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IN THIS ISSUE

Dear readers,

Welcome to the 3rd release of the INDEED newsletter! This time there are many things to keep an eye on. Below a short summary of what we have in storage for you in this issue:

Take a look to our participation in international conferences, explore the digital repository of risk and protective factors, read the public deliverables on the project's outcomes... it's not over: discover the new sections in our website (find out below how to get featured!), see what we suggest for further readings and more!

WHAT'S NEW

INDEED developed a digital repository of risk and protective factors

DIGITAL REPOSITORY OF STUDIES ON RISK AND PROTECTIVE FACTORS

In its first year, INDEED developed a digital **repository of studies on risk and protective factors** which can be accessed [here](#). The repository, which is the first of its kind, provides an overview of the research literature on factors which may facilitate (risk factors) or prevent (protective factors) processes of radicalization. The repository includes a total number of 162 primary studies, and will be updated regularly. It offers multiple search filters which enable users efficiently navigate the database, and to view research findings for specific (categories of) risk and protective factors, as well as for individual countries, populations, ideological strains and radicalisation outcomes.

READ THE NEWS

7-8 September 2022, UK

14th Annual Society for Terrorism Research International Conference

On 7-8 September 2022, Arif Sahar, a researcher from CENTRIC working for the INDEED project, attended the [14th Annual Society for Terrorism Research Conference](#) at [Coventry University](#), UK. The conference's focus was on **'The Future of Terrorism and Terrorism Research'** and was organised by the [Society for Terrorism Research](#) (STR). The conference provided an excellent opportunity for engagement and developmental perspectives regarding terrorism and the potential trajectory that terrorism research might take in the future, responding to the shifting terrorism nature and context. The conference attracted over 120 people with speakers from the United States, Australia, Kenya, SE Asia, and throughout Europe, who covered a broad range of issues across 20 panel sessions. The conference offered an opportunity to have meaningful conversations with fellow terrorism researchers and find future collaborators.



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19-21 September 2022, Gothenburg

Nordic Conference on Violent Extremism

On 19-21 September 2022, several members of the INDEED consortium (UoH, PPHS, PATRIR, IPS and VUB) attended the [Nordic Conference on Violent Extremism](#). This conference is the most important meeting place for researchers, practitioners and policymakers in the Nordic countries and it is increasingly attracting participants also from other parts of Europe and beyond. During the conference, Leena Malkki (University of Helsinki), presented an analysis of why there have not been more evaluations of P/CVE and deradicalisation initiatives even though the need for improving evaluation practices has been widely acknowledged. The presentation drew from INDEED's results and was prepared by the University of Helsinki and Vrije Universiteit Brussel teams. It will later be shared as a paper.



ABOUT TO HAPPEN

Radicalisation Awareness Network



10-11 November 2022, Berlin

RAN REHAB – Evaluation of tertiary prevention

On 10-11 November 2022, INDEED is invited to take part in the **RAN REHABILITATION Working Group workshop on “Evaluation of tertiary prevention”** in Berlin. During the meeting the INDEED Project will be presented, as well as the current state of work on Evidence-Based Evaluation Model, the new digital repository of risk and protective factors and the SMART Hubs.

FIND OUT MORE

15-16 November 2022, Helsinki

RAN LOCAL – Pulse taking: What are local effects of recent developments in P/CVE?

