



Dear fellow alumni,

The last few months, the #metoo wave has hit NGOs (like Save the Children or OXFAM) and UN agencies. Sexual harassment and abuse in the human rights sector is unfortunately a reality, an issue we touched upon during the Career day with the current students of the master in January. This is a chance for our sector to finally really apply a human-rights based approach to the organisational culture. Only better policy and processes for equal pay, reporting abuse and harassment and ending male privilege will change women's reality. A rights-based approach would also mean treating all staff well and ending unpaid internships in organisations that can afford to pay them.

In a time when human rights organisations and programmes are under attack, we need as much information as possible from you to show the impact that we are having. I appeal to you to support us and EIUC by filling the survey we sent you last week and shared just below. Your answers will help to show the impact of the master on your professional careers and the richness of this network.

Finally, get in touch with us to share news about your projects, articles you wrote, the alumni gatherings you are organising. We want to hear from you.

Véronique on behalf of the board of the E.MAlumni Association
President of the E.MAlumni Association

SURVEY

We have launched a survey to better understand the impact that European Master's Programme in Human Rights and Democratisation (EMA) had on your professional life. Your opinion is very important to us.
[Here is the link to participate in the survey.](#) It will take you approximately 10 minutes to complete it and you have **until the 18th of March (Sunday)** to express your opinion.

EVENTS

HUMAN RIGHTS SUMMER SCHOOLS



Time to polish your human rights blade? Obtain new skills? Sign up for one of the three Global Campus Summer Schools [here](#).

- [Venice School of Human Rights: 9-18 June 2018](#)

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- [Venice Academy of Human Rights](#): 2 - 7 July 2018
 - [Cinema Human Rights and Advocacy](#): 27 August - 5 September 2018

NEWS FROM ALUMNI

Melina Pele, 2007 alumna, has been instrumental in establishing the NGO [Yalla Pour les Enfants](#). The NGO works for the right to education for Syrian refugee children in Lebanon. If you want to know more and show support visit them [here](#).

Moana Genevey, 2015 alumna, has published a piece in [Open Democracy](#) on the four mio. strong Woman's March in response to populism and for solidarity.

Sinead Duffy, 1999 alumna, has shifted from a career within human rights (Amnesty, Concern, Goal) to a career within wellness with her global company, [Yogandha](#).

Eliana Martins, 2015 alumna, has started the blog [Humane Reflections](#) to demystify human rights subjects and promote human rights defenders. Go read it!

Andrew Kelly, 1998 alumna, is a human rights lawyer turned painter. How does that reflect in his paintings? Judge yourself [here](#)

In this [article](#) *Diego Naranjo*, 2011 alumnus, talks about European Digital Rights (EDRi) an association that defends rights and freedoms in the digital environment.

Gauri van Gulik, 2005 alumna, is the new Europe Director for Amnesty International. Congratulations!

Did you publish an article, book, photo

Purpose: to provide you the best international, multicultural and qualified classes in the fields of Human Rights and Democratisation. Discount of 15% for GCA (EMA) or early bird discount. Learn more and sign up [here](#).

GLOBAL CAMPUS CLASSROOM

In Yerevan, Armenia, 22- 29 April, the Global Campus Classroom, Caucasus, will take place with diaspora as a theme. Carla Miranda, E.MAlumni Association Secretary General will represent the Association. If you are interested contact her via carla@globalcampusalumni.org and see general info [here](#).

Massive Open Online Courses - MOOC

Open call for the Global Campus of Human Rights & EIUC course on Memory Sites and Human Rights. Watch the introductory video [here](#) and sign up [here](#). Discount of 15% for GCA (EMA).

CAREER DAY

On 26 January, the Career Day took place in the Monastery on the Lido. Six E.MAlumni facilitators ensured an interactive and fruitful discussion with the Masterini. For the first time, two new sessions were introduced: on stress management in human rights work and a roundtable discussions on human rights work in practice. These initiatives were very much welcomed by the Masterini.



with fellow alumni.



LISBON

The Lisbon GCA hub met in end February and discussed the consequences of the #metoo campaign in Portugal. The focus was on sexual violence and harassment against women in Portugal and the inadequate response.

The next [discussion](#) organized by the alumni will be on March 20 on the right to clean air in Portugal.



Photo: Refugees in FYROM, from GC Visual contest 2017 by Adam Jacobi Møller

VISUAL CONTEST 2018

We are glad to inform you that the [Global Campus Visual Contest 2018](#) has been launched. The theme of this year's contest is



PRAGUE

In Prague, alumni met in December in a friendly setting and discussed a variety of issues related to the city and human rights.

HUMAN RIGHTS TOOLS

If you are an active member of the E.MAlumni Association you have free access to [Hein Online](#) with 150 million pages and 200,000 titles of legal history and government documents.

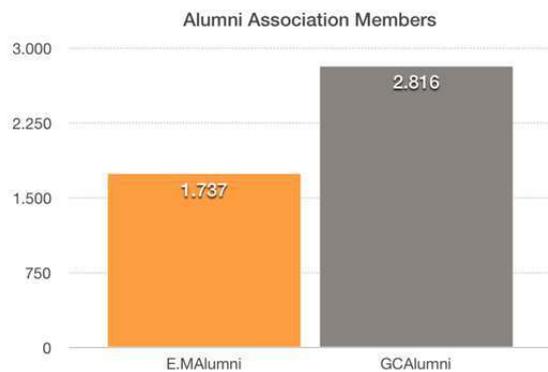
Ever wondered what happened to that thesis you wrote? You can make it public available at the Global [Campus Open Knowledge Repository](#). It is a digital service that collects, preserves, and distributes all digital materials resulting from the rich and varied production of the Global Campus of Human Rights.

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diversity and inclusion. The registration period of the contest will be from **1st of March until the 4th May 2018.**

GCA AMBASSADOR?

Are you based in any of these countries? Do you want to meet other Alumni? Then become a GCA Hub Ambassador. Contact [Jennifer](#). Denmark, Finland (Abo and Helsinki), Germany (Bochum and Hamburg), Greece (Athens and Thessaloniki), UK (Belfast), Italy (Padova and Venice), Netherlands (Maastricht and Utrecht), Romania (Bucharest), Spain (Seville), Slovenia (Ljubljana), Sweden (Upsala).



ACTIVE MEMBERSHIP

The graph above illustrates the growing global membership of the human rights networks of GCA and the E.MAlumni Association on 6 March 2018.

Are you an 'active' member of the E.MAlumni Association? If not, sign up [here](#).

JOB BOARD

Please help other alumni by posting jobs [here](#). You will not only help the wider alumni community, but you also ensure that qualified human rights activists will be better supported to get a job within the human rights world. We also have an [internship board](#) and a board for [education opportunities](#).



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