

Terms of reference for a project evaluation

Legal exchange and mutual learning between asylum practitioners to promote fundamental rights in the EU

The main aim of the evaluation should be to assess the extent to which this project has delivered the expected outputs and meet its specific objectives and results.

The expected results include:

- 1) More legal practitioners from different backgrounds are on the Charter's rights and principles and on how the Charter affects the implementation of the current asylum acquis;
- 2) Better collaboration and support amongst legal professionals (through trainings, on-line forums, meetings, etc.);
- 3) More awareness of important national legal and European judgments (EDAL);
- 4) Understanding of European judgments and legal standards in light of the Charter (Study, blogs, policy notes, publications, interventions etc.).

In order to carry out the above, the evaluator should look at:

- The material produced during the project;
- The results from the national trainings;
- Whether there is better collaboration and support between practitioners as a result of the project,
- Whether the results from the project are sustainable;
- Whether the project had a desired impact;
- Whether the project responded to the current realities.

The evaluator should look at both qualitative and quantitative indicators. The evaluator should interview relevant persons associated with the project including project staff and partners. The evaluator should also interview or do a sample survey of relevant individuals who participated in the different events that took place under this project including certain coordinators of the ELENA Network (contacts will be provided).

Evaluator working time: 10 days

This should include background reading and methodology, preparation of questionnaires, interviews with project staff, partners, and stakeholders and finally writing up the report.

Time frame for the project: 17 March – 17 April

To Apply

Interested applicants should submit their application by Thursday 9 February to Caoimhe Sheridan at csheridan@ecre.org. Their application should include a letter of motivation outlining their relevant experience and a copy of their CV. They should also submit a budget outlining their costs for carrying out the evaluation. The maximum amount that can be awarded is 5,000EUR.