

# 22<sup>nd</sup> STATE OF THE NETWORK

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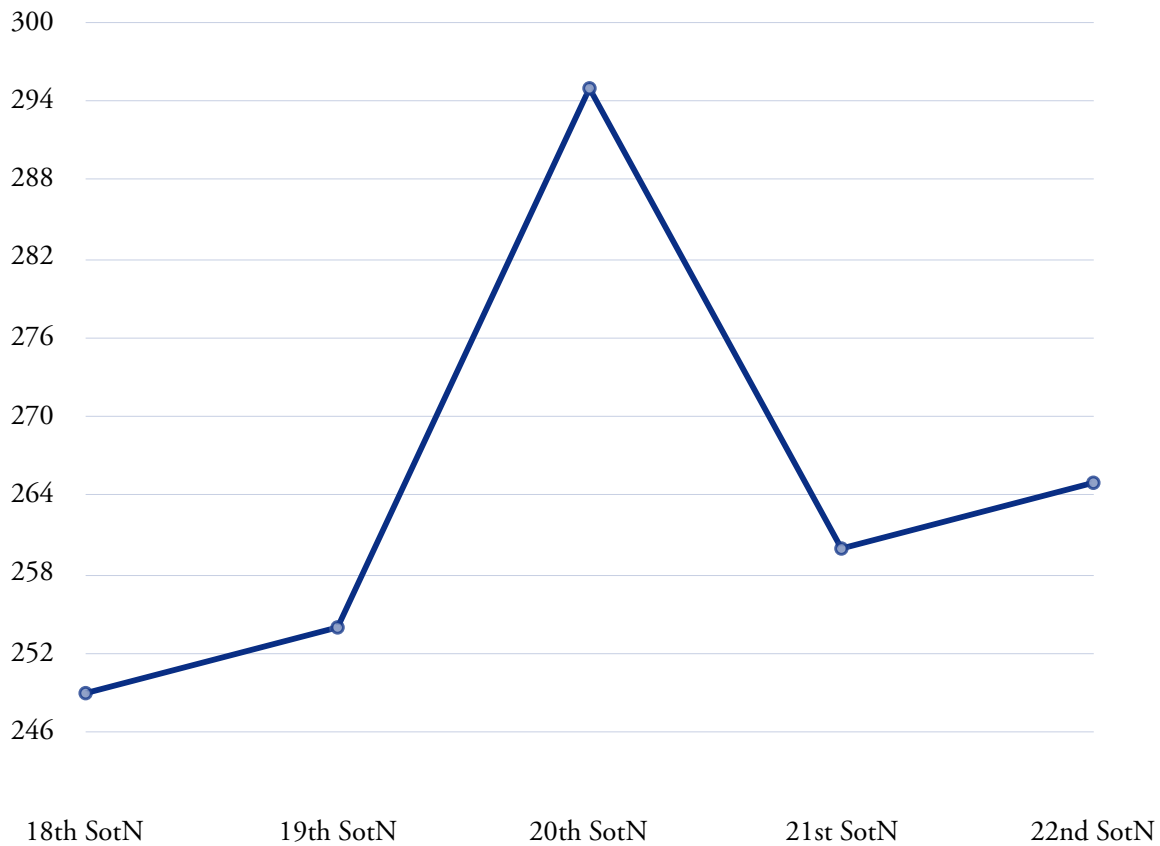
Based on the results of the  
22nd State of the Network Inquiry  
conducted before the LXXI ICM Prague



The European Law Students' Association

### GENERAL KEY FIGURES

#### Number of local groups within National ELSA Networks Part 1/4



19th SotN: **254**  
20th SotN: **295**  
21st SotN: **260**  
22nd SotN: **265**

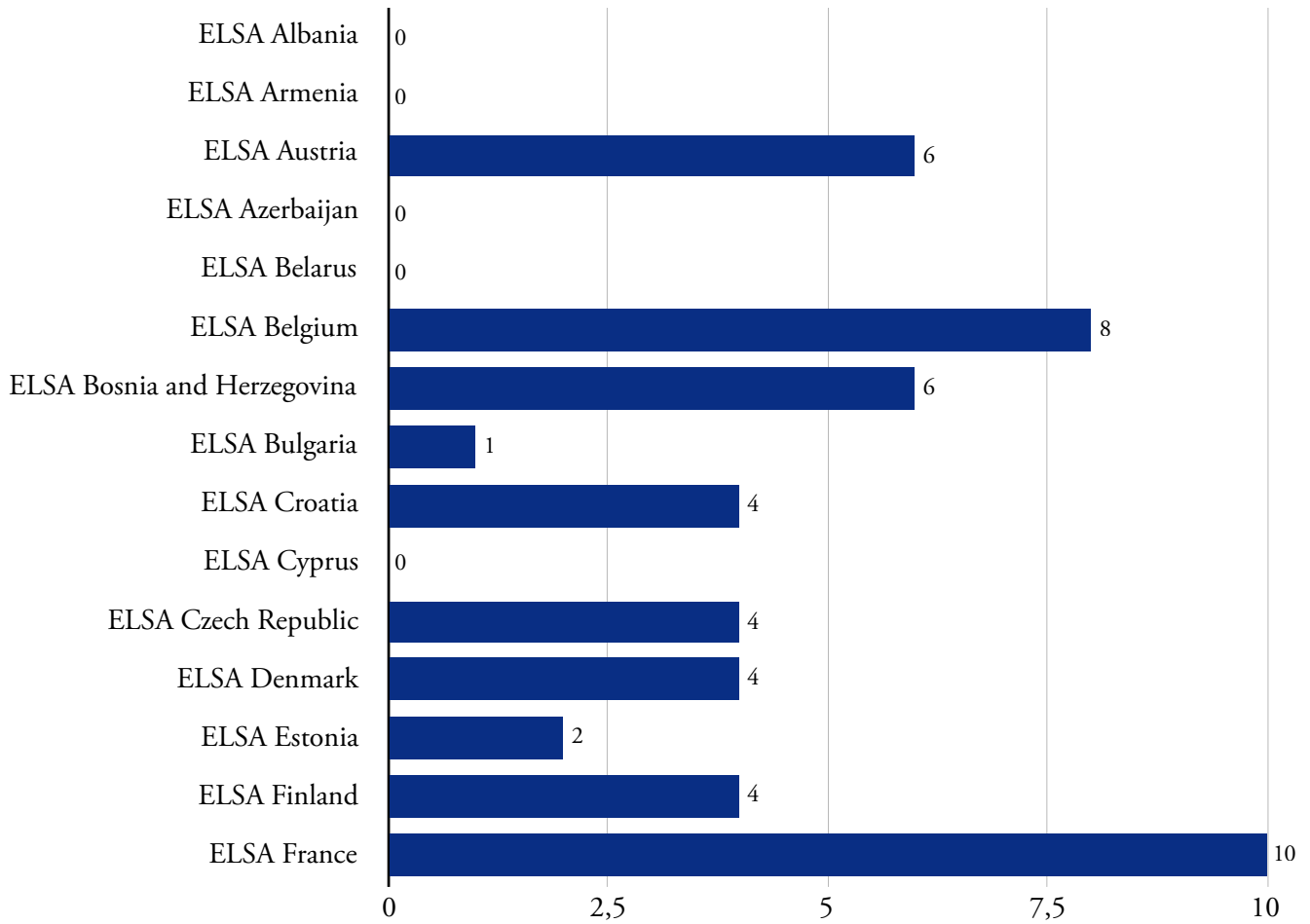
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National Groups with no Local Groups: **9**



### Number of local groups within National ELSA Networks

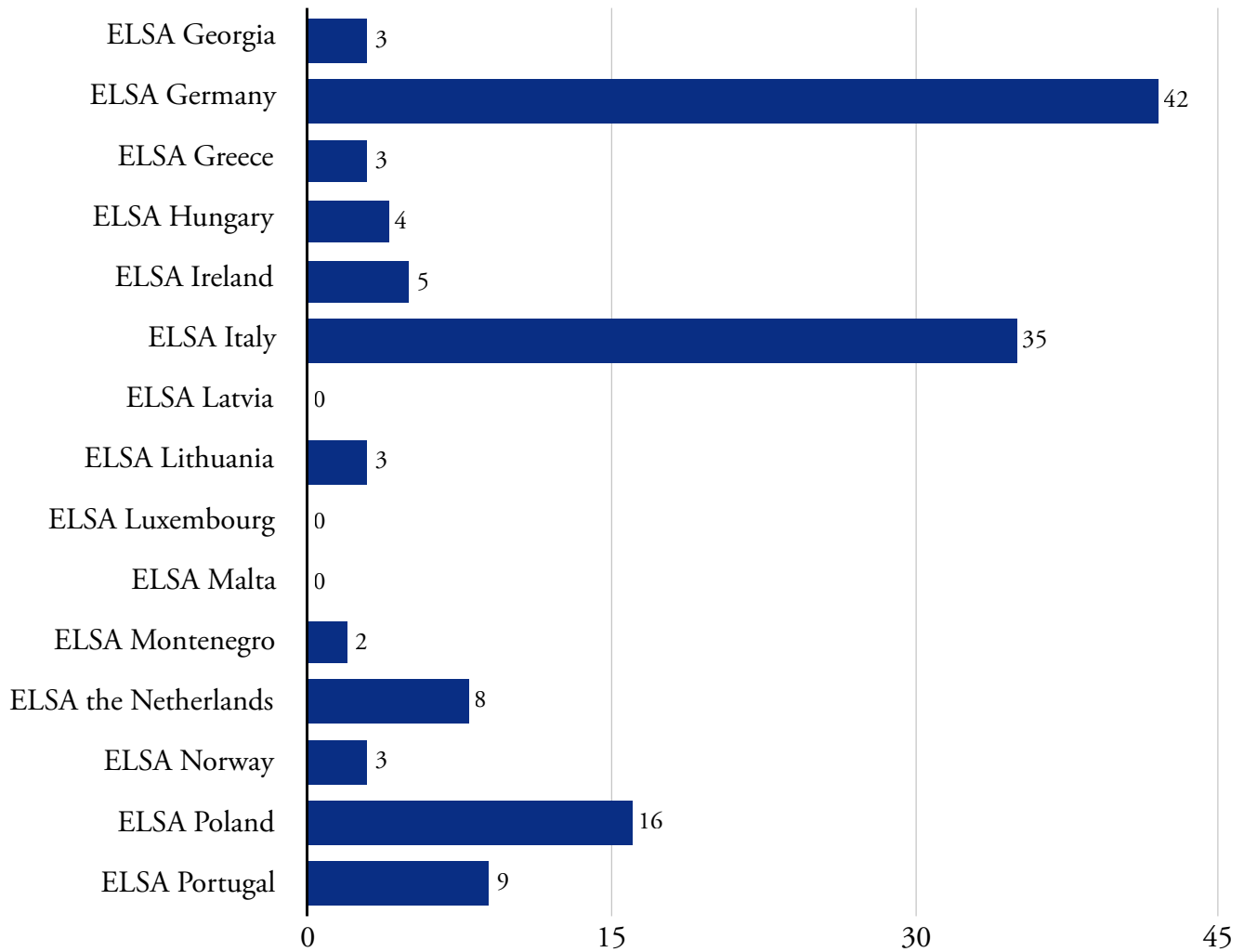
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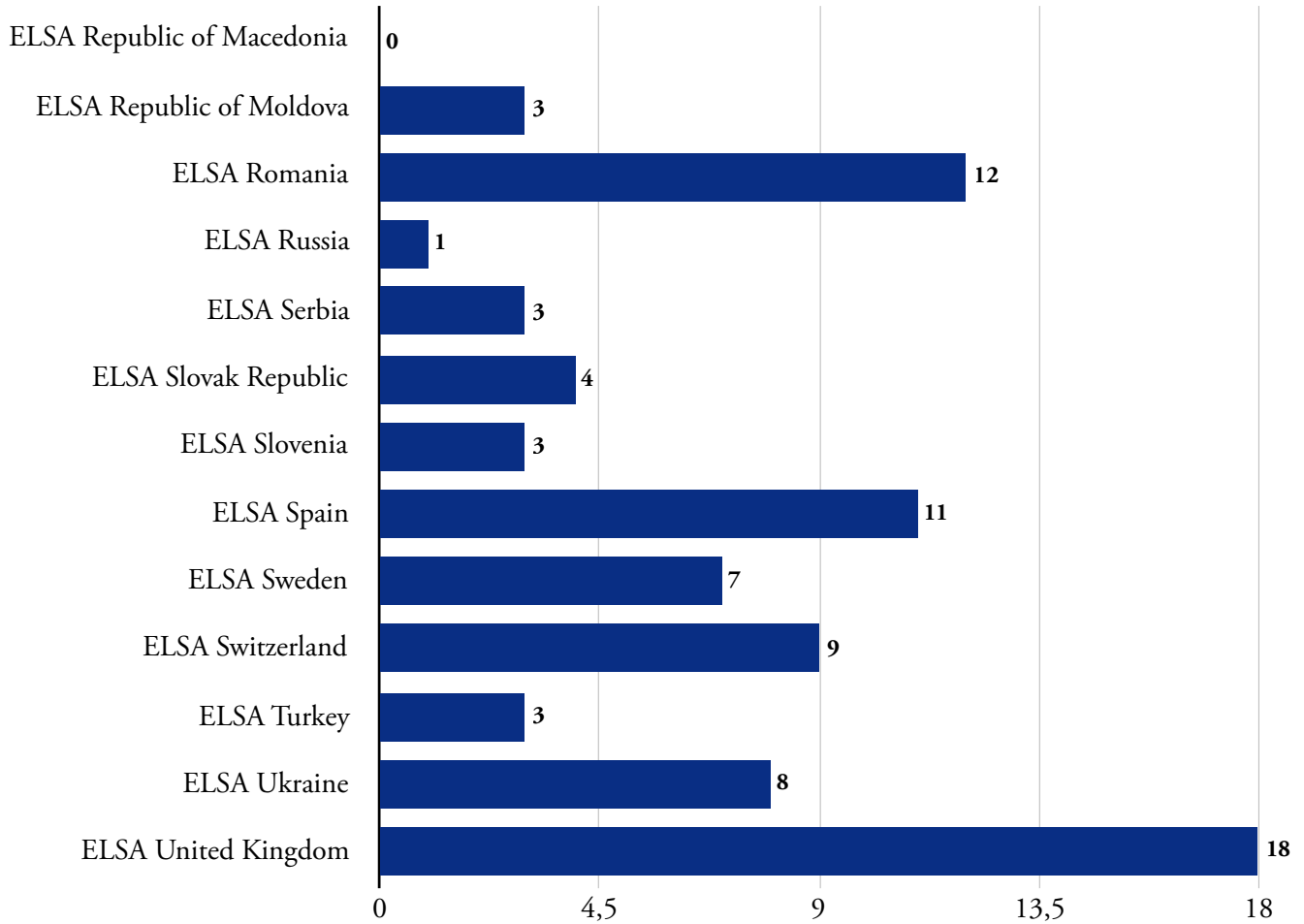
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### Number of local groups within National ELSA Networks Part 3/4



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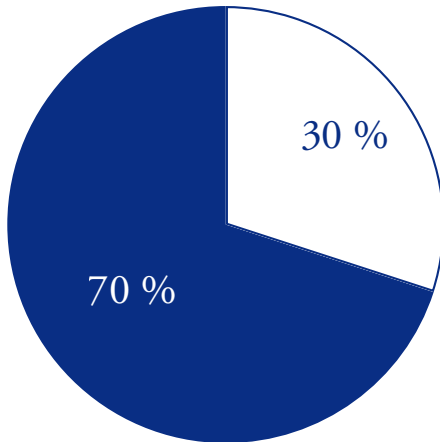
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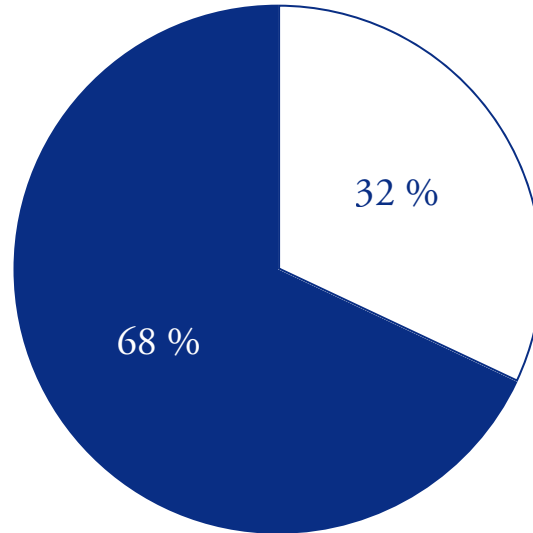
### Coverage of law faculties within National ELSA Networks

Part 1/4

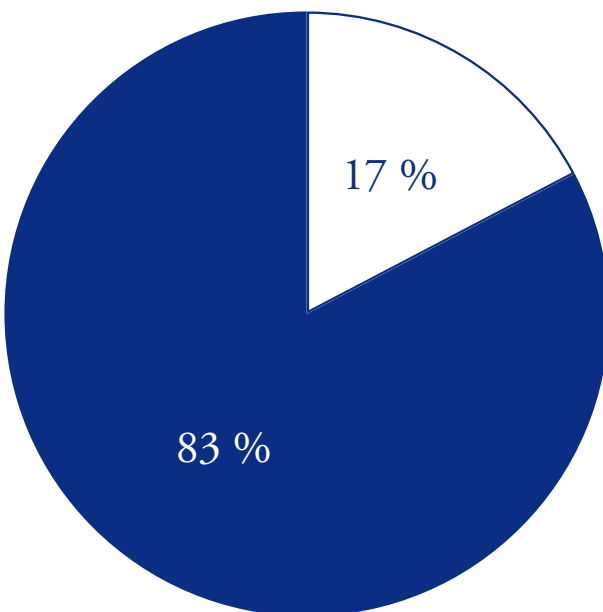
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21<sup>st</sup> SotN

