VIOLENCE AGAINST WOMEN
IN THE CONTEXT OF INTERNATIONAL PROTECTION

WHAT ARE THE EUAA EXPERT PANELS?

The EUAA Expert Panels are aimed at members of courts and tribunals who wish to deepen their expert knowledge in specific areas of the CEAS covered by the EUAA judicial publications. The panels facilitate the exchange of views, interpretations, best practices on challenging topics and recent developments in the case law of the CJEU and ECtHR or recent national case law.

WHAT IS THE FORMAT?

- Webinar lasting 2 hours.
- Participants ask their questions to the panel beforehand, upon registration.
- Background note with applicable legal framework and indicative list of relevant case law available upon registration.

WHO CAN JOIN?

Members of courts and tribunals from EU Member States and Associated Countries

WHEN?

10 April 2024 (10:00 – 12:00 CET)

WHAT IS THIS SESSION ABOUT?

- Defining and identifying violence against women in the context of international protection
- Are women victims of violence all refugees? Issues of qualification
- Women as a particular social group – looking at Country-of-Origin Information and ECtHR case law
- Unable or unwilling to protect?

RELEVANT MATERIAL

- EUAA (2023), Judicial Analysis on Qualification for international Protection - second edition
- EUAA (2020), Judicial analysis on Vulnerability
- EUAA (2020), Guidance on membership of a particular social group
- EUAA (2024), COI Query - Democratic Republic of the Congo: Forced marriage, including the Kintwidi practice; prevalence; legislation; possibility to refuse such a marriage; state protection; and support services; Sexual and gender-based violence against women (January 2022 - 6 February 2024)
- EUAA (2024), COI Query – Cameroon: Women victims of rape: legal framework and treatment by society; (2023): Sexual and gender-based violence (SGBV) against women, including prevalence, legislation, availability of state protection, access to support services, in particular in Yaoundé
In order to apply, interested candidates should demonstrate that they are a serving member of a court or tribunal and/or a current judicial trainer, working in the field of international protection. Candidates are required to register by Monday 1st April COB and submit their question(s) to the panel of experts upon registration.