

EEA and Norway Grants

Countering hate speech and hate crime

The EEA and Norway Grants support a range of initiatives to tackle hate speech and hate crime through the NGO programmes. All NGO programmes actively publicise and participate in the **Council of Europe** campaign **NO HATE SPEECH** and took part in the **EU Agency for Fundamental Rights (FRA)** conference on 'Combating Hate Crime in the EU' in Vilnius in November 2013.



NGO programme in Cyprus

Fund for NGOs

Programme operator **PricewaterhouseCoopers**

Grant amount **€1.3 million**

Calls for proposals **1st and 2nd call: July 2013**

As part of the ongoing activities in Cyprus the programme operator:

- Disseminates information about the campaign via affiliated NGOs' **mailing lists**
- **Cooperates with two additional umbrella NGOs** to disseminate information and news on the NO HATE SPEECH campaign
- Supports a **weekly national level radio broadcast for human rights** with an emphasis on hate speech and hate crime
- Includes the No Hate Speech movement's logo on the NGO programme's homepage

Calls for proposals

In the **calls** there is a particular emphasis on supporting projects that focus on hate speech and hate crime.

www.eeagrants.org

www.eeangofund.org.cy



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Activities under the Cypriot NGO programme

11-13 November 2013 **External:** Conference participation 'Combating Hate Crime in the European Union' – Vilnius, Lithuania

14 November 2013 **External:** Follow-up conference 'Hate Speech and the Role of Civil Society' – Vilnius, Lithuania