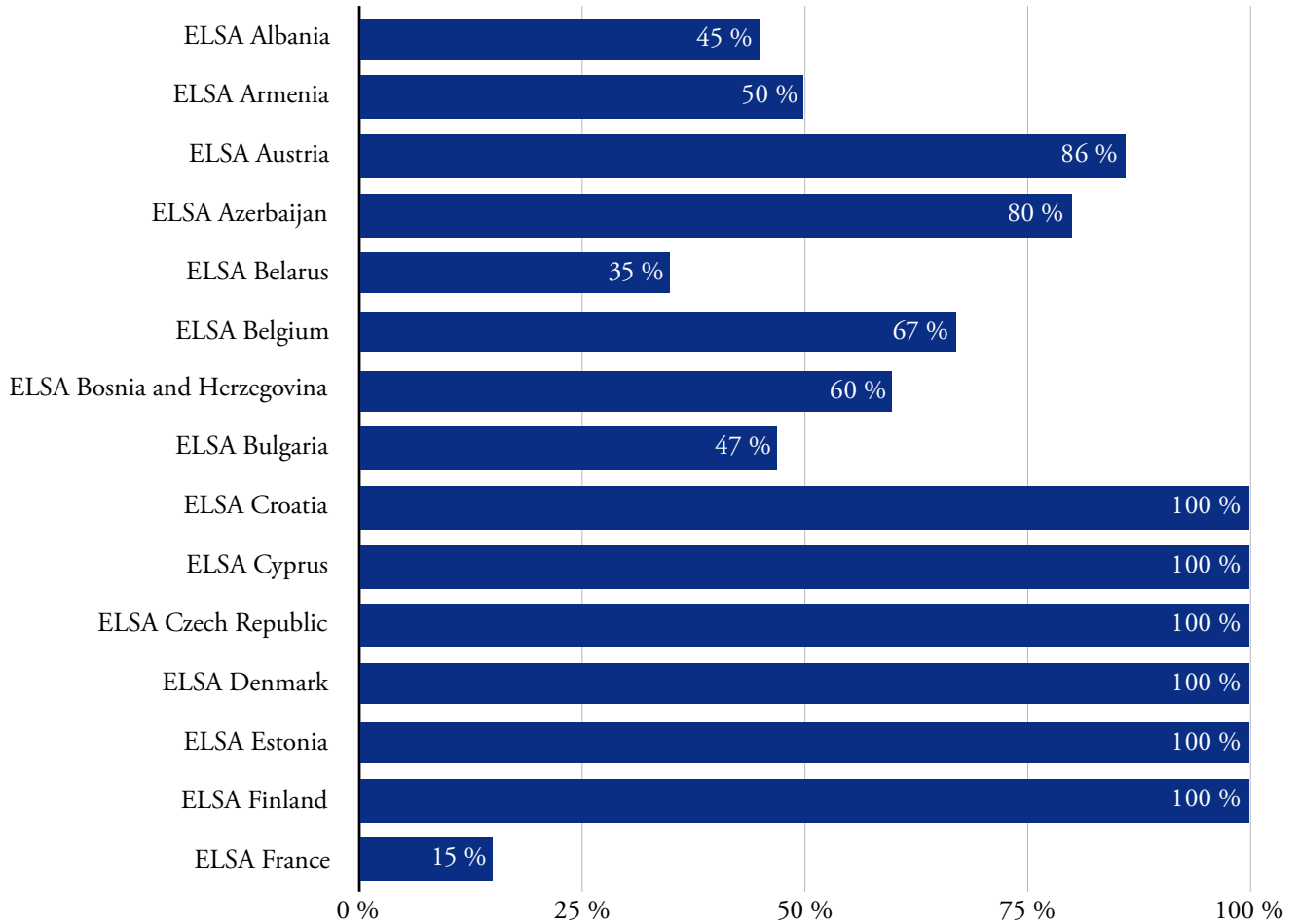


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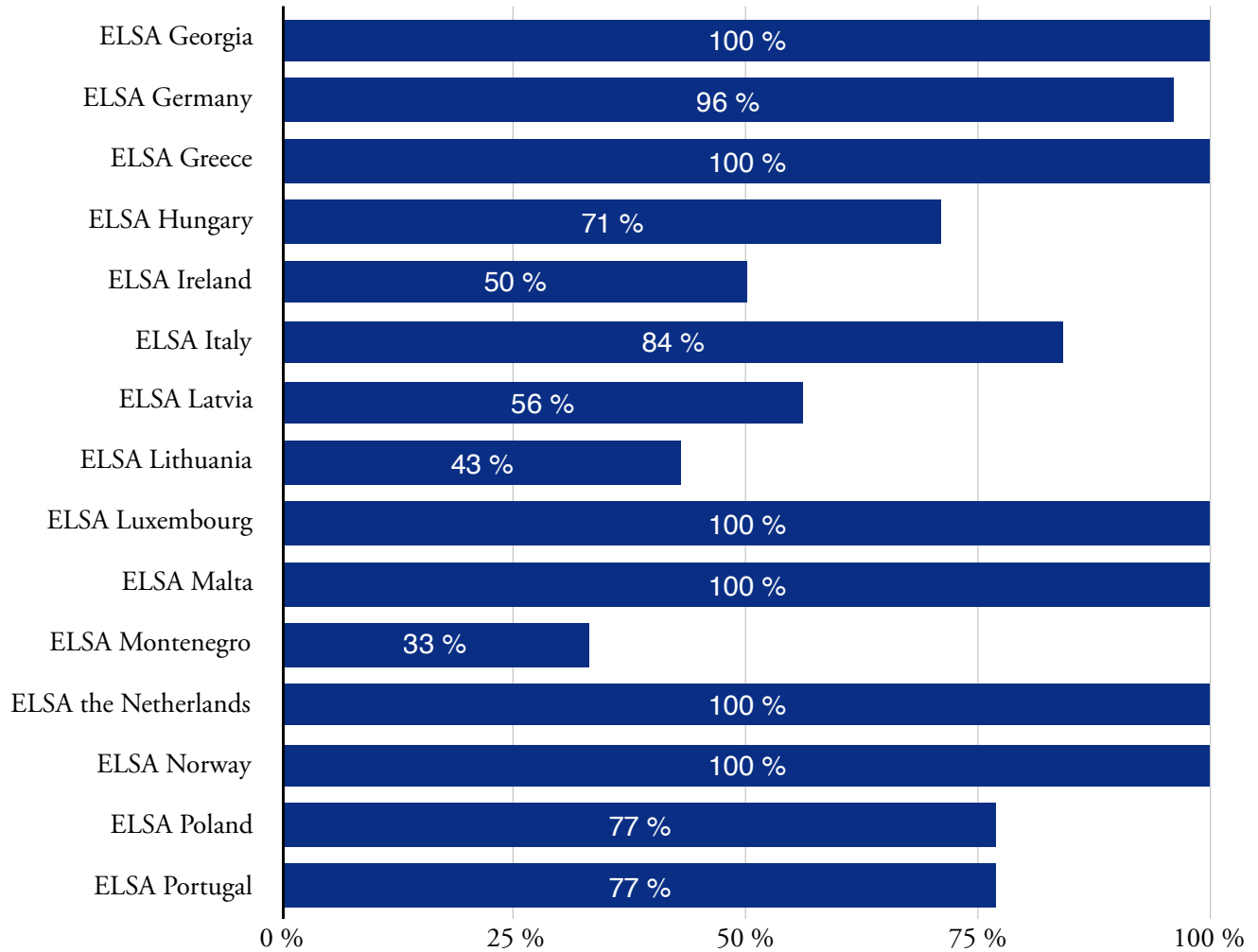
Faculties covered: **394**  
Faculties in total: **2274**

### Coverage of law faculties within National ELSA Networks Part 2/4



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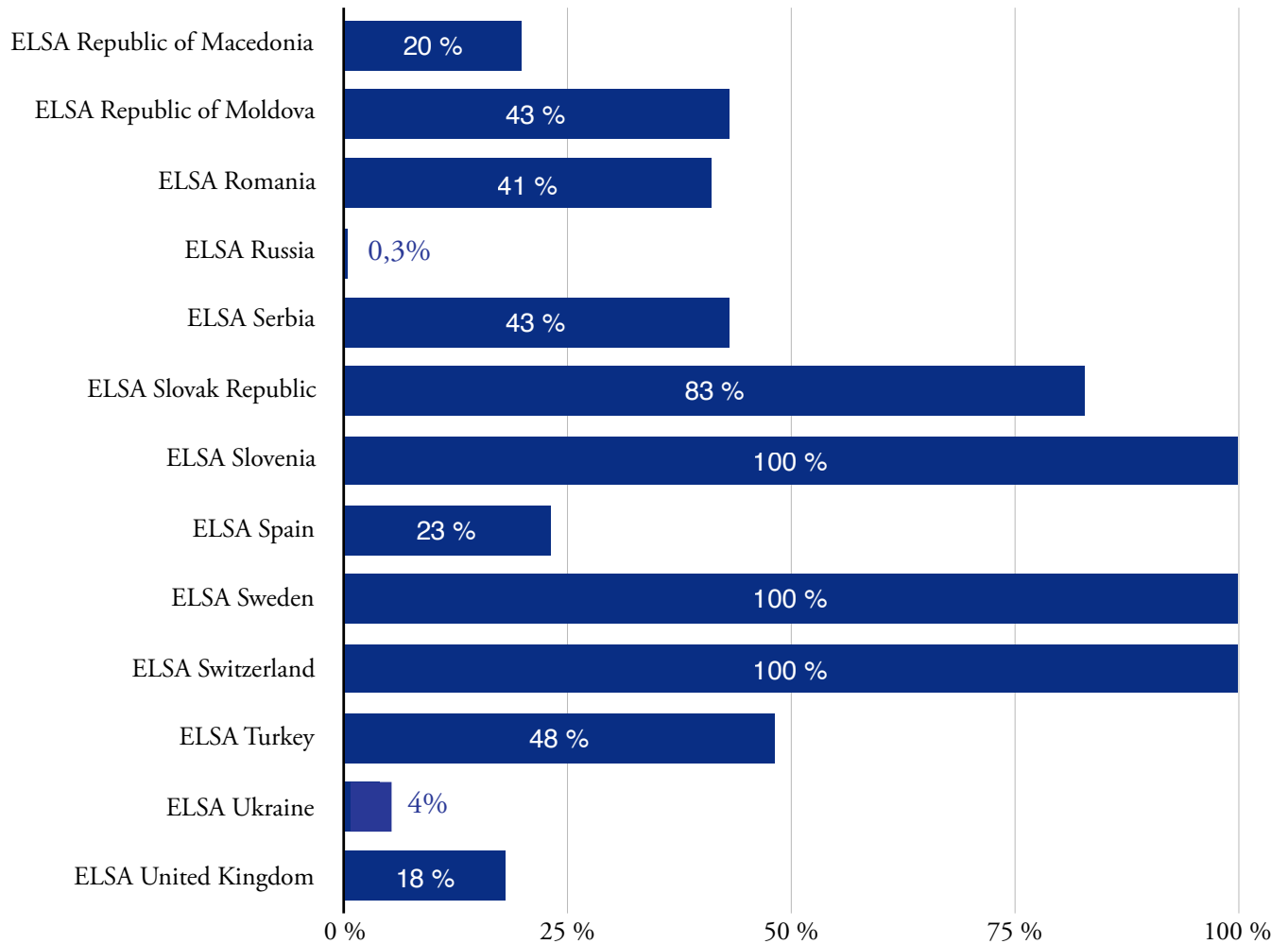
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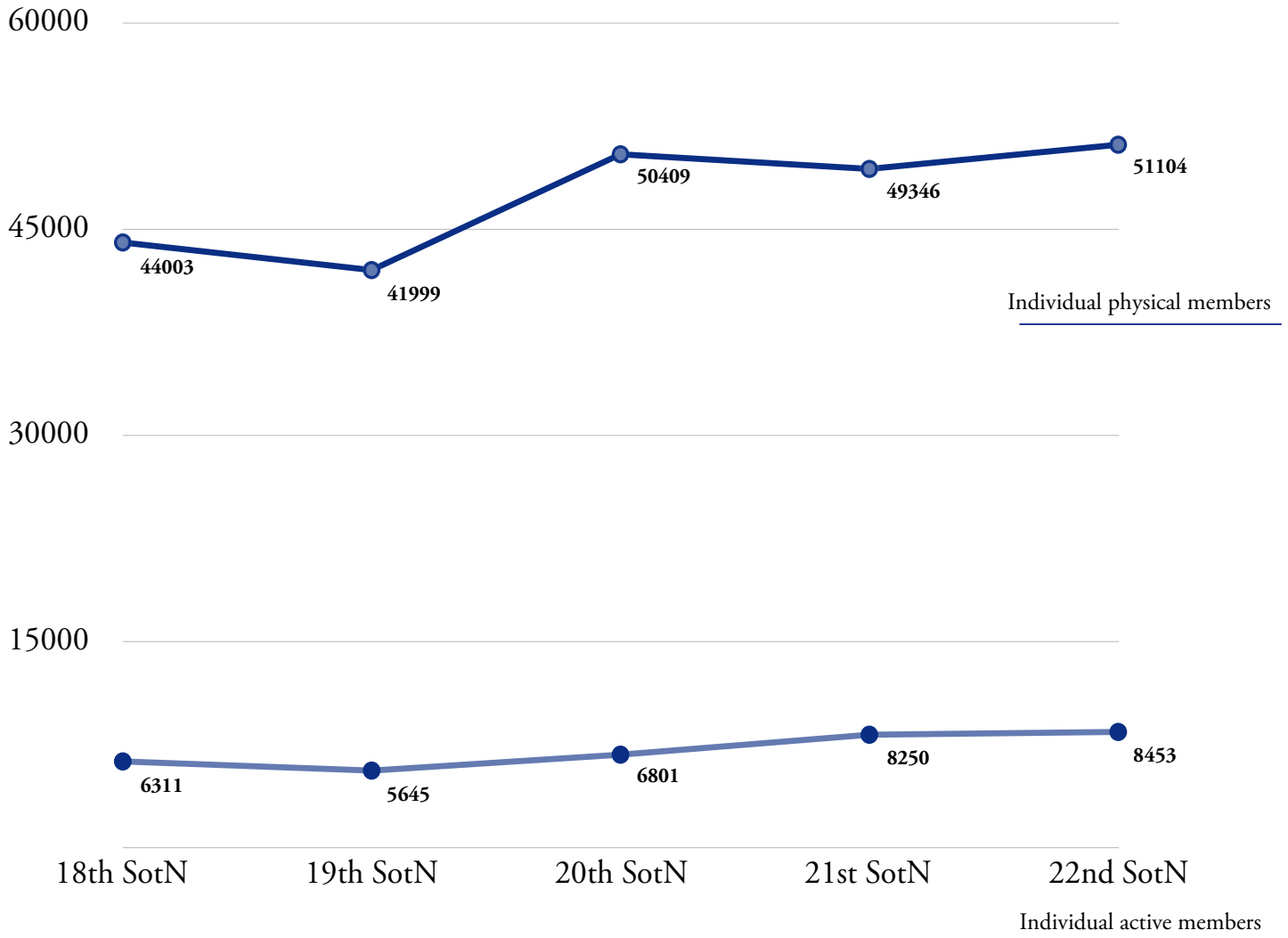
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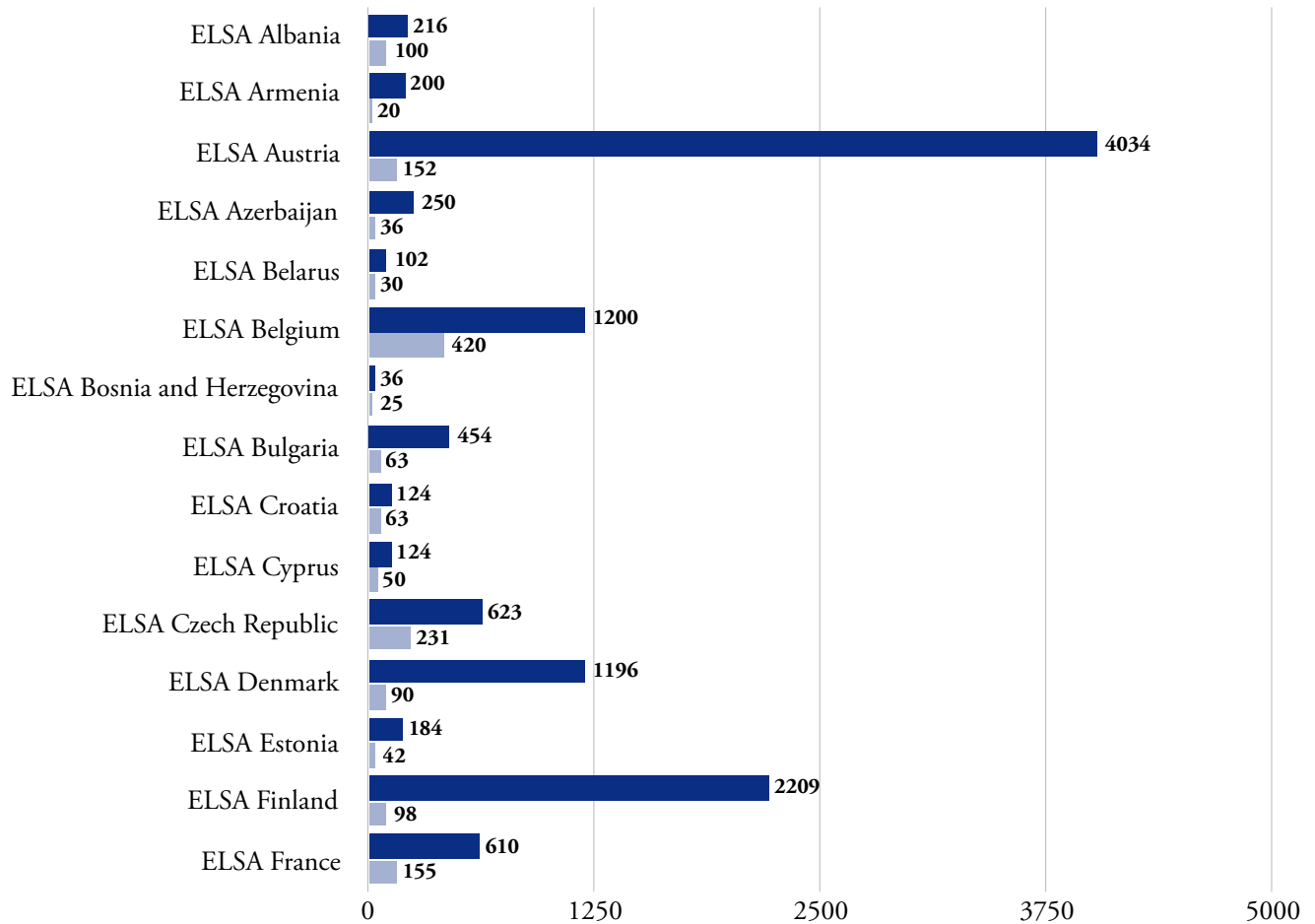


