DATABASE 2012-2024 ON ANTI-MUSLIM HATRED

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
Finland	2018	Rauta, J. (2018). Poliisin tietoon tullut viharikollisuus Suomessa 2017 (Suspected hate crimes reported to the police in Finland in 2017). Poliisiammattikorkeakoulun raportteja 131. Tampere, Poliisiammattikorkeakoulu (The Police College of Finland).	http://urn.fi/URN:ISBN:978-951-815-350-7	Hate crime, Hate speech: Public incitement to hatred or violence	Finland, The Police College of Finland, Poliisiammattikorkeakoulu	The report shows that in 2017 the police filed 1,165 reports of suspected hate crime offences, an increase of 8 % compared to the previous year. The most common motives behind the suspected hate crimes were ethnic or national origin (69.8 %) and religious background (20.2 %). Reports of hate crime offences based on religion or belief increased 58 % compared to 2016. Muslims continue to be the most common targets of the suspected hate crimes, in fact the number of cases increased from 68 to 153 reported incidents. The most common location for suspected crimes based on religion or belief was the internet, an increase of 254 % from the previous year.	The statistics are based on crime reports retrieved from the National Police Information System using hate crimes related search terms. All identified reports are read and classified based on the information found in the reports. For example, a case is considered a hate crime, when the victim, the police or witness has expressed a suspision of a hate motive behind the crime.	1,165 suspected hate crimes retrieved from the National Police Information System	Not applicable - national level

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