



# LIAISE 2

## local institutions against extremism II

Duration: 24 months

Start of the project: January 2016

End of the project: January 2018

### Overall budget:

Total costs: € 687.311,85

Expected funding: € 618.580,67  
(equal to 90%)

### Budget for the City of Bologna:

Total costs: € 11.840

Expected funding: €9.840

### Funding programme:

ISF Police

### **Coordinator:**

EFUS (FR) – European Forum for Urban Security

### **Partners:**

Alexandroupolis (GR); Augsburg (DE); Bologna (IT); Bagneux (FR); Bordeaux (FR); Bruxelles (BE); Düsseldorf (DE); Essen (DE); Governo Autonomo della Catalogna (E); L'Hospitalet de Llobregat (E); Liegi (BE); Malmö (SE); Parigi (FR); Reggio Emilia (IT); Sarcelles (FR), Setubal (PT), Tolosa (FR) Belgian Forum for Prevention and Urban Security (BFPUS); French Forum for Urban Security (FFUS); Italian Forum for Urban Security (FISU); German and European Forum for Urban Security (DEFUS); Confederation of European Probation (CEP); Ufuq (DE)

### **Associated Partners :**

Bavaria- Ministry of Labour (DE); Brno (CZ); Rotterdam (NL); Organizzazione Cultures Interactive (DE); Montreuil (FR)

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## BACKGROUND

Local authorities are on the front line when it comes to the prevention of radicalization leading to terrorism and violent extremism. For that reason EFUS, with its network of 250 local and regional authorities, promoted a first project, co-financed by European Union, LIAISE “local institution against extremism” in order to strengthen the capacity of local authorities to prevent and deal with the violent extremism through an European exchange of experiences, a specific training, the development of guidelines. LIAISE2 would be the logical continuation of the LIAISE initiative: it would work with the tools developed and take them to a significantly larger number of cities.

## OBJECTIVES

The project aims to prevent radicalisation and violent extremism in the European cities strengthening the key role of local authorities, main actors in the prevention. Thanks to the creation of a European exchange network of experiences and good practices and to specific training activities for local operators, LIAISE2 provides the Local Police and the other operators involved the competences to prevent the problem of radicalisation, through a multidisciplinary approach.

## ACTIVITIES

- Creation of a European network of local authorities to prevent violent radicalisation
- 5 thematic European seminars in five European countries (Bordeaux, FR, Brussels, BE, Den Haag, NL, Bologna, IT, Paris, FR)
- Training sessions, based on the modules developed for LIAISE, for local authorities in different countries
- Publication of the good practices/experiences shared during the project
- Elaboration of final policy recommendations for local authorities, Member States and EU institutions

In Bologna there will be a training course aiming at providing the Local Police, in its role of “Community Police”, the instruments to recognize and interpret the radicalization signs, in order to allow transmission of relevant reports to Police forces.

### **For Information on the project:**

<https://efus.eu/en/topics/risks-forms-of-crime/radicalisation/efus/10863/>



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