### Individual Members within the ELSA Network

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### Individual Members within the ELSA Network Part 2/4

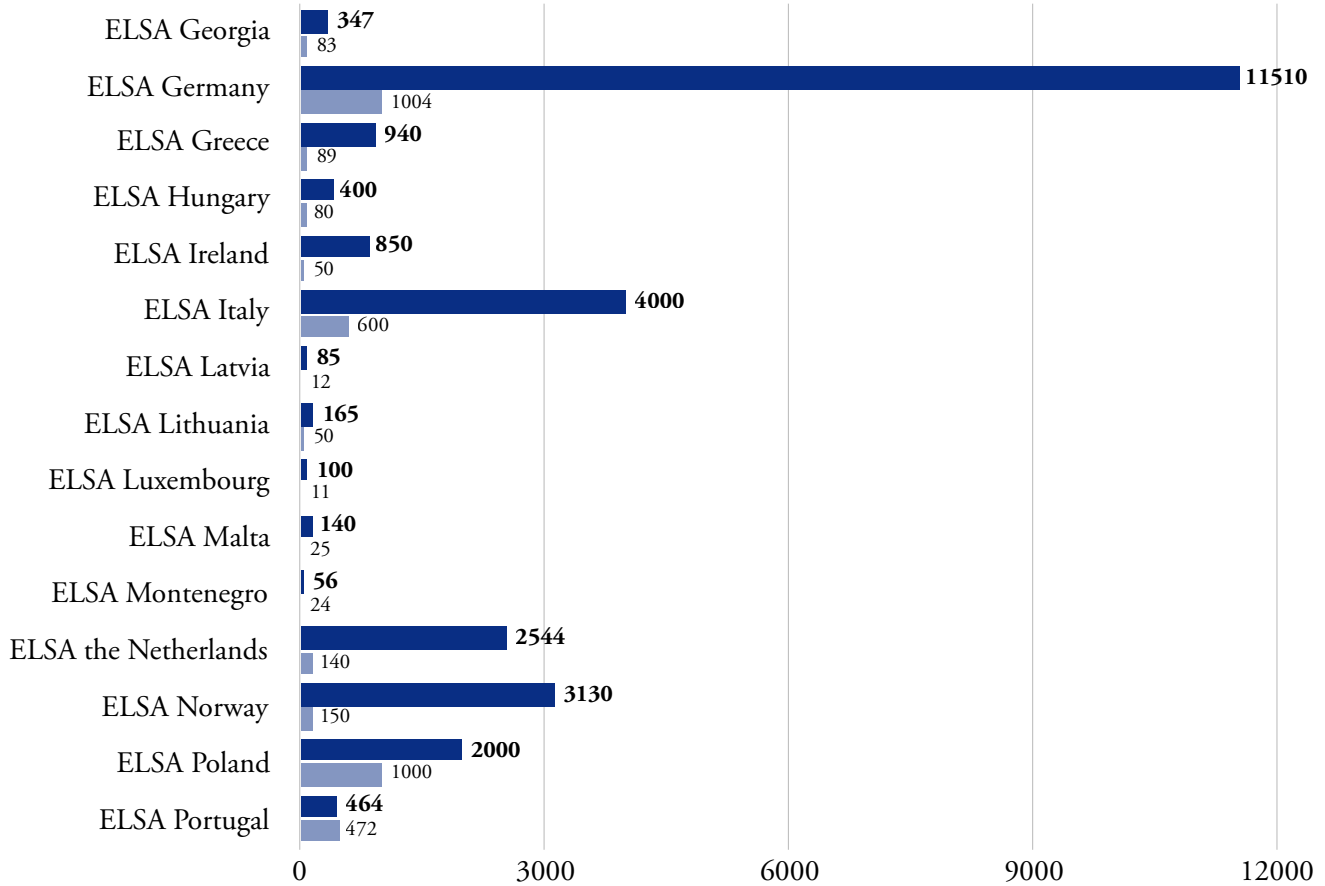


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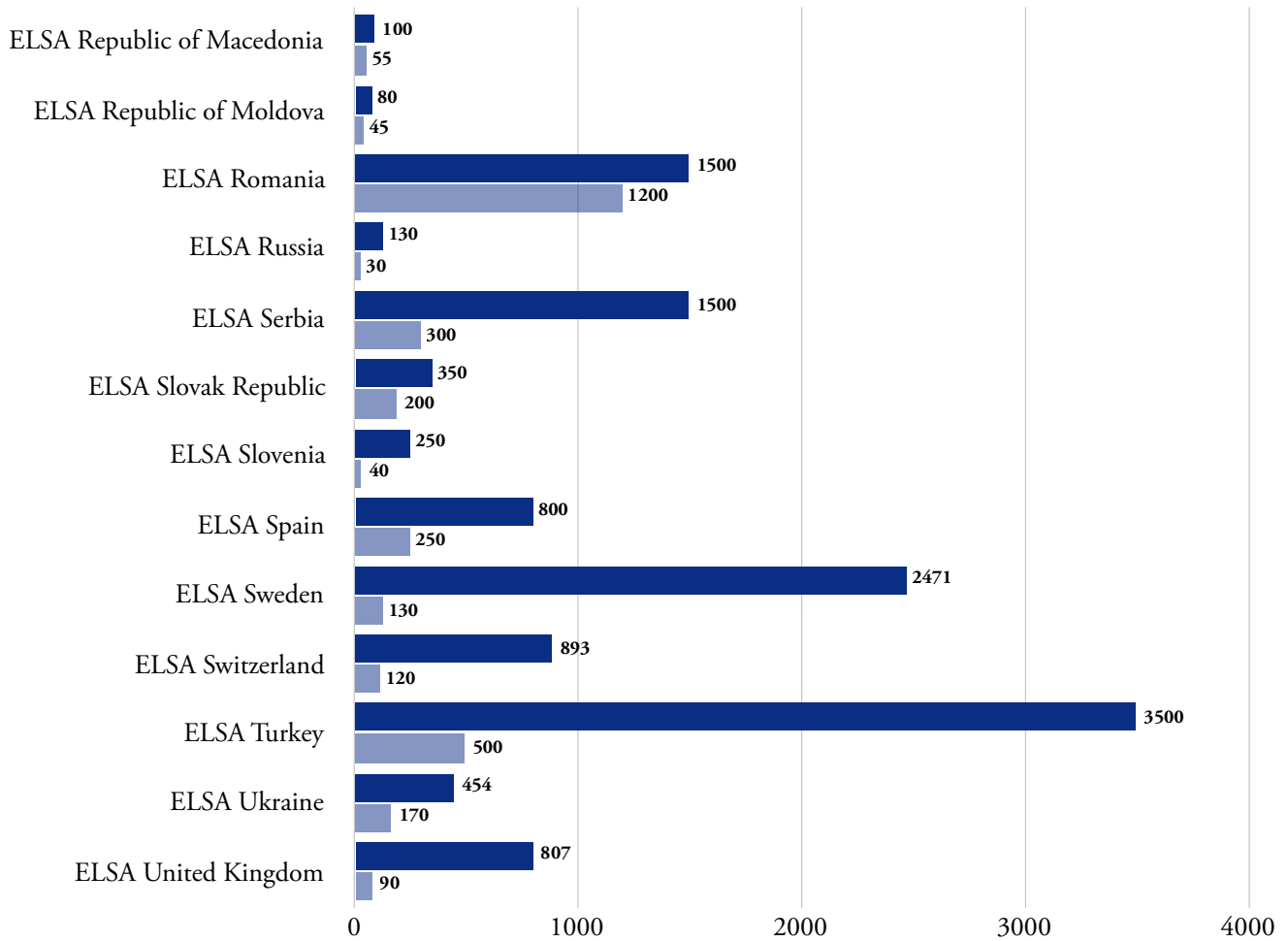
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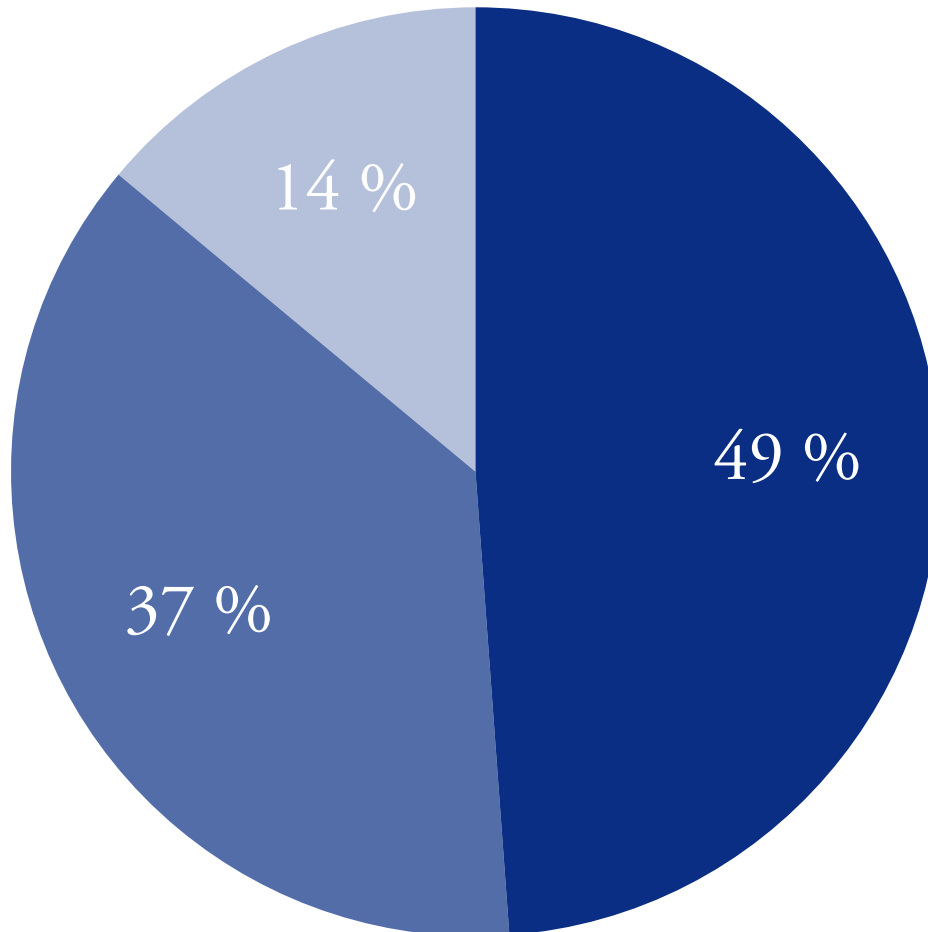
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### National Boards

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- Full National Board elected
- No full National Board elected, but vacant positions have been covered
- No full National Board elected and no vacant positions have been covered



Full National Board elected: **23**

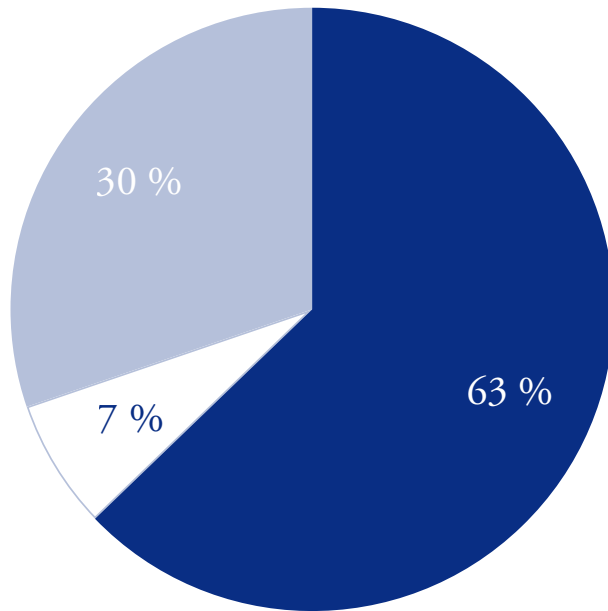
No full National Board elected, but all vacant positions have been covered: **13**

No full National Board elected and no vacant positions have been covered: **4**

### Duration of board terms at the national level

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● 1st August - 31st July   ○ 1st July - 30th June  
● Other

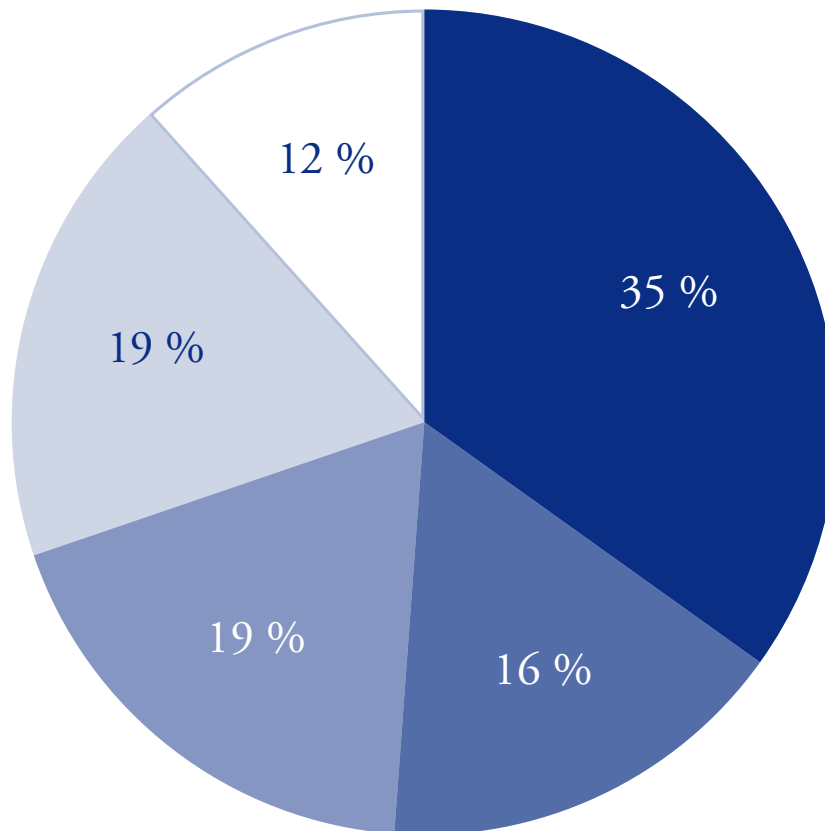


1st August - 31st July: **27**  
1st September - 31st August: **3**  
Other: **13**

### One Year Operational Plan

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- Common and all area OYOPs
- Common OYOP
- All area OYOPs
- Working on their OYOP
- Do not plan on writing their OYOP this year



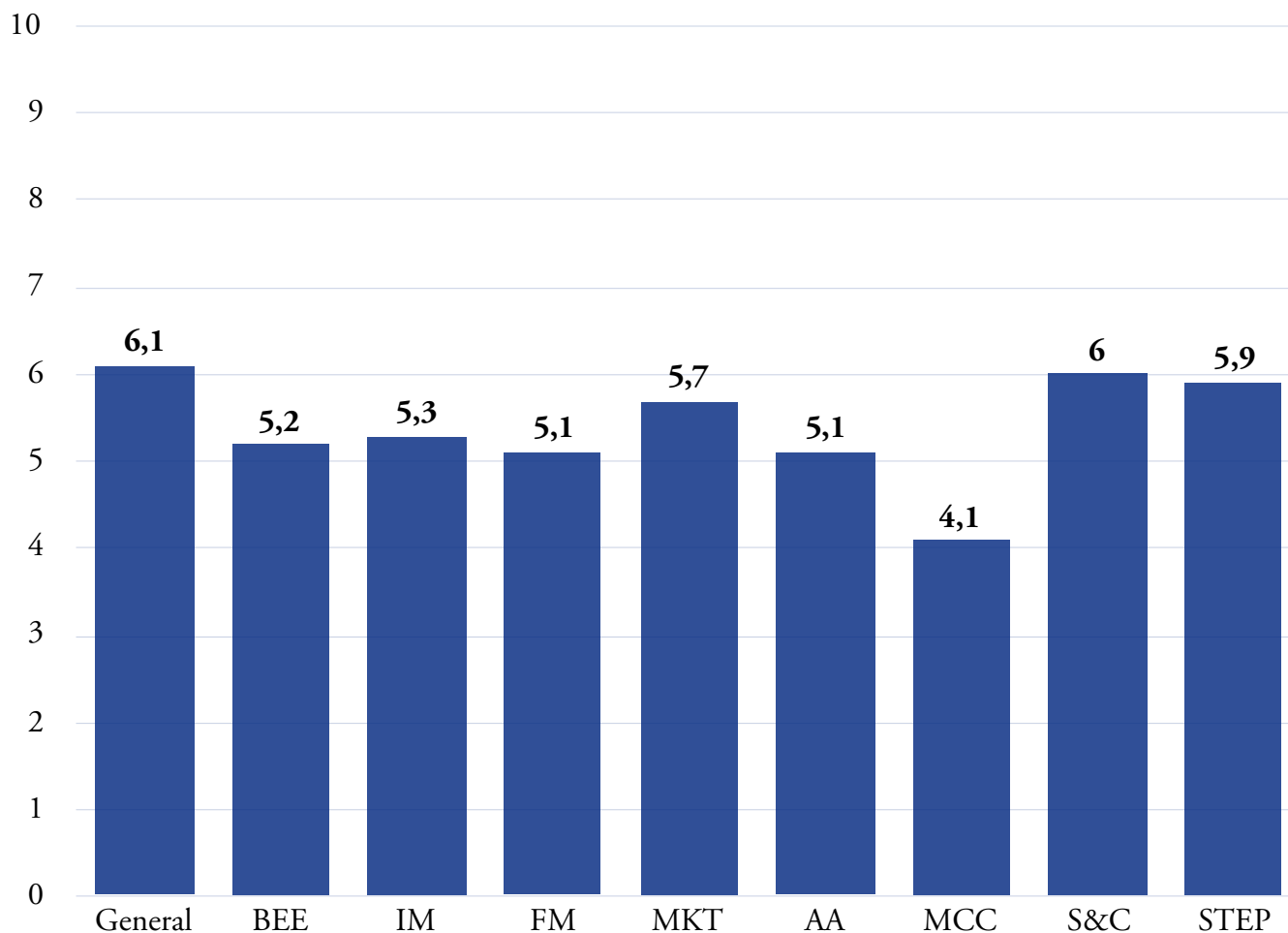
National Boards with both common and all area OYOPs: **15**  
National Boards with a common OYOP: **7**  
National Board with all area OYOPs: **8**  
National Boards still working on their OYOP: **8**  
National Boards that do not plan on writing their OYOP this year: **5**



