

### Lysistrata project

**Country:** Morocco

**Organisation responsible:** NOVACT and AMDH

**Duration:** 8 months (2011)



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**Activity:** Lysistrata is a project conducted by NOVACT and the Moroccan Association for Human Rights in partnership with the Catalan Institute for Human rights to reinforce the role of women in the public space in Morocco.

#### **Objectives**

Improving the effective exercise of the right to political participation of women as right holders in Morocco.

Strengthening equal opportunities for men and women in civil society organizations, trade unions and political parties

#### **Description**

With an expected duration of 8 months, the LYSISTRATA project has set itself the following results:

- Strengthen awareness of the causes and conditions of discrimination against women in Morocco within civil society organizations, trade unions and political parties.
- Strengthen the capacities of future leaders in order to promote their integration into decision-making bodies and staff of civil society organizations, trade unions and political parties.
- Reform the internal codes and regulations of trade unions, parties and NGOs to promote gender equality.

#### **Stakeholders**

NOVACT, Institut de Drets Humans de Catalunya (IDHC), Moroccan Association for Human Rights (AMDH), Catalan Agency for Development Cooperation (ACCD) and with the participation of the SOC, la Generalitat de Catalunya, del Fondo Social Europeo, de la Iniciativa de Empleo Juvenil y la Unión Europea.

#### **GOAL 5: Promote gender justice and expose gender specificities**

(90) Advocate for the inclusion of women representation in the planning and decision- making at governmental and institutional processes.