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
Croatia	2024	Strabac, Z., Valenta, M., Bell, D. A. (2024) Public attitudes towards immigrants: A curious case of Croatia. International Migration, 2024 (00): 1–15.	https://onlinelibrary.wiley.com/doi/full/10.1111/imig.13341	Public perceptions and attitudes	Croatia, International Migration	The study found that, despite Croatia's history of ethnic conflict and ongoing changes in its migration system, the Croatian population still exhibits relatively low levels of negative attitudes towards immigrants compared to other Eastern European countries. With regards to individual determinants of attitudes, one of the biggest surprizes is that political party preferences play a minor role in explaining attitudes towards immigrants.	The study uses a quantitative methodology, drawing on data from the European Social Survey (ESS), Round 10 (2021). It relies on standardized face-to-face questionnaires administered to a nationally representative sample in Croatia. The analysis includes descriptive statistics, regression analysis, and cross-country comparison. Attitudinal variables about immigration were analyzed using responses to core ESS items, allowing for in-depth examination of predictors such as education, ideology, and trust in institutions.	The study uses data from the 10th round of the European Social Survey (ESS), collected in Croatia in 2021, with a final sample size of approximately 1,600 respondents. The sampling followed ESS's standard methodology, ensuring national representativeness. The analyses include both cross-country comparisons using the full ESS multinational dataset and regression analyses on the Croatian sample, weighted with post-stratification weights to ensure representativeness across key demographics such as age, gender, and education.	Not applicable - national level

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