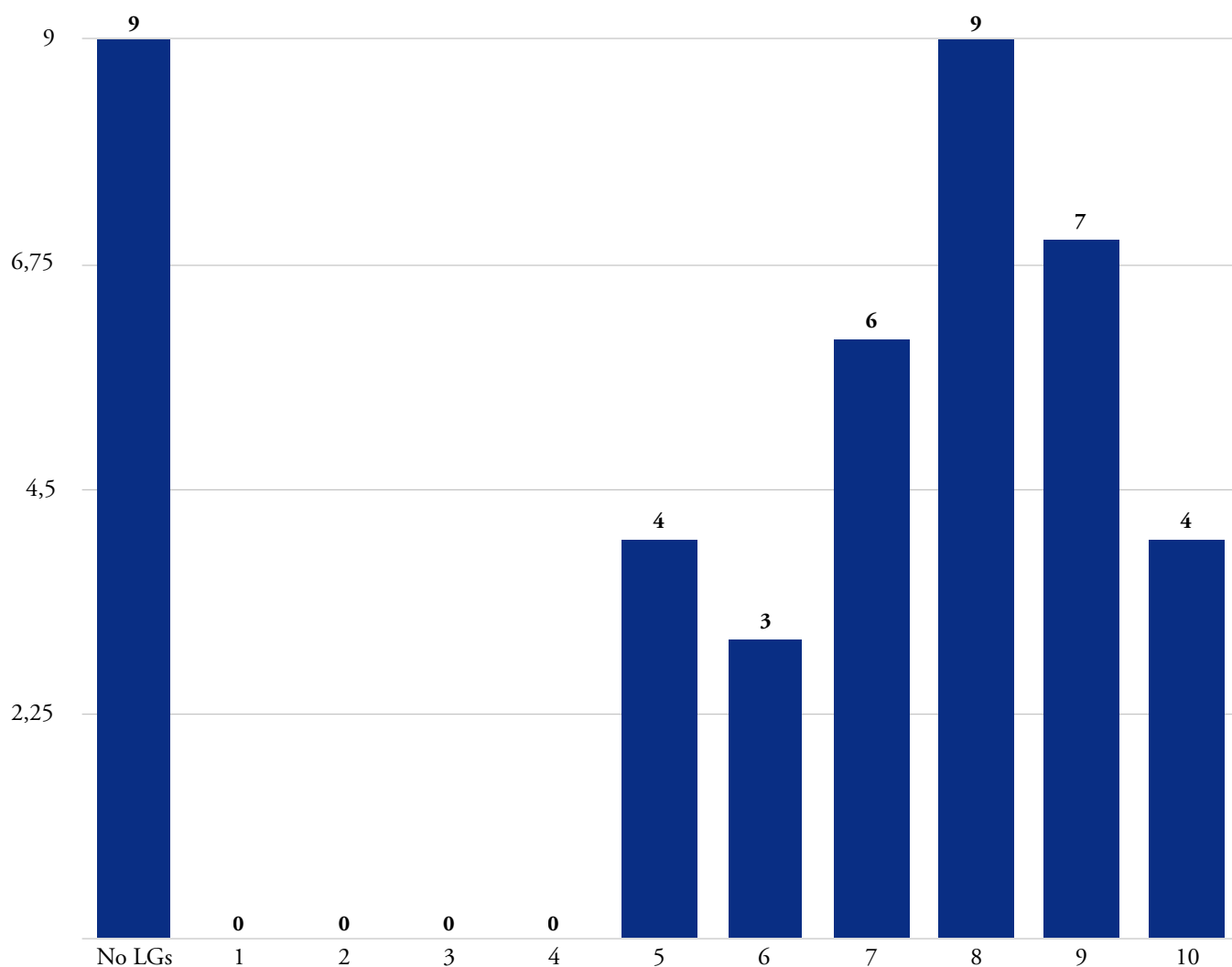
### Transition Received

as evaluated by the National Boards

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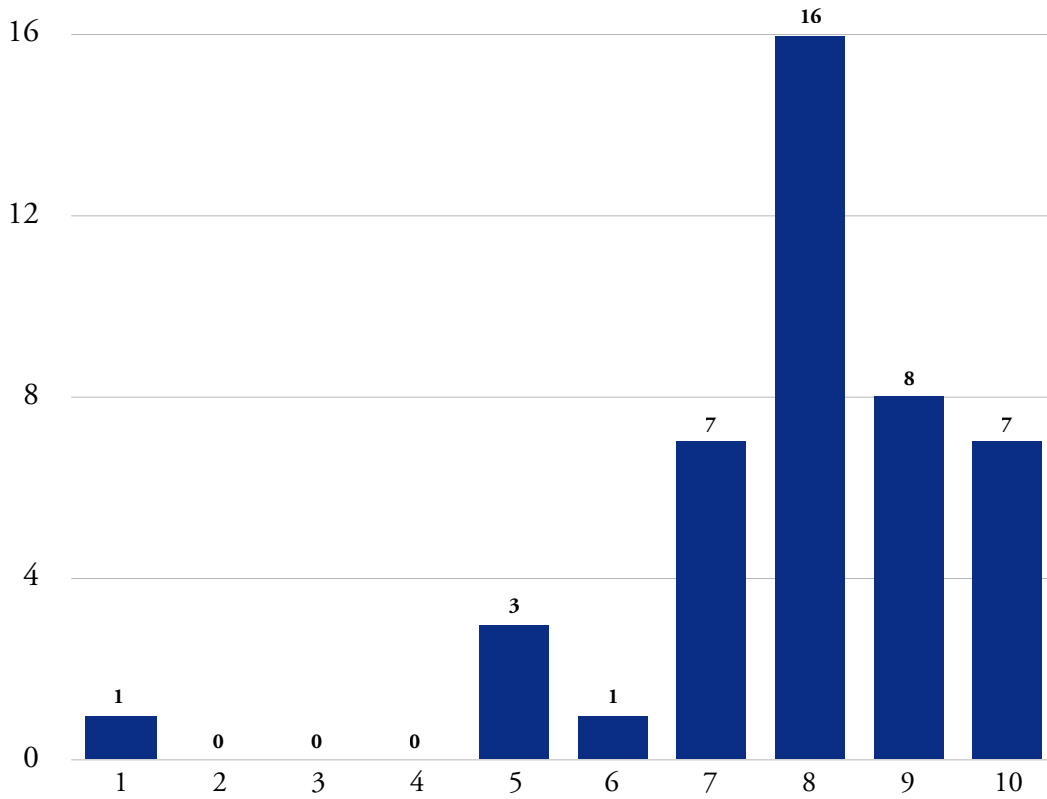


### Communication between National and their respective Local Groups as evaluated by the National Boards



### Communication between National Boards and the International Board as evaluated by the National Boards

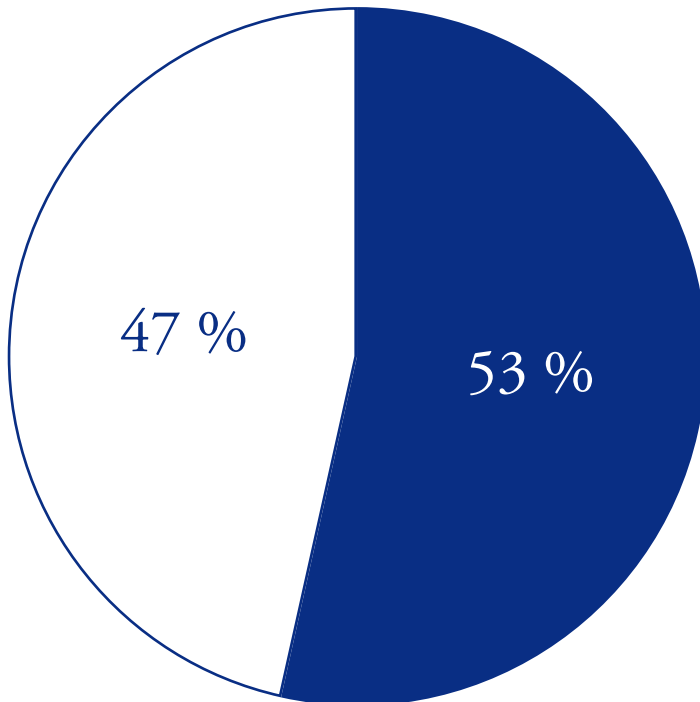
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## STRATEGIC GOALS 2018

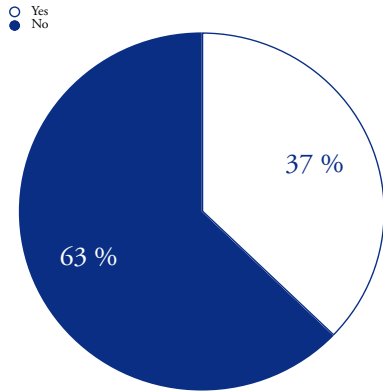
### Influence of Strategic Goals 2018 on yearly planning

- Yes
- No



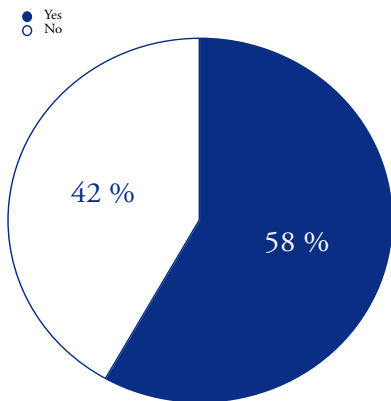
National Boards with their yearly planning influenced by the SGs 2018: **23**  
National Boards with their yearly planning **not** influenced by the SGs 2018: **20**

### Strategic Goals Implementation Manual usage



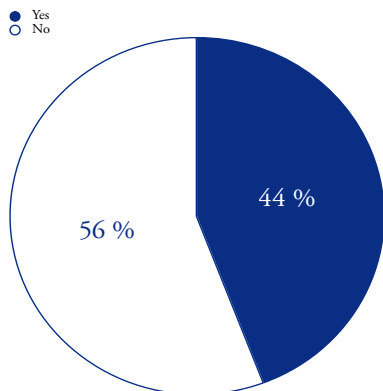
NBs using the SG implementation manual: **27**  
NBs **not** using the SG implementation manual: **16**

### Strategic Goals at the National Level



NBs with SGs at the national level: **25**  
NBs with **no** SGs at the national level: **18**

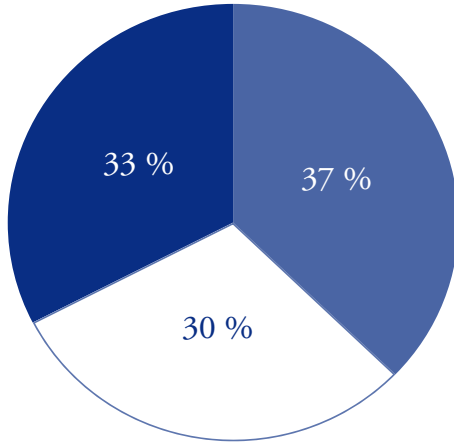
### Handbook on Strategic Planning usage



NBs using the Handbook on Strategic Planning: **19**  
NBs with **not** using the Handbook on Strategic Planning: **24**

### Online Archive available to all ELSA Officers at the national level

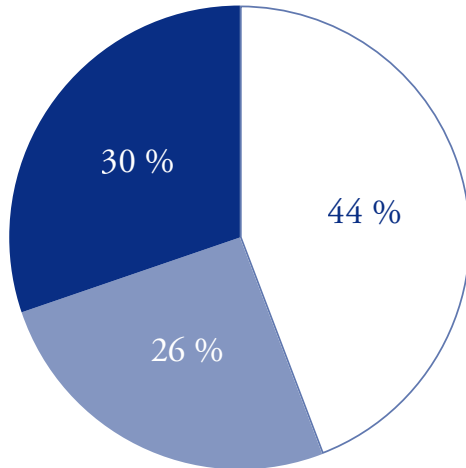
- Yes
- No
- Planning on forming one



National Groups with such an online archive: **16**  
National Groups with no online archive: **13**  
National Groups planning on making an archive: **14**

### External Contacts Database

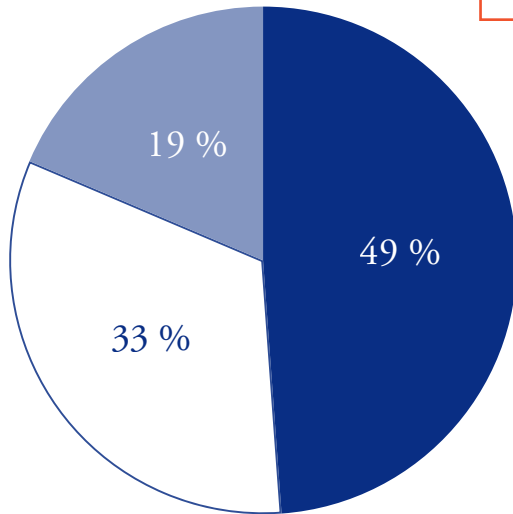
- Yes
- No
- Planning on creating one



NBs with an External Contacts Database: **19**  
NBs without an External Contacts Database : **11**  
NBs planning on creating one: **13**

### Electronic Newsletter

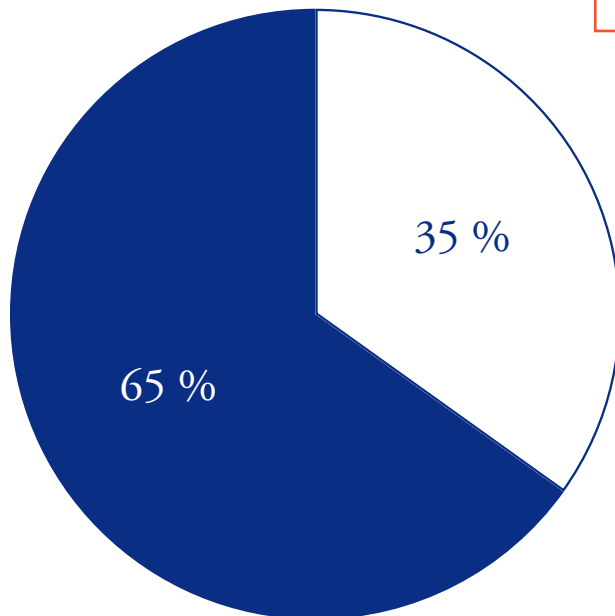
- Yes
- No
- Planning on establishing one



NBs that issue an electronic newsletter: **21**  
NBs that do not issue an electronic newsletter: **14**  
NBs planning on creating an electronic newsletter: **8**

### Human Rights Partnerships

- Yes
- No

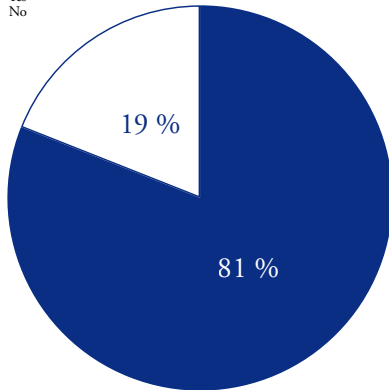


National Groups with Human Rights partners: **15**  
National Groups without Human Rights partners: **28**

### International Focus Programme promotion within National Groups

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● Yes  
○ No

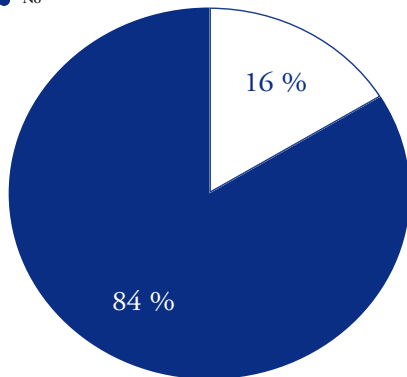


National Groups promoting the IFP within their network: **35**  
National Groups **not** promoting the IFP within their network: **8**

### International Focus Programme partnership - Environmental Law

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○ Yes  
● No

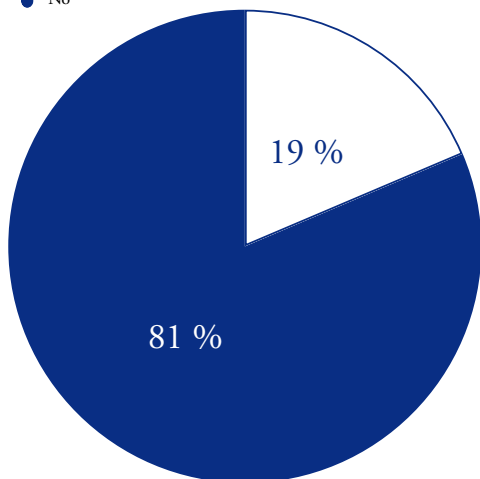


National Groups with partnership for the new IFP topic: **7**  
National Groups without partnership for the new IFP topic: **36**

