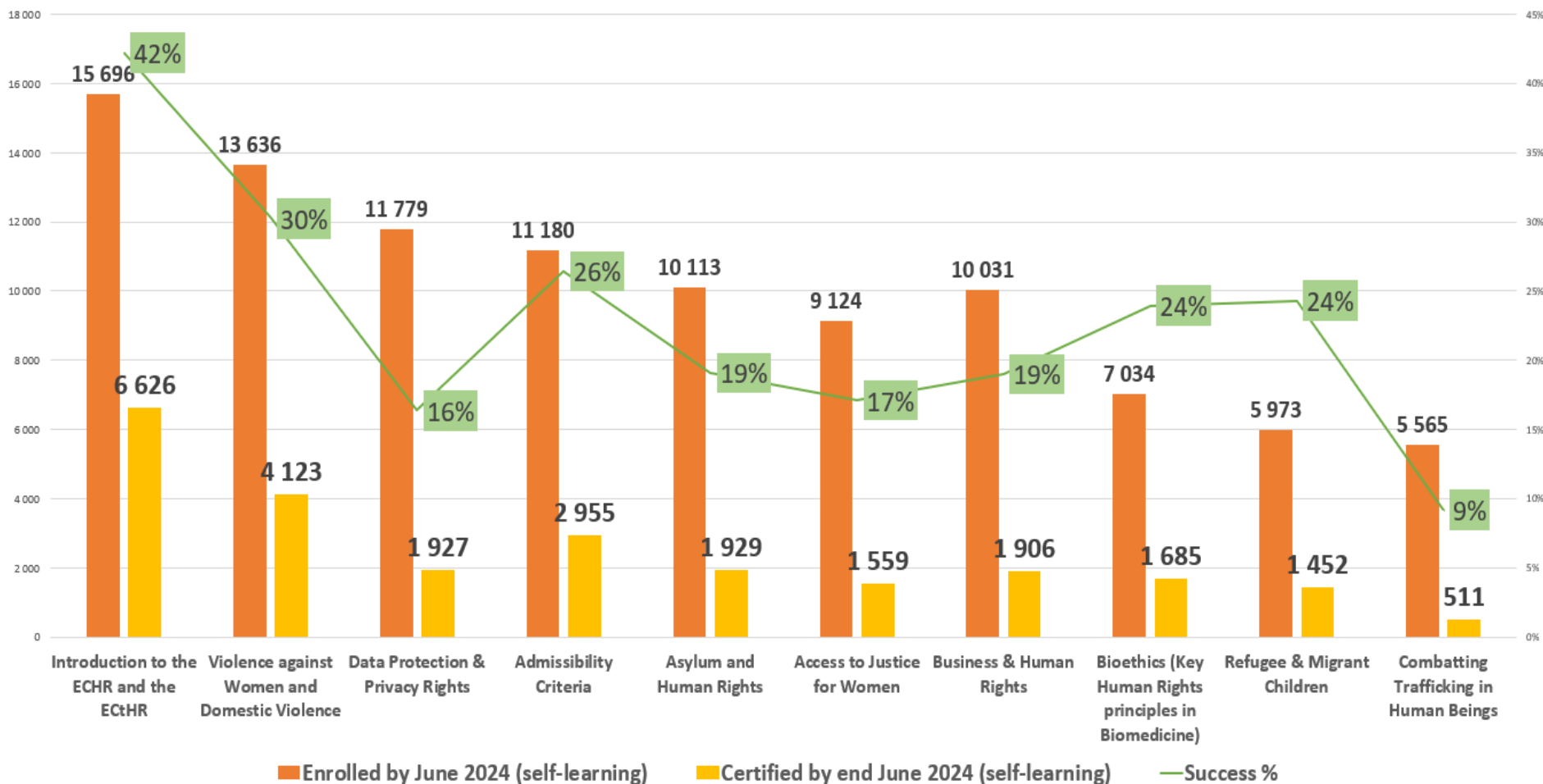
- Antidiscrimination

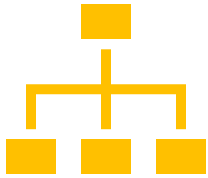
## HELP courses: Self-learning



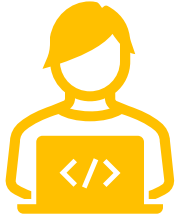
- ✓ Free
- ✓ Available to anyone with an account at HELP e-platform
- ✓ Learning when and as much as users want/have the time
- ✓ Statement of accomplishment

