

Model Table assisting responses by Member States

Section 1: Table

Current List of Journalists Killed (as condemned by the UNESCO Director-General) and Legal Investigations (as reported by UNESCO Member States)

Date: To be sent to UNESCO **before 30 May 2021**

Section 2: Positive or Innovative Measures the Ukraine is taking to promote safety of journalists and combat impunity

Activity	Actors	Outcome(s)
<p>On 28 May 2019 a practical training “Effective interaction between law enforcement officers and journalists during peaceful assemblies” was held.</p>	<p>Government officials, security and police forces, civil society and media actors</p>	<p>Experts shared the best practices of effective communication between law enforcement and journalists during peaceful assemblies and mass events, tools for identifying and ensuring the safety of journalists, features of interaction between law enforcement and journalists during the election period.</p>
<p>On 26 June 2018 a training seminar "Protection of professional activity of journalists and freedom of speech in Ukraine: combating impunity" was held in Dnipro. The event was part of the Council of Europe project "Strengthening media freedom and creating a system of public broadcasting in Ukraine."</p>	<p>Government officials, security and police forces, civil society and media actors</p>	<p>A mechanism for responding to the information presented on the Council of Europe Platform for the Protection of Journalism and the Safety of Journalists was presented.</p>

<p>On 13-15 February 2018 a training for law enforcement officers to raise awareness about freedom of speech and security of journalists was held.</p>	<p>Government officials, security and police forces, civil society and media actors</p>	<p>Established ways of cooperation between law enforcement agencies and the media</p>
<p>On September 17, 2020, Ministry of Culture and Information Policy of Ukraine organized an online discussion «Security of Journalists in Ukraine: Existing Challenges and Ways to Overcome Them»</p>	<p>Government officials, security and police forces, civil society and media actors</p>	<p>The topic of the event was the state of investigations into the killings and attacks on journalists, ways to provide the Secretariat of the CoE Platform with up-to-date information and to improve the quality of Ukraine's position.</p>
<p>On November 5, 2020, an interdepartmental working meeting was held.</p>	<p>Government officials, security and police forces, civil society.</p>	<p>The purpose of the meeting is to find ways to minimize the number of "unresolved" messages to provide the Secretariat of the Platform with updated information, as well as to improve the quality of publication of Ukraine's position on messages on the Platform's website to improve Ukraine's image in the international arena.</p>

Section 3: Steps the Member State has taken to consider the specific risks faced by women journalists in the exercise of their work

On 25 April 2019, the Ministry of Information Policy of Ukraine together with the National Police of Ukraine, the Council of Europe Office in Ukraine, the Institute of Mass Information and Google Ukraine held a workshop “Online Security for Female Journalists. Preventing Cyberbullying on the Internet.”

The workshop was designed in a way so that female journalists would learn applied instruments for personal online safety, what to do in the case of cybercrimes, and how to consult with a psychologist and lawyer to respond correctly to cyberbullying relative to their professional activity.

During February-March 2019, a number of workshops on European standards of journalism and gender balance in public communications were held. The workshops were organised by the Ministry of Information Policy of Ukraine together with the

Government Commissioner for Gender Policy, the Sub-Committee on Gender Equality and Non-Discrimination of the Verkhovna Rada Committee on Human Rights, National Minorities and Interethnic Relations, and Women's Rights Protection League «Harmony of Equal» an NGO.

The workshops discussed cases of discrimination and sexism in Ukrainian media and advertising; the gender equality legal framework; and European mechanisms of countering discrimination in the media.

Section 4: Agreement to post the submitted information on UNESCO's dedicated webpage

The Ministry of Culture and Information Policy of Ukraine agrees to submitted information being posted on website UNESCO.