### International Focus Programme partnership - Media Law

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○ Yes  
● No

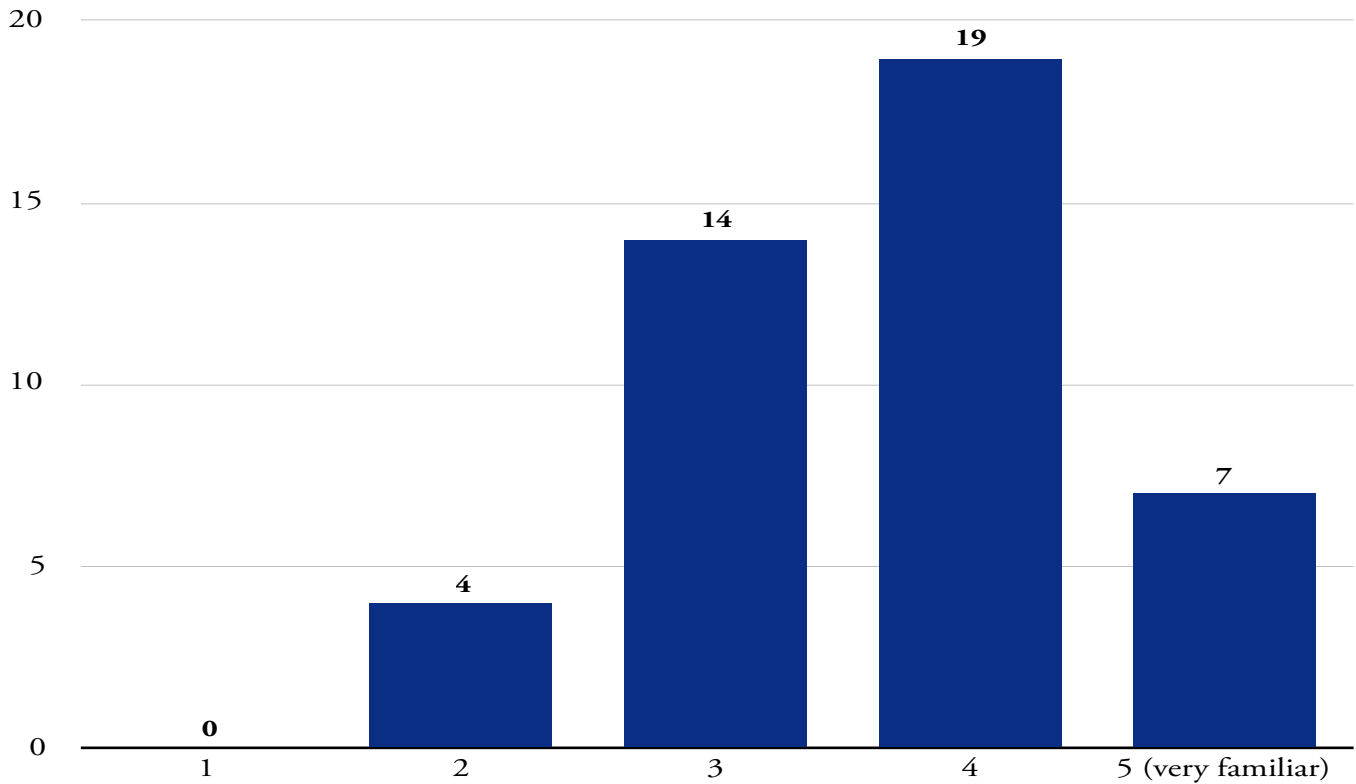


National Groups with partnership from the last IFP topic: **8**  
National Groups without partnership from the last IFP topic: **35**



### Familiarity of local officers with ELSA International's projects

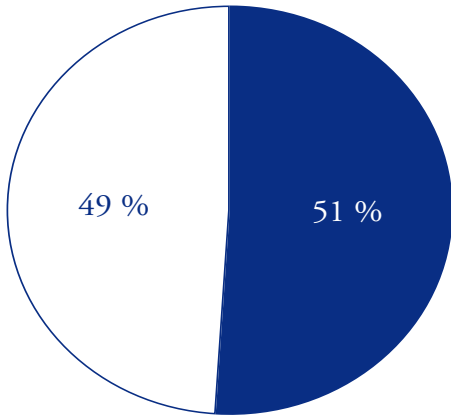
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### International Events within National Networks

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● Yes  
○ No

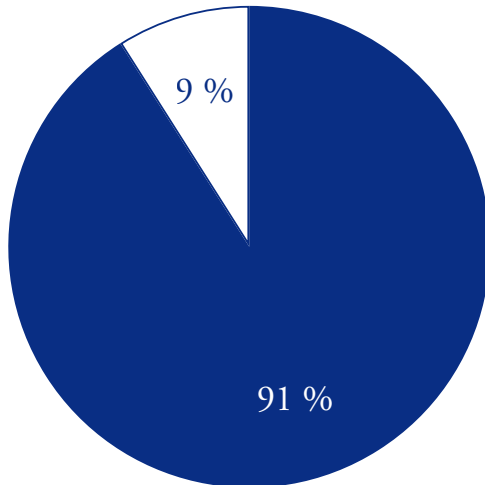


National Groups organising international events: **22**  
National groups **not** organising international events: **21**

### Bilateral or multilateral events in cooperation with other National or Local ELSA Groups?

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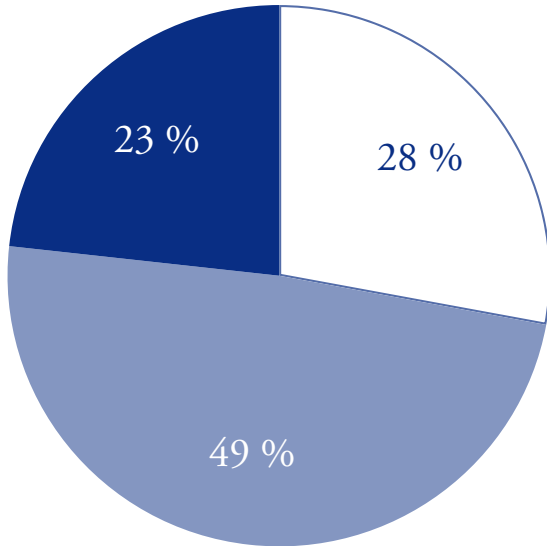
● Yes  
○ No



NGs/LGs organising events with other NGs/LGs: **33**  
NGs/LGs **not** organising events with other NGs/LGs: **10**

### Legal English training

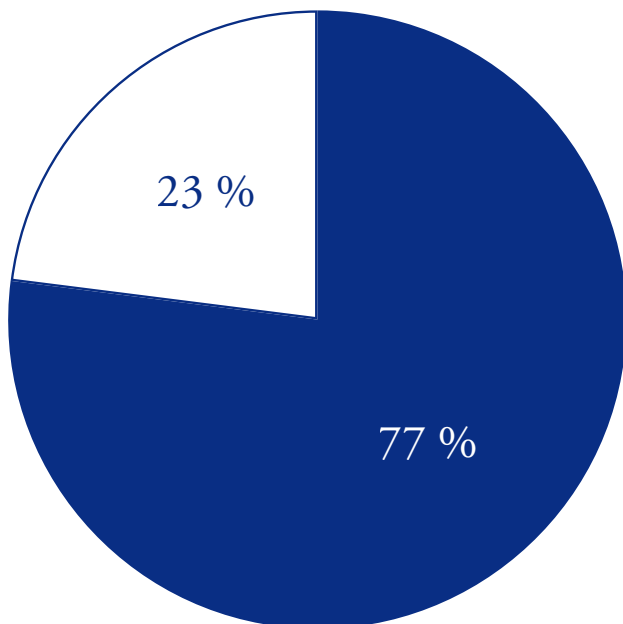
- Yes
- No
- Planning on establishing them



NGs organising Legal English trainings: **12**  
NGs **not** organising Legal English trainings: **21**  
NGs planning on establishing them: **10**

### Exchange Students within National ELSA Networks

- Yes
- No



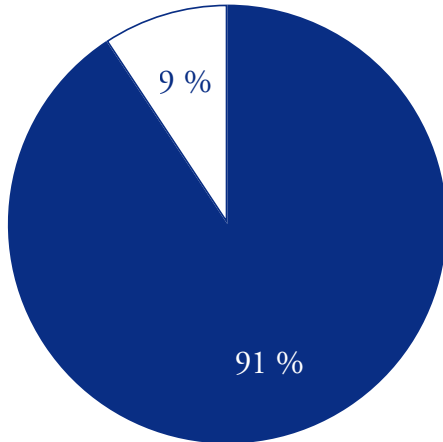
**33** NGs involve exchange students in their events  
**10** NGs **do not** involve exchange students in their events

### Cooperation

with other institutions, organisations and corporations

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● Yes  
○ No



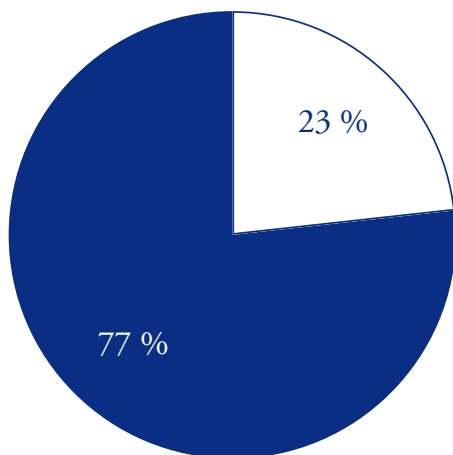
**39** NGOs cooperate with other entities  
**4** NGOs **do not** cooperate with other entities

### Cooperation

with the Council of Europe

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○ Yes  
● No



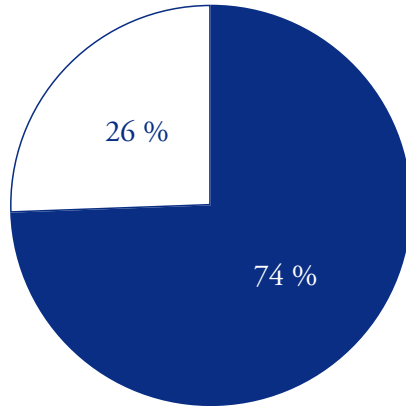
**10** NGOs cooperate with the CoE  
**33** NGOs **do not** cooperate with the CoE

### Cooperation

with other student associations

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● Yes  
○ No



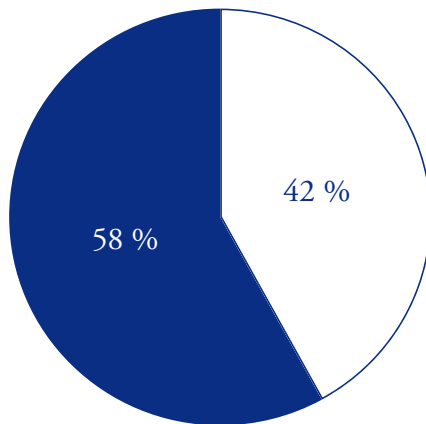
**32** NGOs cooperate with other student organisations  
**11** NGOs **do not** cooperate with other student organisations

### Cooperation

with bar associations

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○ Yes  
● No



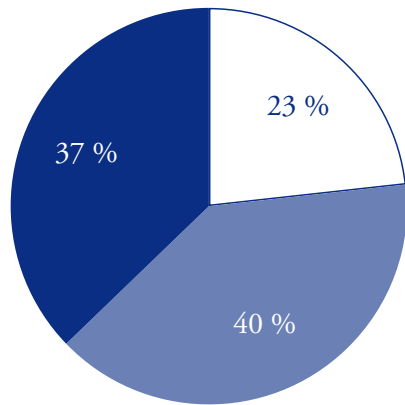
**18** NGOs cooperate with bar associations in their country  
**25** NGOs **do not** cooperate with any bar associations

### Fundraising

training on effective fundraising within the National Network

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- Yes
- No, but we're planning on establishing them



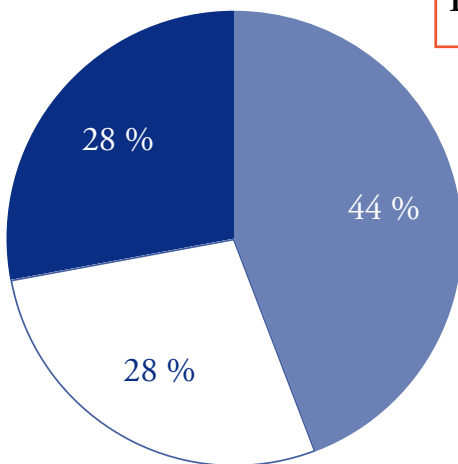
**10** NGOs organise training events on effective fundraising  
**17** NGOs **do not** organise training events on effective fundraising  
**16** NGOs are planning on establishing trainings on effective fundraising

### Fundraising

strategy for obtaining grants

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- Yes
- No
- Planning on establishing it

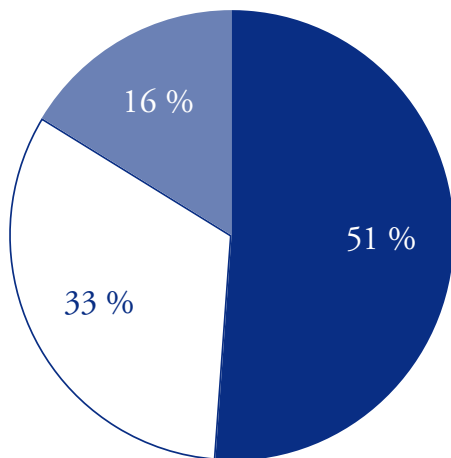


**19** NGOs have a strategy for obtaining grants  
**12** NGOs **do not** have a strategy for obtaining grants  
**12** NGOs are planning on forming such strategy

### Public Relations strategy

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- Yes
- No
- Planning on establishing it

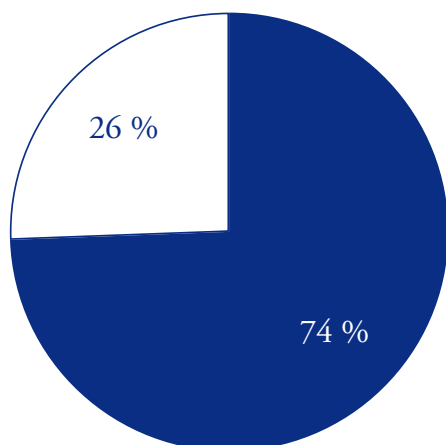


22 NGs have a PR strategy  
14 NGs **do not** have a PR strategy  
7 NGs are planning on forming a PR strategy

### Public Relations updated website

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- Yes
- No

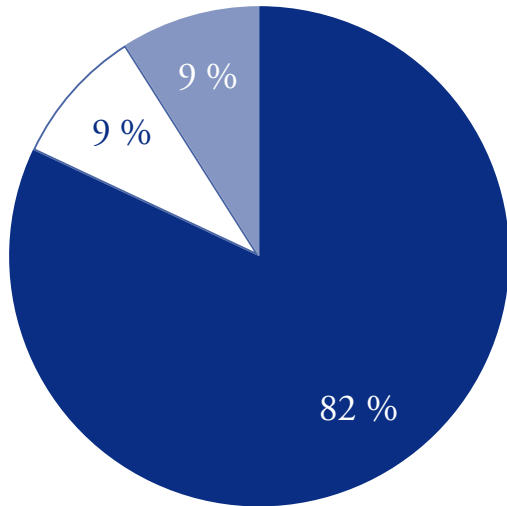


32 NGs have a constantly updated website  
11 NGs **do not** have a constantly updated website

### Public Relations

#### Corporate identity compliance

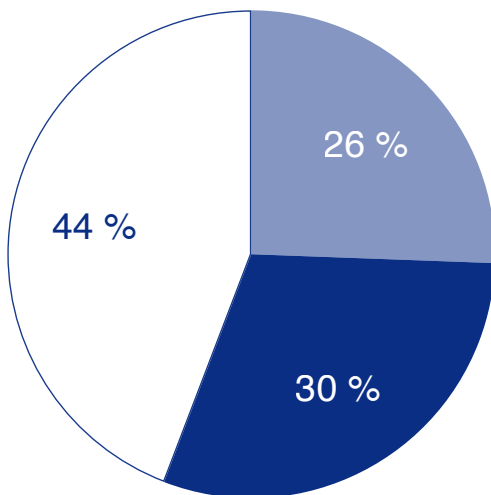
- Yes
- No
- Do not know



**35** NGs are in compliance with the CI  
**4** NGs **are not** in compliance with the CI  
**4** NGs do not know whether they are in compliance with the CI