## TOP 10 HELP courses (most enrolled in self-learning)

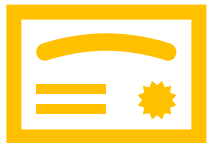




**600+ translations of HELP courses in various languages available on the e-learning platform**



**204,000 (157,000 in 2023) enrolments in self-learning courses**



**49,000 (33,000 in 2023) users completed HELP self-learning courses**

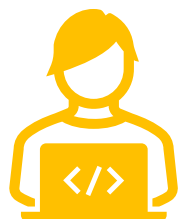


**Around 440,000+ learning hours for self-learners...**  
And more as HELP courses are used as reference/working tools

## HELP courses: Self-learning



**>1000 HELP tutored  
courses launched**



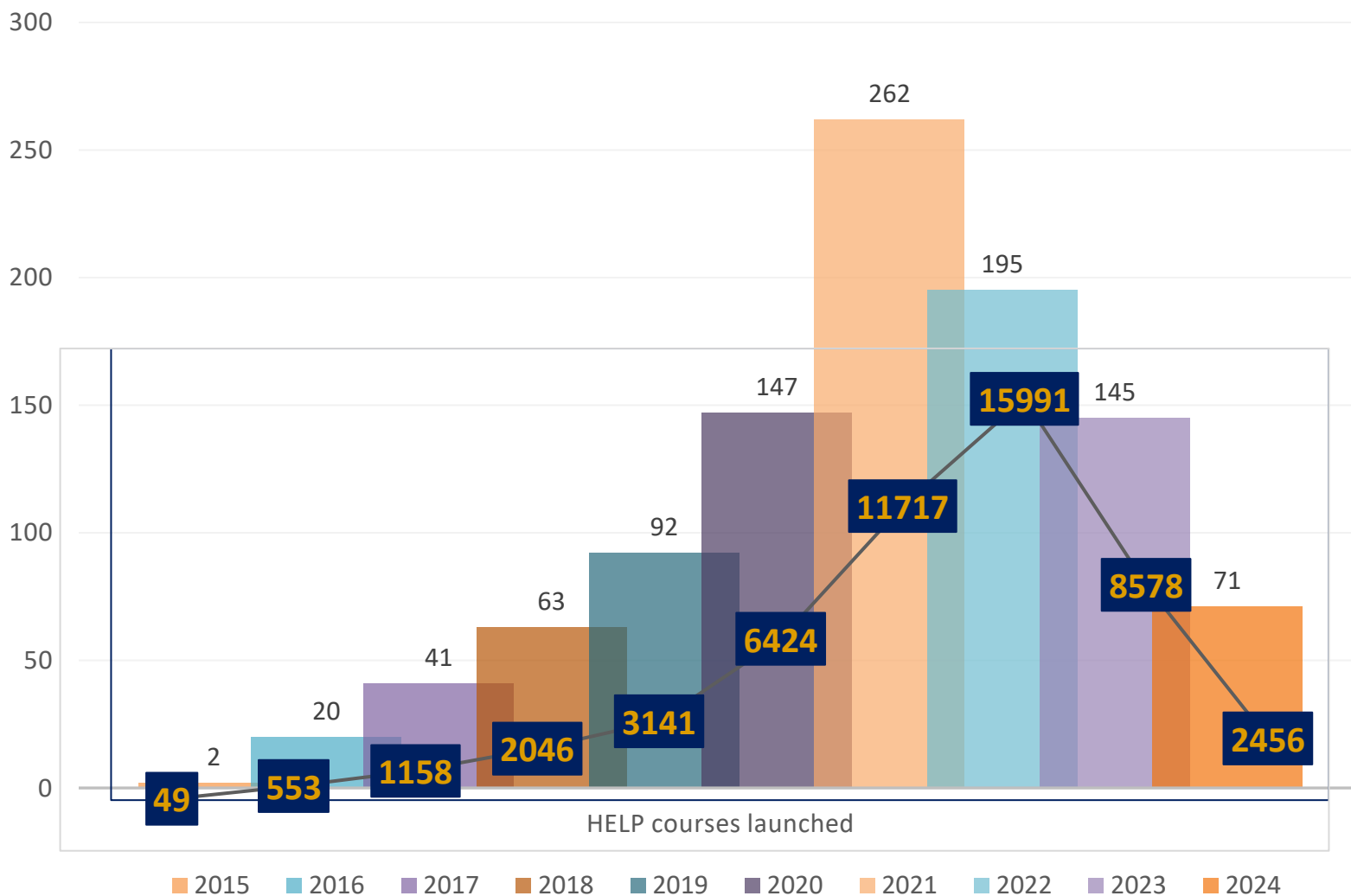
**40,000+ legal  
professionals enrolled in  
TUTORED COURSES  
...plus 13,000+ students**



