CIVICA
THE EUROPEAN UNIVERSITY OF SOCIAL SCIENCES

NATIONAL UNIVERSITY OF POLITICAL STUDIES AND PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION

Survey for the project When the Law is Silent: Hate Crime Prosecution and Implicit Bias in Law Enforcement Agencies: A Romanian survey dataset

I. General perceptions on antisemitism

A1. To what extent do you agree with the fact that antisemitism and incitement to hatred are a problem in Romania?
1. To a very great extent
2. To a great extent
3. To a moderate extent
4. To a slight extent
5. To a very slight extent

A2. Events that involve elements of discrimination and incitement to hatred (e.g., antisemitism) went up in Romania in the last 5 years.
1. Strongly agree
2. Agree
3. Undecided
4. Disagree
5. Strongly disagree

A3. On a scale from 1 to 5 (1 is the lowest, 5 the highest), to what extent you find the following to represent a problem in Romania?	
A3_1. Graffiti with elements of antisemitism or vandalism on Jewish buildings or institutions	1 2 3 4 5
A3_2. Physical attacks on Jews	1 2 3 4 5
A3_3. Hostile acts/ threats towards Jews on the streets or in public places	1 2 3 4 5
A3.4. Promoting antisemitism on media channels	1 2 3 4 5
A3_5. Promotion of antisemitism by political parties	1 2 3 4 5
A3_6. Promotion of antisemitism on the internet, especially on social media	1 2 3 4 5
A3_7. Promotion of antisemitism in schools and universities	1 2 3 4 5
A3_8. People who deny the genocide against Jews, the Holocaust	1 2 3 4 5
A3_9. Desecration of Jewish graves	1 2 3 4 5

A4. To what extent do you agree with the fact that in Romania citizens are properly informed or have knowledge about the history, customs and practices of the Jewish people?
1. To a very great extent
2. To a great extent
3. To a moderate extent
4. To a slight extent

5. To a very slight extent

A5. To what extent do you think that events in the Middle East influence how Jews are perceived by people in Romania?
1. To a very great extent
2. To a great extent
3. To a moderate extent
4. To a slight extent
5. To a very slight extent

II. Knowledge about the legislation

B1. On a scale from 1 to 5 (1 is the lowest, 5 the highest), to what extent you consider that articles in Emergency Ordinance nr 31/ March 13, 2002, and the Penal Code punish the following types of behavior:					
B1_1. incriminating to violence or hatred against the Jewish people	1	2	3	4	5
B1_2. incriminating Holocaust denial	1	2	3	4	5
B1_3. promotion of antisemitism online, especially on social media	1	2	3	4	5
B1_4. promoting antisemitism on media channels	1	2	3	4	5

B2. To what extent do you think that the legislation in Romania protects the rights and freedoms of minorities?
1. To a very great extent
2. To a great extent
3. To a moderate extent
4. To a slight extent
5. To a very slight extent

B3. How efficient do you find the application of the law in ensuring the security of the Jews?
1. Very efficient
2. Efficient
3. Neither efficient nor inefficient
4. Inefficient
5. Very inefficient

B4. To what extent do you believe that the amount of time necessary to solve legal cases that involve discrimination and incitement to hatred (e.g., antisemitism) is longer compared to other legal cases?
1. To a very great extent
2. To a great extent
3. To a moderate extent
4. To a slight extent
5. To a very slight extent

B5. To what extent do you believe that the rate of success in solving legal cases that involve discrimination and incitement to hatred (e.g., antisemitism), by administering a sentence, is smaller compared to other legal cases?
1. To a very great extent

2. To a great extent
3. To a moderate extent
4. To a slight extent
5. To a very slight extent

III. Awareness with regard to implicit bias

C1. To what extent do you believe that implicit bias can affect the objective solving of the legal cases?
1. To a very great extent
2. To a great extent
3. To a moderate extent
4. To a slight extent
5. To a very slight extent

C2. Please indicate to what extent do you agree with the following:					
C2_1. I feel comfortable to discuss with a colleague or friend about racism	1	2	3	4	5
C2_2. I feel comfortable to discuss with a colleague or friend about prejudice	1	2	3	4	5
C2_3. I think that all my colleagues deal with the legal cases at hand in an objective manner, irrespective of the socio-demographic characteristics of those involved	1	2	3	4	5
C2_4. Implicit biases represent a problem in the Romanian justice system	1	2	3	4	5
C2_5. People working in the justice system should do more to address racism	1	2	3	4	5
C2_6. People working in the justice system should do more to address implicit bias	1	2	3	4	5