### Patrons

- Yes
- No
- No, but we wish to find one

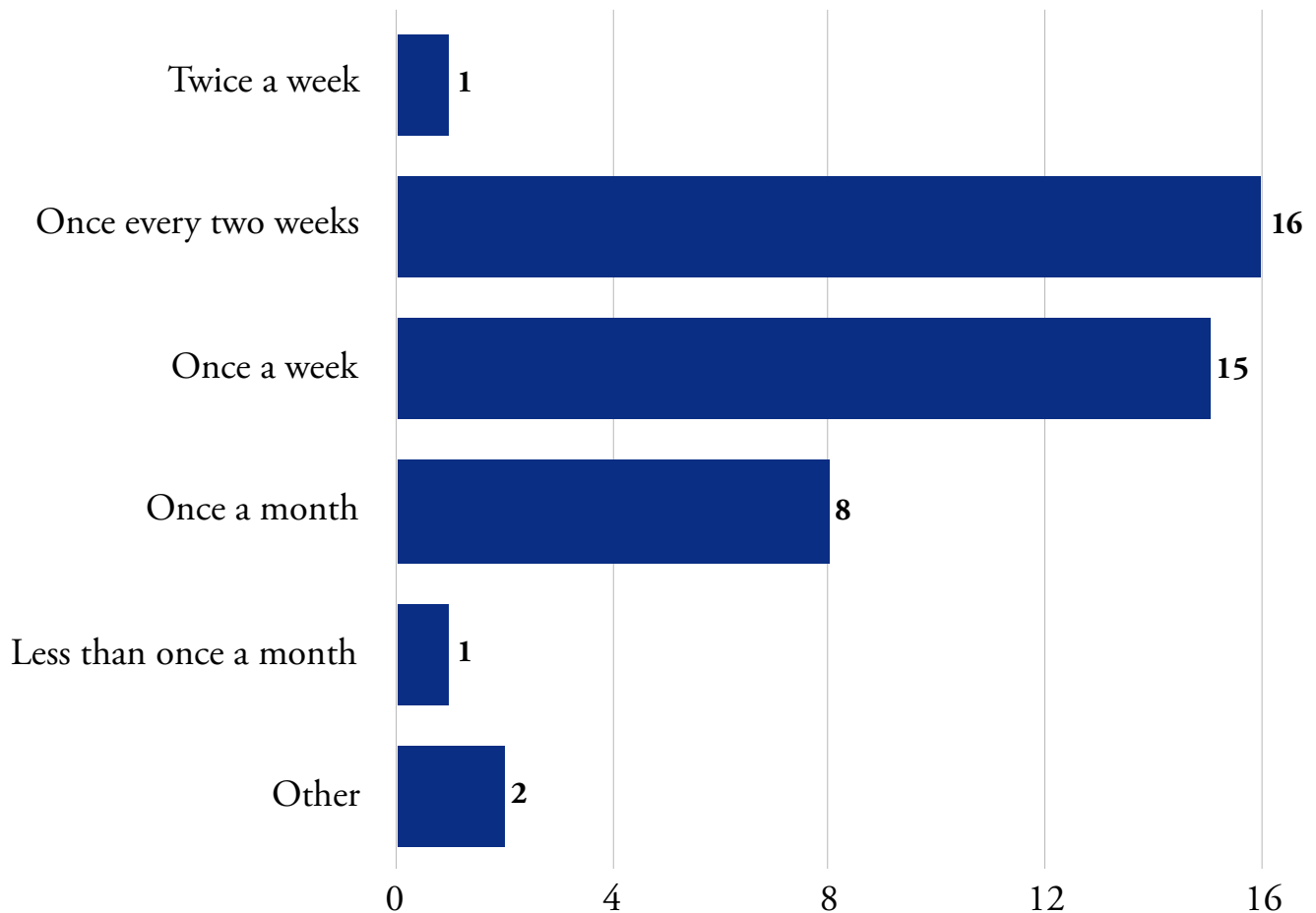


**11** NGs have a patron  
**13** NGs **do not** have a patron  
**19** NGs do not have a patron but wish to find one

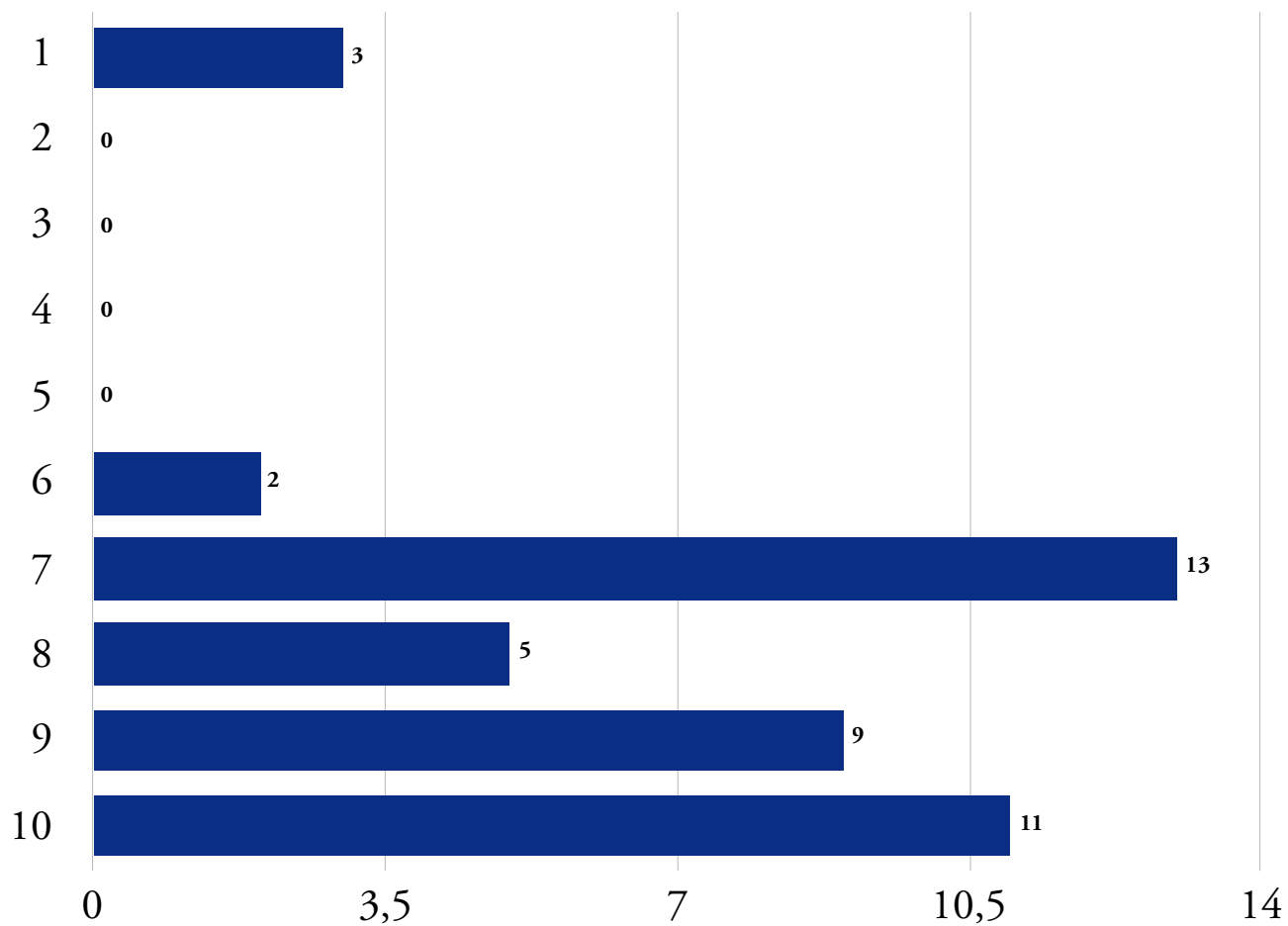


# BOARD MANAGEMENT, EXTERNAL RELATIONS AND EXPANSION

## Frequency of Board Meetings at the national level

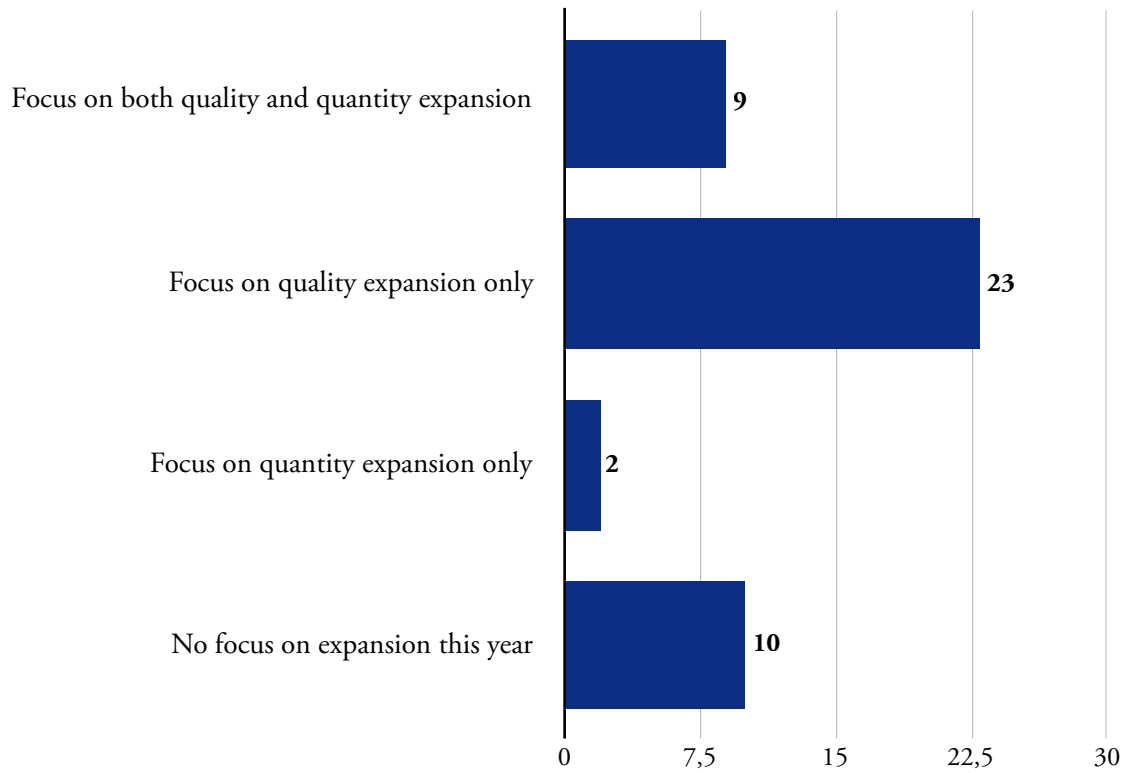


### Quality of cooperation within the National Boards



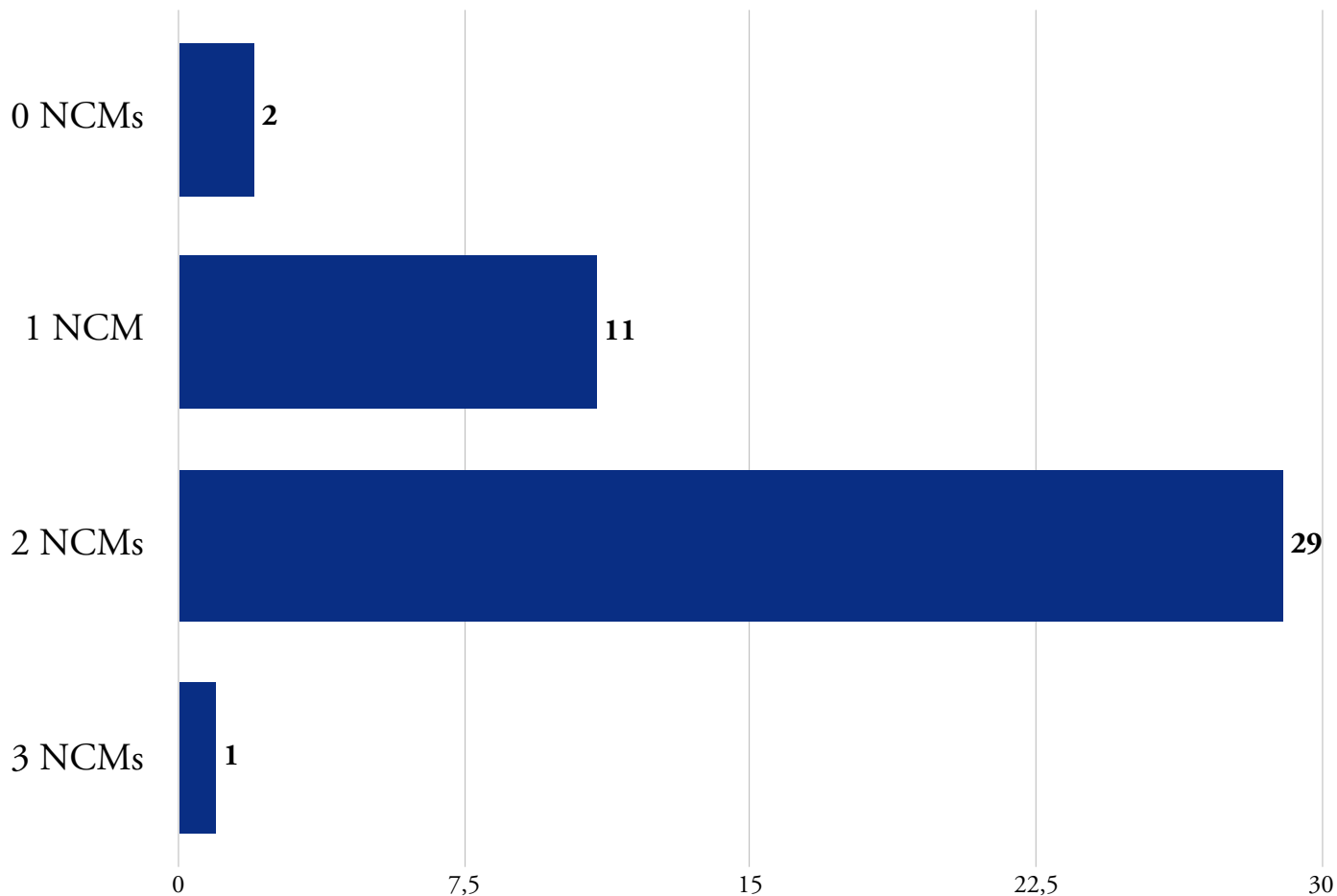
### Expansion focus in 2016/2017

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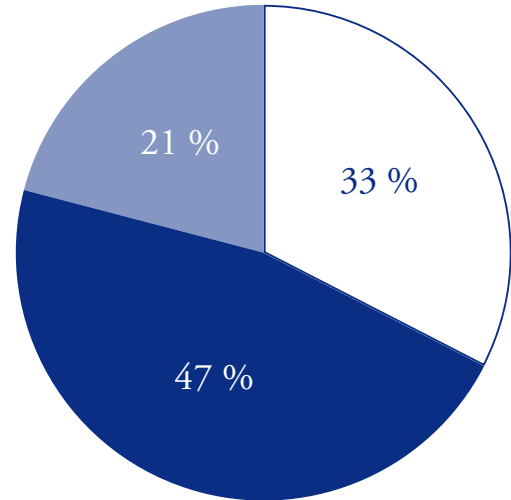
### National Council Meetings per term



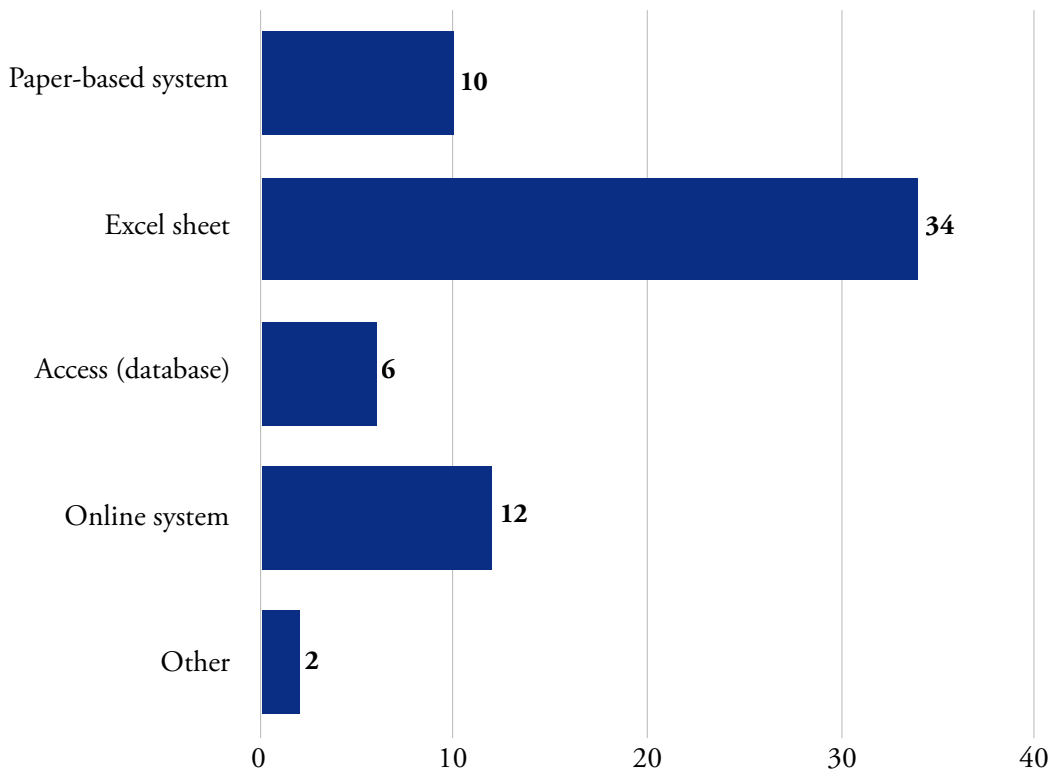
### National Officers' Meetings

14 NGs organise NOMs  
 20 NGs **do not** organise NOMs  
 9 NGs are thinking of establishing NOMs

○ Yes  
 ● No  
 ● No, thinking of establishing them

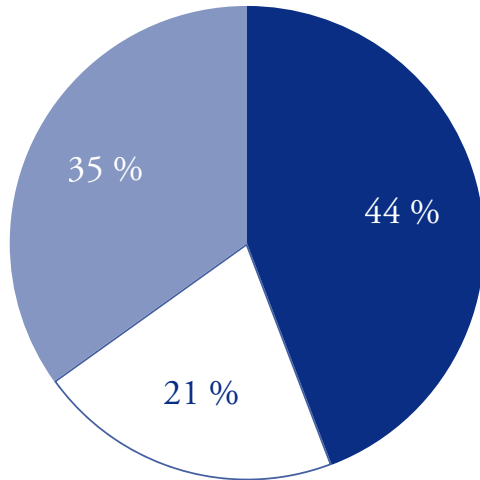


### Tools to keep track of individual members



### Alumni National Database

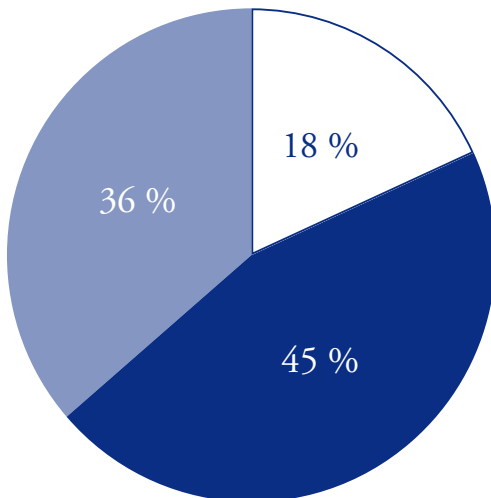
- Yes
- No
- No, but we wish to create it



