

Gender equality in focus

Who holds the power in the EU?



Women's representation on the boards of large companies has more than doubled since 2010 and yet they still represent only a quarter of board members. Women continue to be under-represented in decision-making positions at all levels, even in the sectors and occupations where they outnumber men. To learn more about it, watch our [video](#).

Latest news

Find gender equality definitions in your language



Our [Glossary and Thesaurus](#) is expanding with three new languages. You can now look for definitions in French, German and Latvian. You will soon be able to search for terms in Bulgarian, Croatian, Estonian, Finnish, Lithuanian, Portuguese, Romanian and Spanish. By the end of 2020, our glossary will be available in all EU languages. Stay tuned!

New publications

Gender stereotypes in education remain a challenge



Girls and boys are unevenly concentrated in different study fields across the EU. Information and communication technology (ICT) studies are not a very popular choice among women who make up just 17% of graduates. When it comes to education studies, the lack of men is striking as they account for only 19 % of graduates. The reasons mainly come down to gender stereotypes that influence subject choices for girls and boys. Find out more about it [here](#).

Meet our Experts' Forum members



Andri Savva is our Experts' Forum member from Cyprus. She works at the Office of the Commissioner of Gender Equality and before that she worked as a Labour Officer and Gender Equality Inspector at the Ministry of Labour and Social Insurance. Andri had an active role in co-organising the launch event in Cyprus to promote EIGE's new study on female genital mutilation in the EU. Find out more about her and other members of the

Good to know



Did you know that in 2018, women make up 20% of the decision-making bodies in central banks in the EU? EIGE has new data on women and men in decision-making, and for the first time, Albania, Bosnia and Herzegovina and Kosovo* are covered. Find out more on EIGE's [Gender Statistics Database](#).

Upcoming events



29 August – 2 September

[AGORA young feminist summer camp](#)

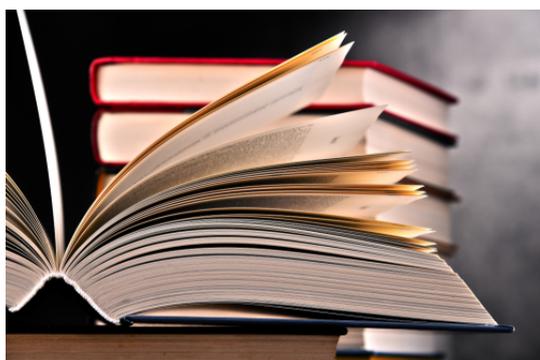
Brussels

26 – 28 September

[Training on Gender and Media](#)

European University Institute, Florence

Let's talk gender!



July definition: Gender balanced participation

This term refers to having at least 40% of either women or men in any decision-making body, in public and political life. Find the whole definition and more in our [Glossary and Thesaurus](#).

Jobs at EIGE

EIGE's External Experts



Are you an expert in gender equality or communications? Do you want to share your knowledge with us? You could be EIGE's next external expert! We are taking expressions of interest in the areas of research, gender-based violence, gender mainstreaming and communications. [More details](#).

Seconded national expert - research and statistics



If you have in-depth knowledge about gender equality, research and data collection and are interested in spending some time away from your current job to broaden your skills, we would welcome you to Vilnius. This position is open to people working in the public sector. Submit your application before 20 July 2018, 13:30 EET. [More details](#)

Communications and media officer



Do you have excellent writing skills and are able to transform complex texts into easy-to-understand messages? If you are also a good public speaker and know how to work with the media, do not miss the opportunity. Make sure to submit your application before 20 July 2018, 13:00 EET. [More details](#)

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