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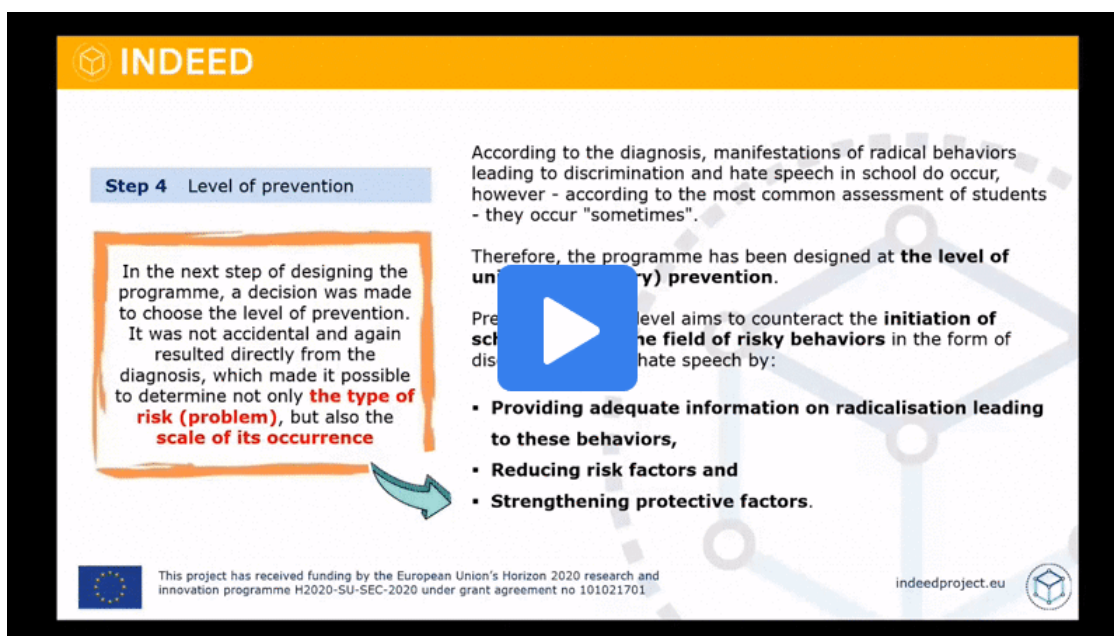


On 15-16 November 2022, INDEED is invited to take part in the **RAN LOCAL – Pulse taking: What are local effects of recent developments in P/CVE?** in Helsinki. During the meeting the University of Helsinki will introduce the objectives and activities of the INDEED project.

FIND OUT MORE

IN CASE YOU MISSED IT

Watch now the video of the **INDEED's Project Hands-on webinar on formulating standardised assumptions of preventive programme.**



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Step 4 Level of prevention

In the next step of designing the programme, a decision was made to choose the level of prevention. It was not accidental and again resulted directly from the diagnosis, which made it possible to determine not only **the type of risk (problem)**, but also the **scale of its occurrence**.

According to the diagnosis, manifestations of radical behaviors leading to discrimination and hate speech in school do occur, however - according to the most common assessment of students - they occur "sometimes".

Therefore, the programme has been designed at the **level of university prevention**.

Prevention level aims to counteract the **initiation of school field of risky behaviors** in the form of discrimination and hate speech by:

- Providing adequate information on radicalisation leading to these behaviors,
- Reducing risk factors and
- Strengthening protective factors.

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The webinar, that took place on 25th July 2022, was a follow-up to the 1st webinar on **Designing of Evidence-Based**, that took place on the 4th of July. This part described in details the design of standardized elements of a long-term comprehensive prevention programme using material derived from a detailed diagnosis of the specific risk occurring in the local environment.

[Click here to watch past workshops and webinars!](#)

PUBLIC DELIVERABLES

INDEED publishes the report “Towards and evidence-based approach to evaluation in P/CVE and De-radicalisation”

In September 2021, INDEED published the **“Report outlining identified, analysed and recommended research approaches, methods and tools for evidence-based evaluation coming from the area of PVE/CVE and De-radicalisation and other selected disciplines”** which can be accessed [here](#). The report carries out three key tasks. First, it provides a multi-disciplinary review of the literature surrounding the term “evidence-based practice” (EBP). This review seeks to generate a better understanding of the EBP’s usage as well as challenges for its practical application in different disciplines. Second, the report undertakes a multi-disciplinary review of evaluation designs. This review outlines the key strengths and weaknesses of different evaluation designs, and analyses their usage in the field of P/CVE and De-radicalisation. Finally, the report introduces the term “evidence-based evaluation” (EBE).

Find out more about the public deliverables in the **results** section of our website, where you can discover INDEED outcomes by reading all materials developed during the project life span.

READ THE PUBLIC DELIVERABLES

IT'S WORTH A LOOK



Authors: Wim Hardy, Noël Klima, Lieven Pauwels (Eds.)

“Evaluation and mentoring of the multi-agency approach to violent radicalisation”

We suggest you this book that provides indicators of good **multi-agency working practices** and concrete **recommendations** for practitioners and policy-makers.

Order the book

In this inspiring talk Robert Örell, one of the INDEED project partner from TRANSFORM, shares his experience in **helping people to get out of violent extremism groups** and **start a new life**.



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