19 NGs have an Alumni database  
9 NGs **do not** have an Alumni database  
15 NGs wish to set up an Alumni database

### Alumni National Alumni Association

- Yes
- No
- No, but we wish to create one



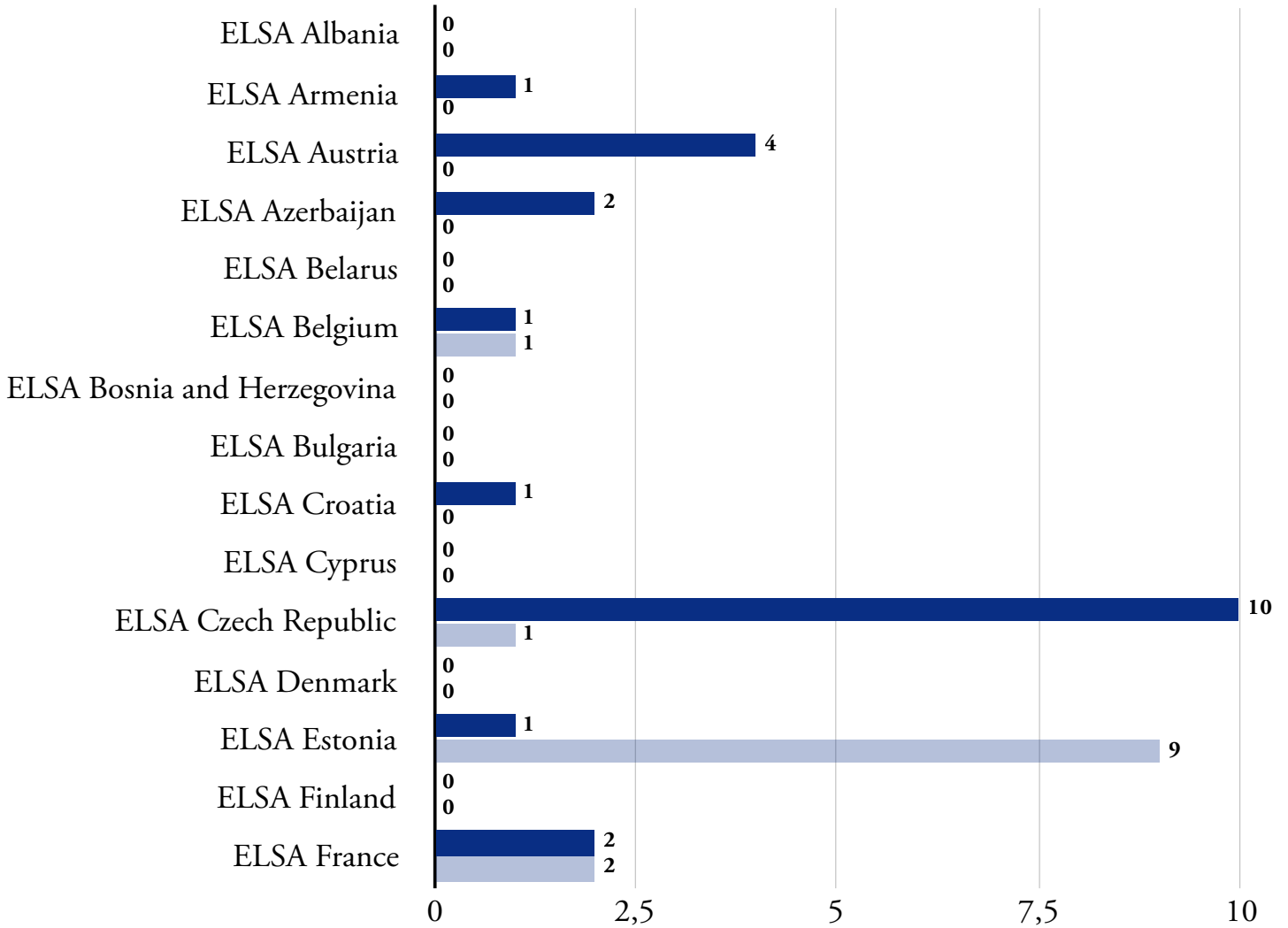
6 NGs have an Alumna Association  
15 NGs **do not** have an Alumni Association  
12 NGs wish to set up an Alumni Association

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### Training overview + trainings delivered by the ITP since 1<sup>st</sup> August 2016

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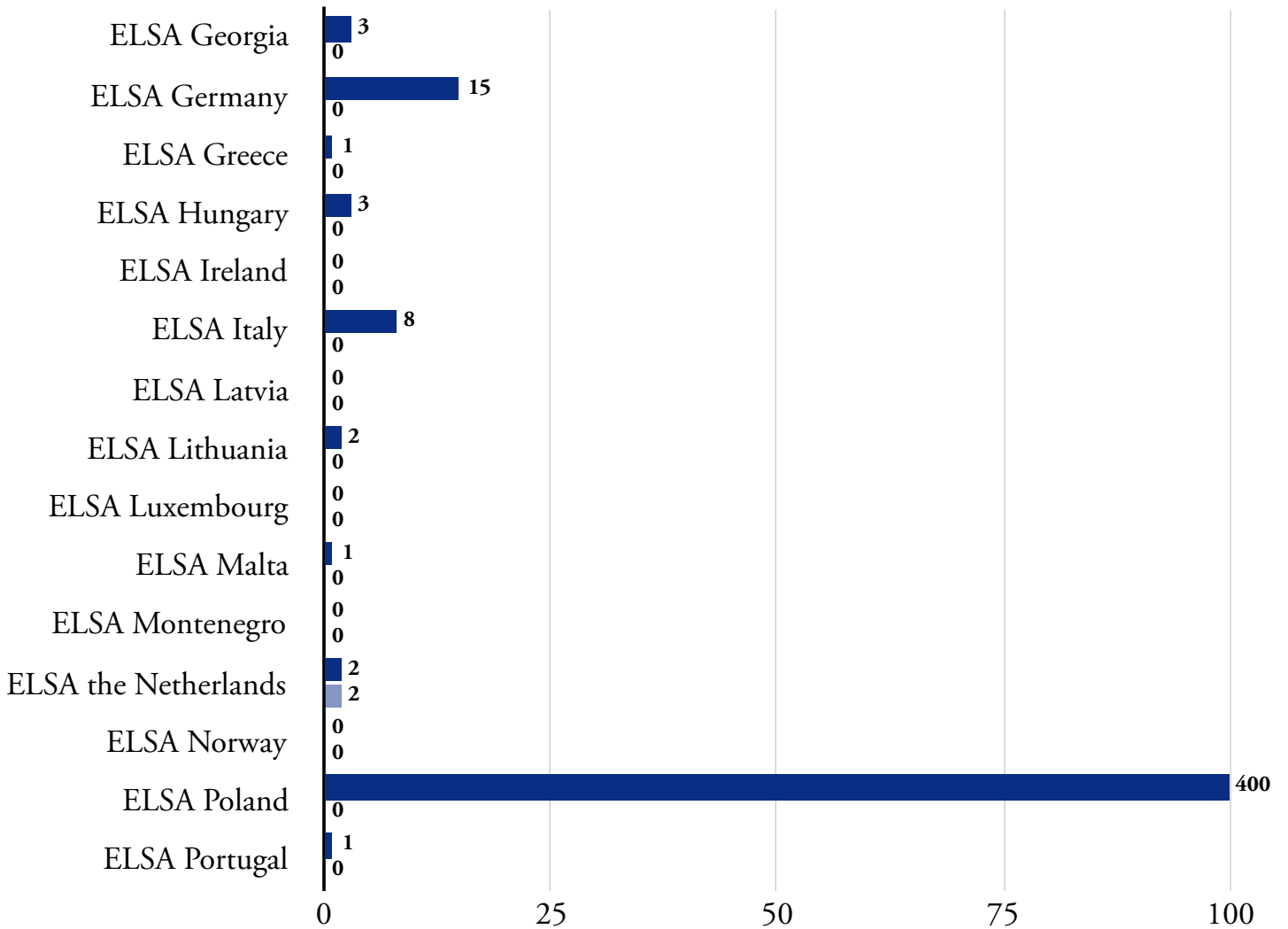


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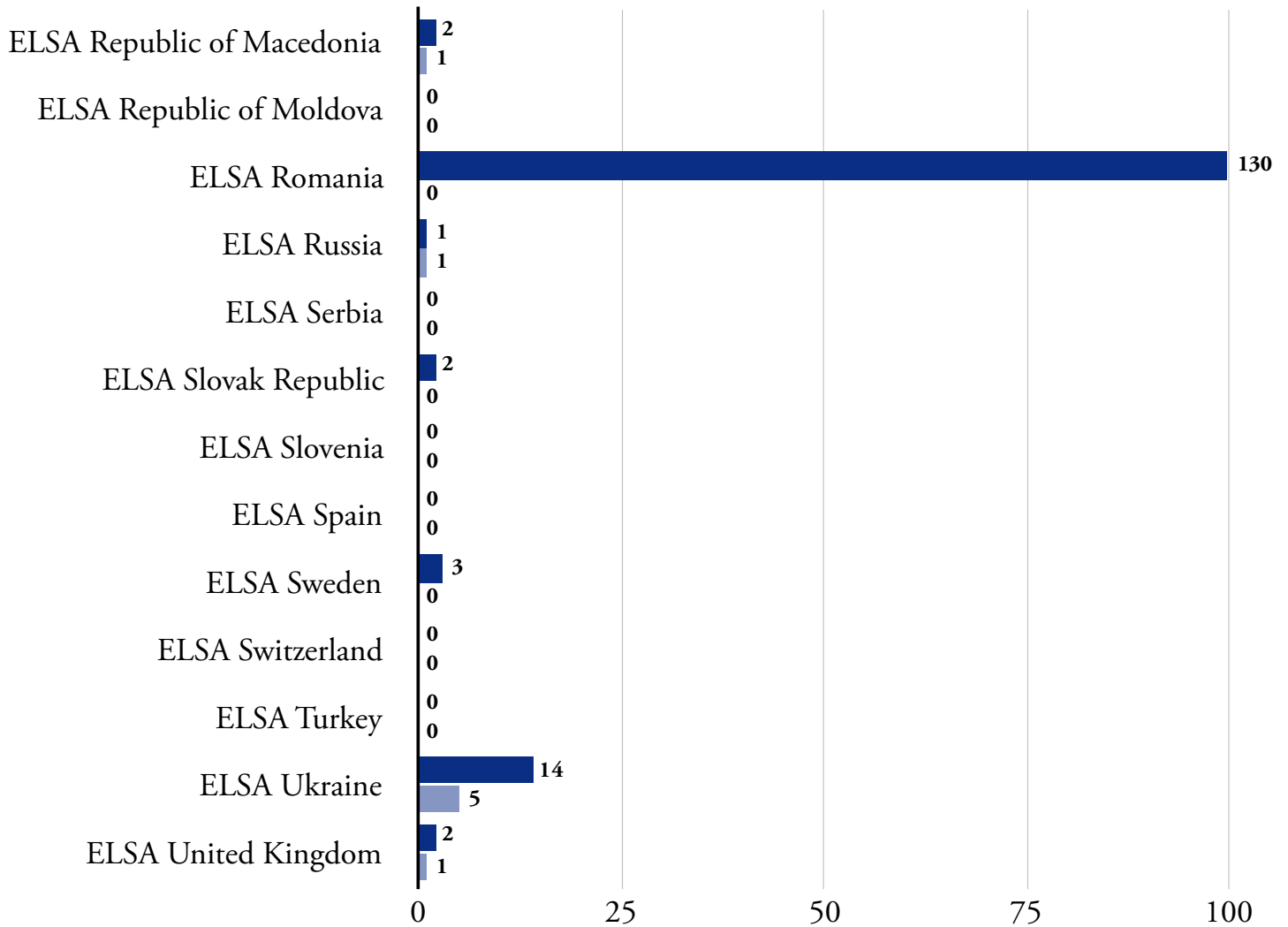
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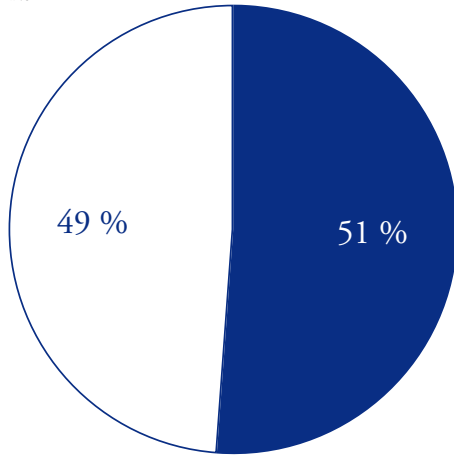
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### Training

National Groups planning on organising a training through the ITP

- Yes
- No

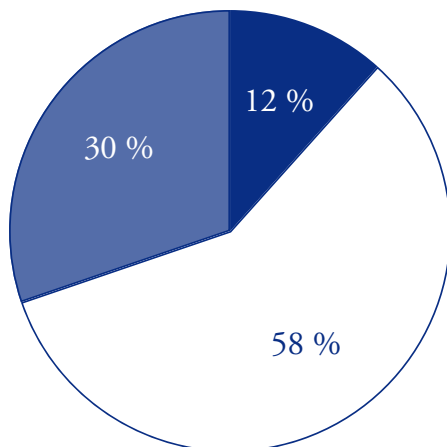


**22** NGs wish to have a training delivered by a trainer from the ITP  
**21** NGs **do not** wish to have a training delivered by a trainer from the ITP

### Training

National Groups having a National Trainers' Pool

- Yes
- No
- No, but we are planning on establishing one

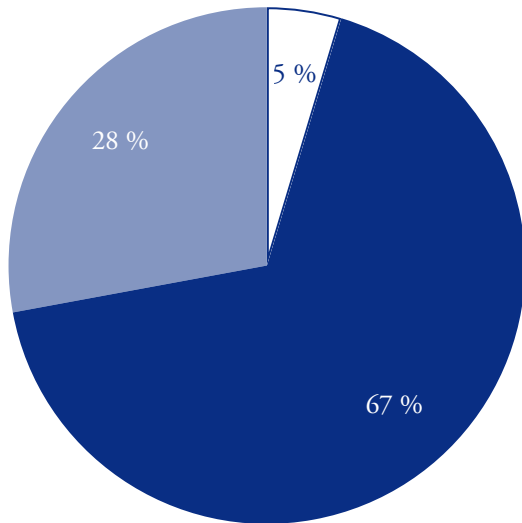


**5** NGs have a NTP  
**25** NGs **do not** have a NTP  
**13** NGs wish to establish a NTP

### Training

Officers' familiarity with the training website [www.elsa.org/training](http://www.elsa.org/training)

- No
- Yes, and I use it
- Yes, but I don't use it

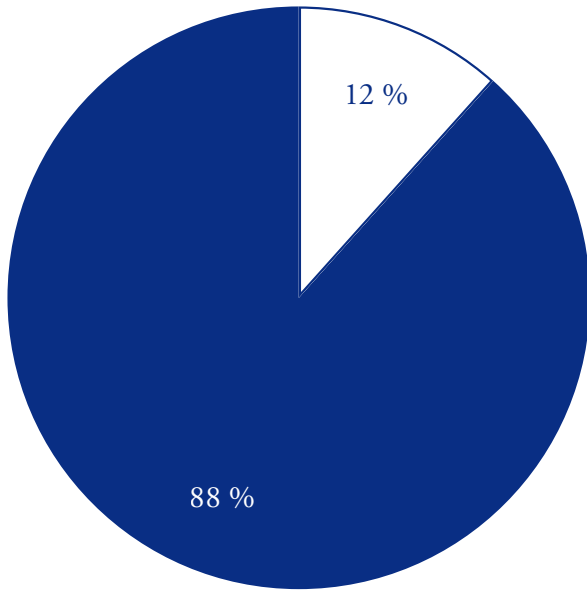


**29** NGs know it and use it  
**12** NGs **know it and don't use it**  
**2** NGs don't know it at all

### Human Resources

Officers' opinion regarding the Human Resources Strategy

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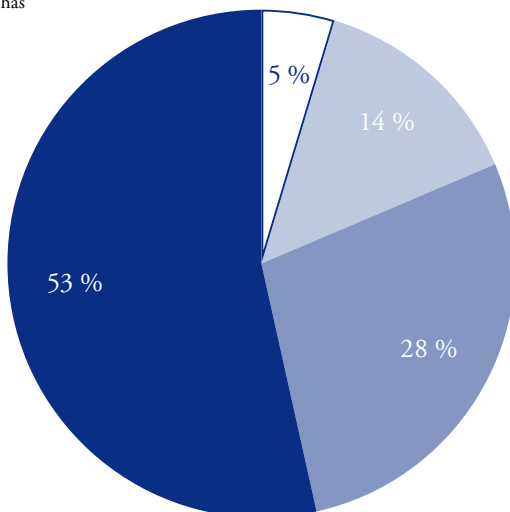
**38** NGs thinks it's a useful tool  
**5** NGs don't think it's useful

### Human Resources

Presenting the HR Strategy within national ELSA Networks

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- I don't know what it is
- No and we do not wish to present it
- No, it has not but we will present it in the future
- Yes it has

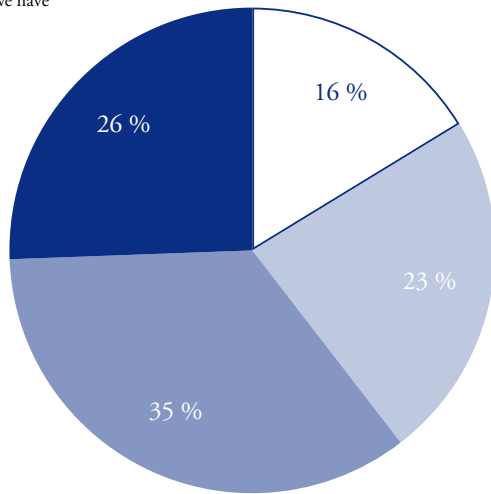


**2** NGs do not know what it is  
**6** NGs **do not wish to present it**  
**12** NGs wish to present it in the future  
**23** NGs presented HRS within their national networks

