



Enhancing the capacity of civil
society organisations to support
victims of anti-LGBTQI hate crimes

FINAL CONFERENCE

November 13th, 2025 — Girona (Spain), Auditori Josep Irla

How to improve the support system for survivors of anti-LGBTIQ+ hate crimes

Simultaneous interpretation will be provided during the event.

9.00 – 9.30 Institutional reception

Mr. Julio del Valle de Iscar, Director General for the Real and Effective Equality of LGTBI+ People (Ministry of Equality)

Mr. Alberto Lacasta Huelin, General director of LGBTI+ Public Policies
Generalitat de Catalunya

Dr. Joaquim Salvi Mas, Rector of the *Universitat de Girona*

Moderation: Dra. Pilar Albertín, *Universitat de Girona*

9.30 – 10.15 Overview and main results of the ENACT project

Dr. Giacomo Viggiani, Rete Lenford – Project coordinator

Dr. Jose Antonio Langarita, *Universitat de Girona* – Scientific Leader

10.15 – 11.15 Professionals' experiences working on hate crimes

Saul Castro Fernández, Lawyer specialising in hate crimes.

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11.15 – 11.45 Coffee-Break

11.45 – 13.00 Understanding Anti-LGBTIQ+ Hate Crime as Group-based Oppression

Mark Walters, Expert in hate crime, independent scholar.

13.00 – 14.00 Lunchtime

14.00 – 15.30 How to improve the support system for survivors of anti-LGBTIQ+ hate crime

- *Supporting Victims, Training Professionals: Addressing Anti-LGBTIQ+ Hate Crimes* – **Piergiorgio Masi**, Rete Lenford.
- *The impact of anti-LGBTIQ+ legislation and narratives* – **Kata Egyed**, Háttér Society.
- *Experiences of victims of anti-LGBTIQ violence: vulnerability, institutionality, and social realities* – **Núria Sadurní-Balcells**, *Universitat de Girona*.
- *Experiences of professionals working in hate crimes* – **Maja Ladič**, Peace Institute.

Moderation: LGL

15.30 – 16.00 Closing session

- **Dr. Giacomo Viggiani**, Rete Lenford – Project coordinator
- **Dr. Jose Antonio Langarita**, *Universitat de Girona* – Scientific Leader



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