**720,000+ learning  
hours for legal  
professionals only**



## TUTORED: courses launched and **participants**



## Methodology: Good practices/success stories

**Integration of HELP  
courses in training  
curricula**

**Launches  
completely  
organised by  
partners**



**HELP Statements of  
Accomplishment  
recognised as  
training**

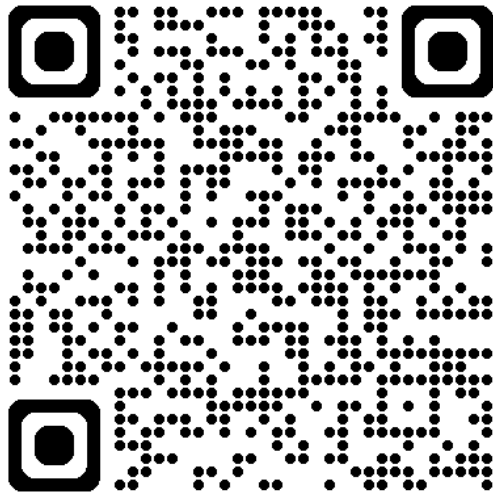
**Transfer of HELP  
courses to JTI/BA e-  
learning platforms**

**HELP in Universities**

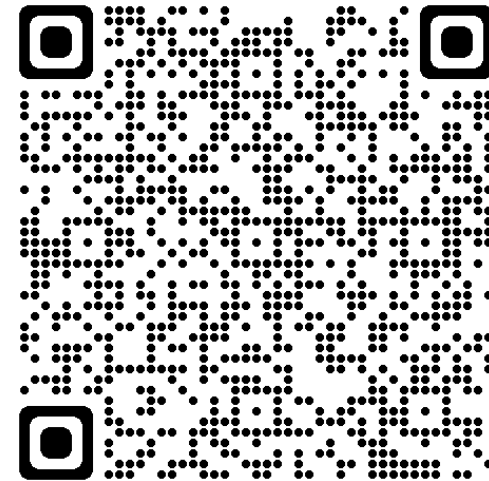
## HELP Network Strategy

1. **Reinforce** the role of the **HELP Consultative Board, Justice Training Institutions, Bar Councils** and European **HELP partners (FRA, EJTN & CCBE)**.
2. **HELP will - more reactive** to requests.
3. **Involve key actors in development/update of HELP courses.**
4. **Develop more support materials (HELP catalogue nat. languages, HELP video presentations in nat languages etc.)**
5. Integrate in **initial training** at least **HELP courses on ECHR and Interplay ECHR-EU Charter and others in continuous training.**
6. **Recognise HELP self-learning certificates**
7. From the highest possible level (**judiciary and Bar Councils**), **circulate HELP info** (e.g.catalogue) within judges, prosecutors and lawyers.
8. **For Focal and Info points, share knowledge/catalogue among trainers.**
9. Promote HELP courses as **self-learning** & reference/**working tool.**
10. **Self-learning: HELP courses to complement university programmes**

## CoE HELP Annual Report



## CoE HELP Catalogue of online courses



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*Good training for good judgments!*

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