

Research findings

Country code	Year	Reference details title	Reference details URL	Main thematic focus	Institution	Key findings - Short summary	Methodology (Qualitative/Quantitative and exact type used, questionnaires etc)	Sample details and representativeness	Area/location of interest - NUTS3 level
Lithuania	2016	ECRI Report, (Fifth monitoring cycle).	https://www.coe.int/web/european-commission-against-racism-and-intolerance/lithu...	Racism & xenophobia, Discrimination, Ethnic profiling	ECRI European Commission against Racism and Intolerance Council of Europe	ECRI once again recommends Lithuania to sign and ratify Protocol No. 12 to the European Convention on Human Rights. - In Lithuania, hatred is often incited in cyberspace through online comments, blogs, social networks and other fora. - Some 90% of reported hate speech cases (see § 17) are occurring in this sphere. - Members of the Roma community met by ECRI's delegation also complained that they are often victims of day-to-day insults by members of the general public, on public transport, in shops or in the streets. - It seems that attacks against members of historical minorities are more frequent than official data suggests. - The scale of the problem is also underestimated because of lack of awareness among police officers of the importance to register homo-/transphobic motivations as such. - According to UNHCR, Lithuania receives the highest number of asylum applications among the Baltic countries. In recent years, the main countries of origin of asylum-seekers were Afghanistan, Ukraine, Georgia and Russia.	The working methods for the preparation of the reports involve documentary analyses, a visit to the country concerned, and then a confidential dialogue with the national authorities.	ECRI's reports are analyses based on a great deal of information gathered from a wide variety of sources.	Not applicable - national level

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