

Database 2012-2020 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
Malta	2019	SOS Malta (Solidarity Overseas Service), #StopHate”, February 2019.	<a href="http://www.humanrights.malta.org/uploads/1/2/3/3/12339284/stophate_report_3.pdf">http://www.humanrights.malta.org/uploads/1/2/3/3/12339284/stophate_report_3.pdf</a>	Hate speech	Malta, SOS Malta	This report is part of the project #STOPHATE with the aim of tackling the issue of hate speech. The report states that when it comes to the legal aspects of hate speech, it is often seen a lack of responsiveness from key actors. The reasons for this might come from the lack of a clear definition in the law, and the	Qualitative (Conducting research on hate crime and internet hate speech)	N/A	Not applicable - national level

wide scope of the phenomenon of hate speech. The report notes that the problem is all across the European Union and there are a number of challenges that need to be tackled together with other nations. However, in Malta, previous studies show that Xenophobic, Homophobic and Political hate speech are a significant problem that continues to increase. The central objective of this report is to show that legislation against hate

					against hate speech in the EU may be an effective first step towards combating the phenomeno n, but it might not be enough on its own to contain the present situation. This document aims to set the tone for further discussion of the topic by presenting the existing literature. The report also presents recommen dations on improvement s that can be made to tackle the situation.			
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