



European Parliament Intergroup on

FoRB & RT

Freedom of Religion or Belief and Religious Tolerance

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Call for Expression of Interest Freedom of Religion or Belief & Religious Tolerance Intergroup (FoRB&RT)¹ Annual Report Research 2017/2018

Notice of call for expressions of interest for Institutions/consortiums listed in the field of freedom of religion or belief

OBJECTIVE:

The purpose of this *Expression of Interest* is to allow the European Parliament FoRB&RT Intergroup to compile a list of institutions/consortiums who would be able to prepare the groundwork for the 2017 Annual Report, to be published in 2018. The basis for this groundwork includes activities such as surveying and analysing material on FoRB violations in the world as well as determining a clear, nuanced methodology to identify "focal countries of concern". After examination of the applications received, the Intergroup will review the proposals and shortlist three Institutions/Consortiums.

INFORMATION AND DOCUMENTS TO BE PROVIDED

Interested Institutions/Consortiums should provide a double page submission that highlights the following:

- Name and short introduction of the Academic Institution/Consortium (including specific FoRB&RT experience, previous publications and suggested analytical approach)
- Number of Researchers that will be allocated to the team (if possible be explicit about any relevant experience)
- Draft timeline from start of research to research completion

DETAILS OF SUBMISSION:

The European Parliament FoRB&RT Intergroup will be the contracting authority for the Expression of Interest. Expressions of interest should be submitted in English by electronic means to the following address: dennis.dejong@europarl.europa.eu with danielle@ai-consulting.eu in copy. Inclusion on the list entails no obligation on the part of the contracting authority concerning the conclusion of contracts.

DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSION: (15/07/17)

The list of potential candidates is valid for this political period from the date of dispatch of the Call for Expression of Interest

¹ <http://www.religiousfreedom.eu/>