

Frontera Sur Project

Country: Spain

Organisation responsible: NOVACT, Irídia

Period: Since November 2016

Activity: Project of political incidence and awareness raising about the human rights violations taking place in Southern Spanish border, specifically in Ceuta and Melilla.



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Objectives

Raising awareness among Barcelona citizens about human rights violations taking place in Ceuta and Melilla.

Promoting a new foreign law that respects migrants and refugees human rights.

Advocating for the restoration of the international legality in the Spanish Southern Border.

Advocating for the redefinition of the European border policy model.

Description

The Project consists of four main pillars:

- Research, with the creation of a commission for observation and study on the current situation.
- Training, with training aimed at citizens to improve knowledge about the causes of migratory crisis.
- Raising awareness, in order to involve the citizenry in the realities of the "other" refugees (those coming through the Spanish Southern border but disregarded by the media) with innovative and creative communication tools.
- Incidence, through legislative and non-legislative proposals in the Spanish Congress and the promotion of a relationship with national and international social movements in this regard.

Beneficiaries

Open to the public.

GOAL 1: Monitor the drivers and impact of ALL forms of violent extremism

(51) Reinforce watch-dog and monitoring systems of all forms of violent extremism in the Euro-Mediterranean region, with a special focus in hate speech in traditional medias and authorities.

(52) Monitor and conduct a critical review of all national legislations, policies, strategies and practices aimed at preventing and countering violent extremism to ascertain whether they are firmly grounded in respect for international humanitarian law, human rights and the rule of law.

GOAL 3: Strengthen the responsibility to protect the victims

(70) Promote an integrated framework to address violent extremism by all peaceful and nonviolent means. Preventing all forms of violent extremism requires conflict prevention and resolution, inclusive development, respect for human rights standards, and democracy reform. promoters.

GOAL 9: Promote the adoption of local, regional and National Plans of Actions

(129) Ensure that Plans of Actions do not focus exclusively on religious extremism, but consider instead the full range of extremist discourses and behaviors. Racist, ultra-nationalist or extreme-right ideologies are other current threats that foster violent extremism.