**AntiInmigration Research Paper**

**Country:** Spain

**Organisation responsible:** Journalism and Research Foundation porCausa

**Period:** Since 2003

**Activity:** This work of analysis of the Foundation byCausa portrays the political antinmigration narrative in Europe. Throughout eleven countries - in addition to the European Parliament - the different case studies illustrate the rise of populist xenophobia.

**Objectives**

Approaching the current situation of anti-immigration policies in Europe with a very precise focus: what political parties say and how these ideas are transmitted to the political spectrum, how they slam into the electorate and how citizens react to them.

**Description**

All the cases studied have one or more parties that explicitly incorporate anti-immigrant and anti-refugee positions. According to our analysis, the real strength of these movements lies in their ability to contaminate the position of traditional parties and shift the axis of public debate to the right. The questioning of international asylum obligations, migration control agreements with failed states such as Libya, or institutional responses to Islamophobia are examples of this drift.

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

(53) Promote agreements with the academia and think tanks to promote critical research on the causes conducive to and drivers of ALL violent extremisms.