C3. To what extent do you believe that psychological training within your professional branch could help raise awareness about implicit bias?
1. To a very great extent
2. To a great extent
3. To a moderate extent
4. To a slight extent
5. To a very slight extent

C4. Did you solve any case related to discrimination and incitement to hatred in the last 5 years? (e.g., antisemitism)
1. Yes
2. No

C5. If YES, to what extent do you consider that in the process of solving this type of crime different prejudice can manifest themselves?
1. To a very great extent
2. To a great extent
3. To a moderate extent

4. To a slight extent
5. To a very slight extent

IV. Detecting antisemitic prejudice

D1. To what extent do you agree with the following statement: Even now, the crucification of Jesus Christ is an unforgivable sin of the Jews.
1. Strongly agree
2. Agree
3. Undecided
4. Disagree
5. Strongly disagree

D2. To what extent do you agree with the following statement: The Jews suffering was a punishment from God
1. Strongly agree
2. Agree
3. Undecided
4. Disagree
5. Strongly disagree

D3. We can agree with the fact that there is a secret Jewish network that influences political and economic affairs in the world.
1. Strongly agree
2. Agree
3. Undecided
4. Disagree
5. Strongly disagree

D4. Jews are more inclined than most to use shady practices to achieve their goals
1. Strongly agree
2. Agree
3. Undecided
4. Disagree
5. Strongly disagree

D5. Jews have too much influence in Romania:
1. Strongly agree
2. Agree
3. Undecided
4. Disagree
5. Strongly disagree

D6. Jews will never be able to fully integrate into this society:
1. Strongly agree
2. Agree
3. Undecided
4. Disagree
5. Strongly disagree

D7. The interests of Jews in this country are very different from the interests of the rest of the population:
1. Strongly agree
2. Agree
3. Undecided
4. Disagree
5. Strongly disagree

D8. It would be best if Jews left this country.
1. Strongly agree
2. Agree
3. Undecided
4. Disagree
5. Strongly disagree

D9. It would be reasonable to limit the number of Jews in certain occupations:
1. Strongly agree
2. Agree
3. Undecided
4. Disagree
5. Strongly disagree

D10. It's always better to be a little cautious with Jews:
1. Strongly agree
2. Agree
3. Undecided
4. Disagree
5. Strongly disagree

V. Holocaust denial and relativization (secondary antisemitism)

E1. The number of Jewish victims of the Holocaust was much lower than is usually claimed
1. Strongly agree
2. Agree
3. Undecided
4. Disagree
5. Strongly disagree

E2. Jews are also to blame for the persecutions against them:
1. Strongly agree
2. Agree
3. Undecided
4. Disagree
5. Strongly disagree

E3. Many of the atrocities of the Holocaust were often exaggerated by the Jews later:
1. Strongly agree
2. Agree
3. Undecided
4. Disagree
5. Strongly disagree

E4. Jews exploit Holocaust victimhood for their own purposes:
1. Strongly agree
2. Agree
3. Undecided
4. Disagree
5. Strongly disagree

E5. Jews still talk too much about the Holocaust:
1. Strongly agree
2. Agree
3. Undecided
4. Disagree
5. Strongly disagree

E6. We must keep the memory of the persecution of the Jews alive:
1. Strongly agree
2. Agree
3. Undecided
4. Disagree
5. Strongly disagree

E7. After so many decades have passed since the persecution of the Jews, the Holocaust should be taken off the public agenda:
1. Strongly agree
2. Agree
3. Undecided
4. Disagree

5. Strongly disagree

VI. Antisemitic hostility against Israel (latent antisemitism)

F1. Because of Israel's politics, I dislike Jews more and more.
1. Strongly agree
2. Agree
3. Undecided
4. Disagree
5. Strongly disagree

F2. When I think of Israel's politics, I understand why some people hate Jews:
1. Strongly agree
2. Agree
3. Undecided
4. Disagree
5. Strongly disagree

F3. Israeli behave like Nazis towards the Palestinians:
1. Strongly agree
2. Agree
3. Undecided
4. Disagree
5. Strongly disagree

Present Hypothetical scenario box

End of the survey. Thank you!