### Human Resources

National Groups and organisation of workshops/trainings about the HR strategy

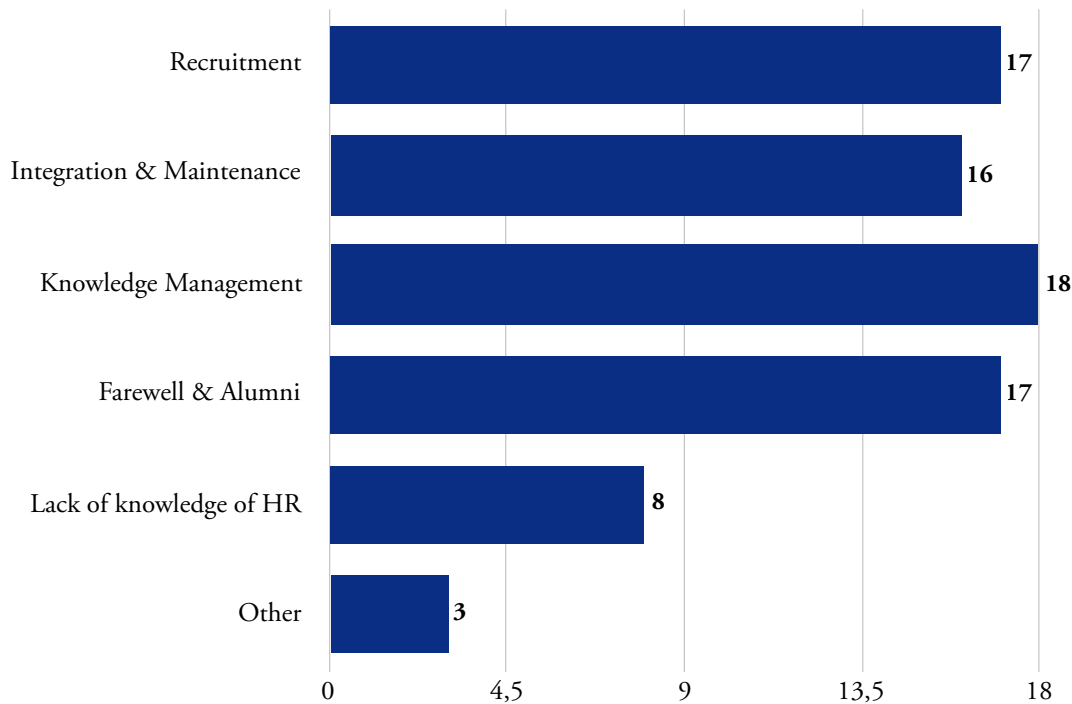
- No and we are not planning to have some
- No, but we are planning to have some
- Yes and we are planning on having more
- Yes, we have



7 NGs do not want WS/training about HRS  
 10 NGs plan to have WS/training about HRS  
 15 NGs have had a WS/training on HRS and will do it again  
 11 NGs have had a WS/training on HRS

### Human Resources

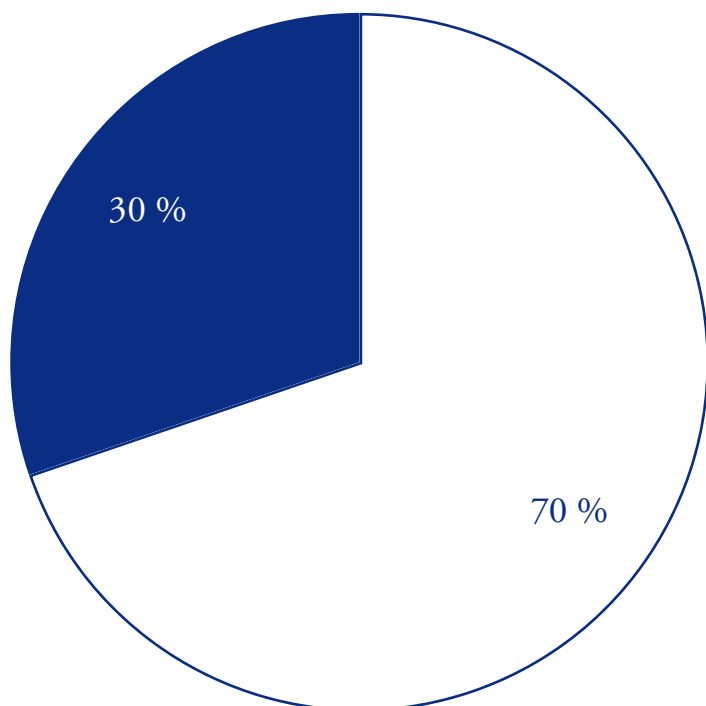
Most problematic cycles throughout the Network



### Human Resources

Number of officers responsible for HR at the international level

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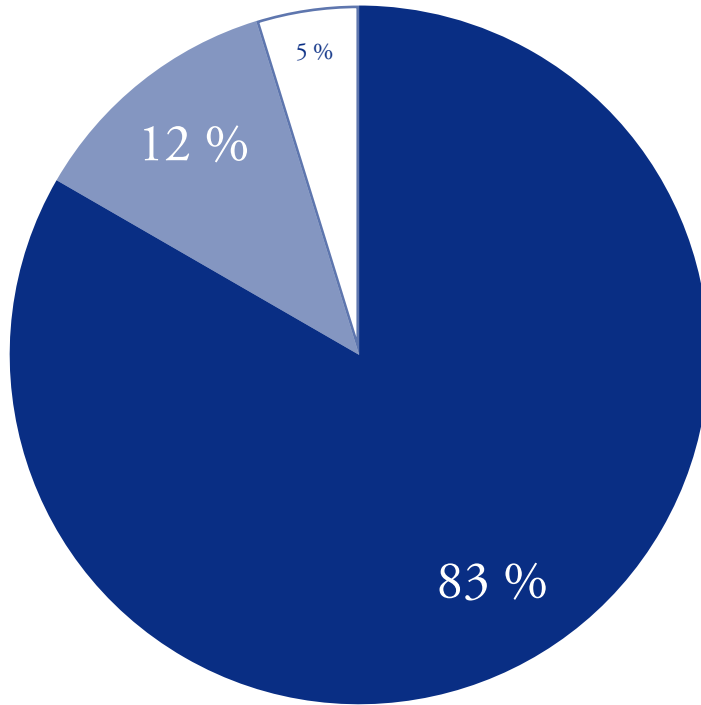


**30** NGs think we have enough officers  
**12** NGs think we need more officers

### Officers' Portal

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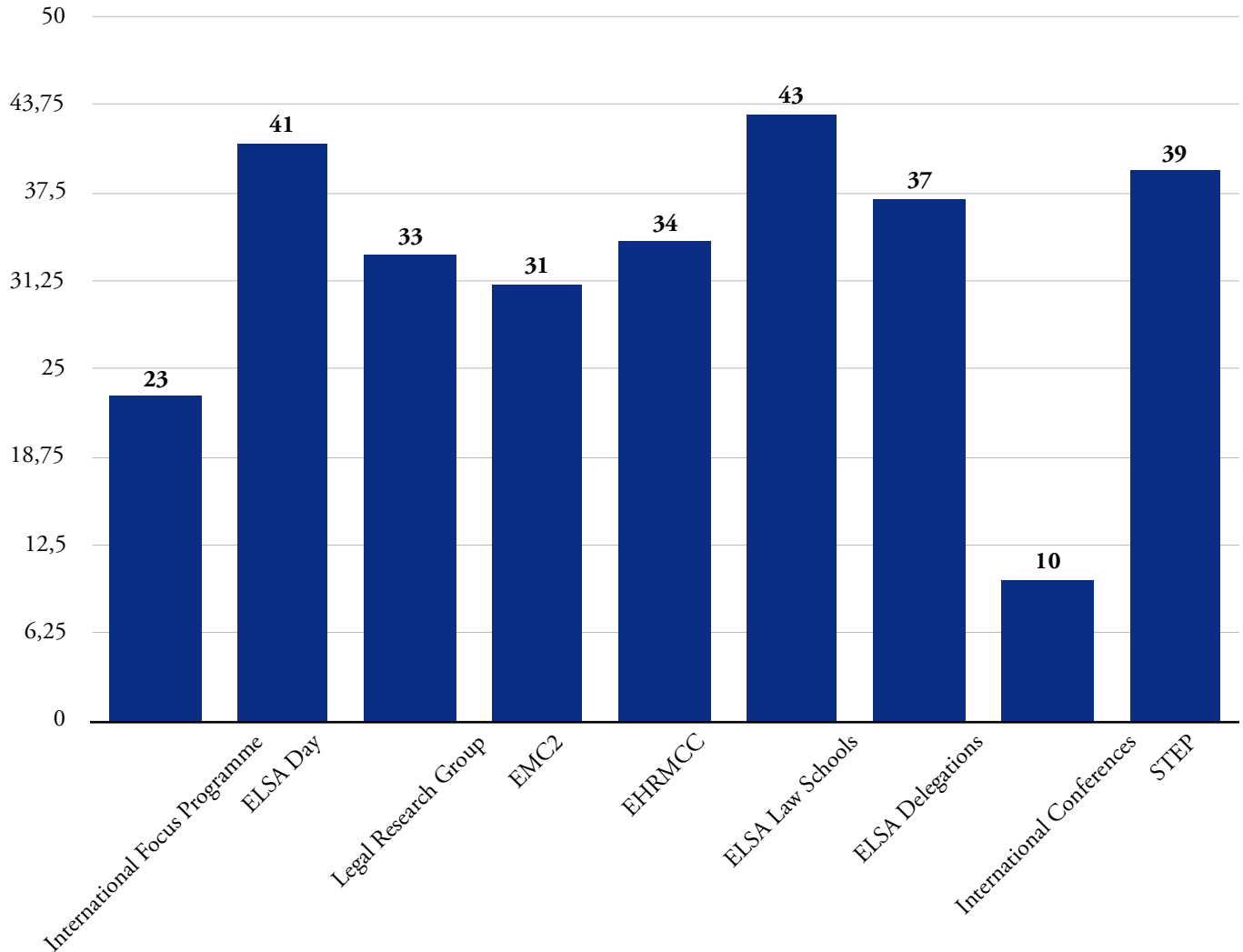
- Yes
- No
- We don't know what the officers' portal is



**35** NGs use the Officers' Portal  
**5** NGs do not use the Officers' Portal  
**2** NGs do not know the Officers' Portal

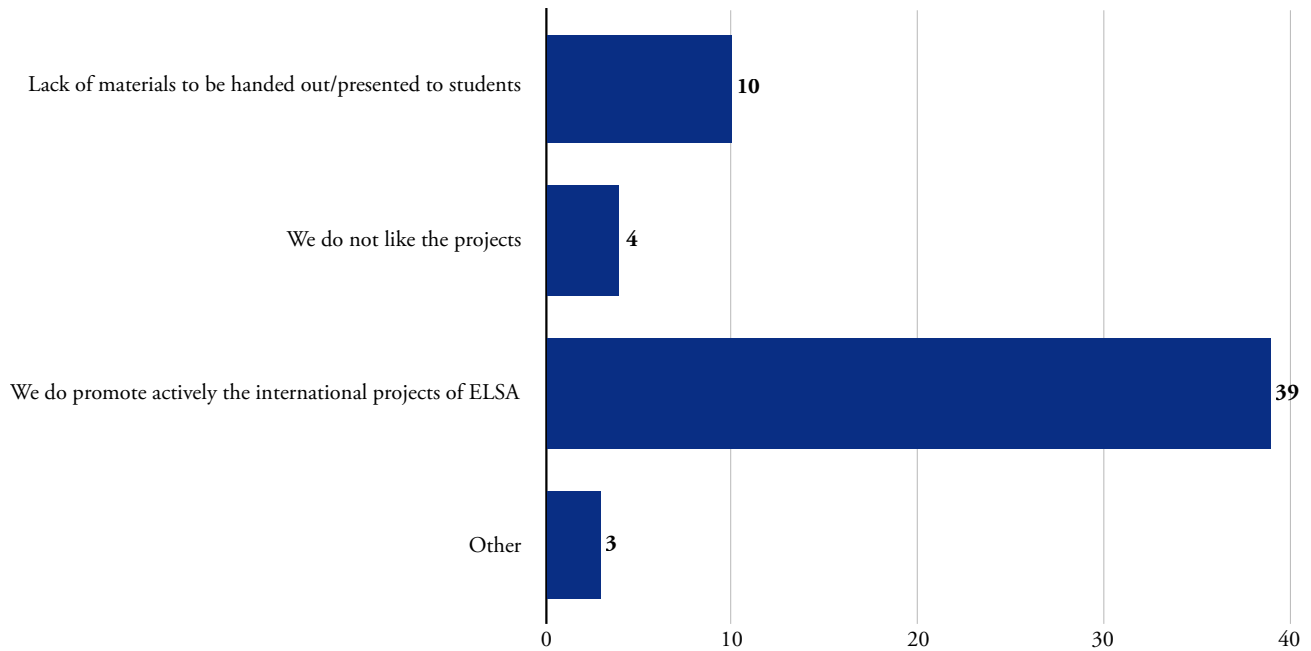
# MARKETING

## International projects actively promoted by the National Groups

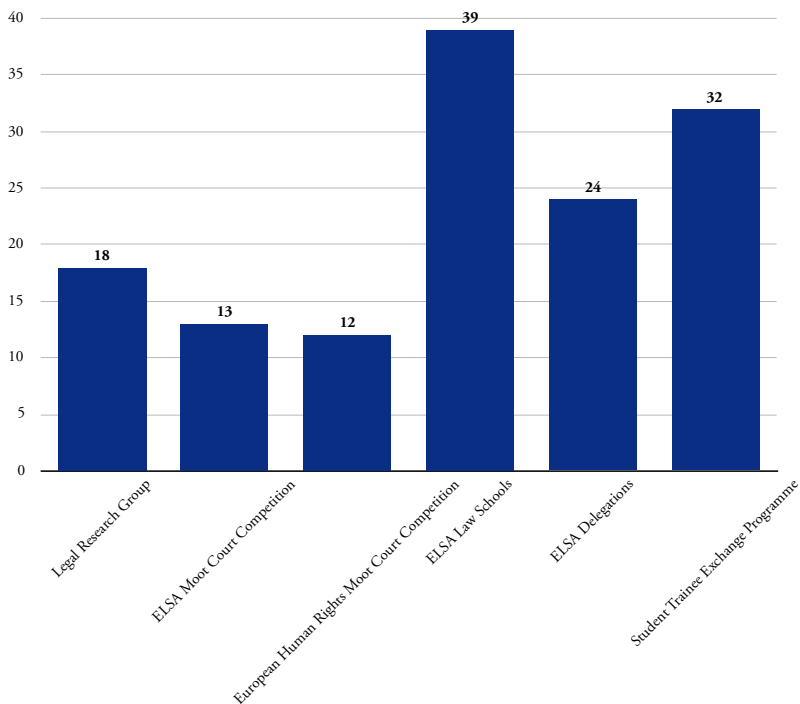




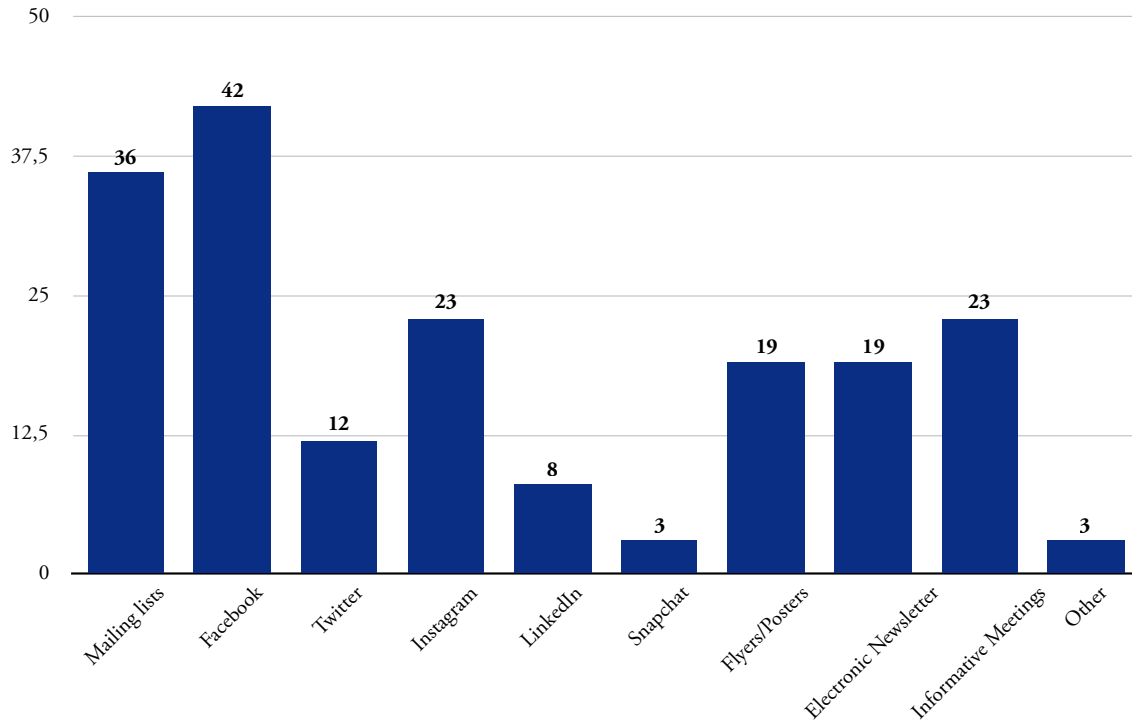
### Reasons for lack of promotion of some of the international projects



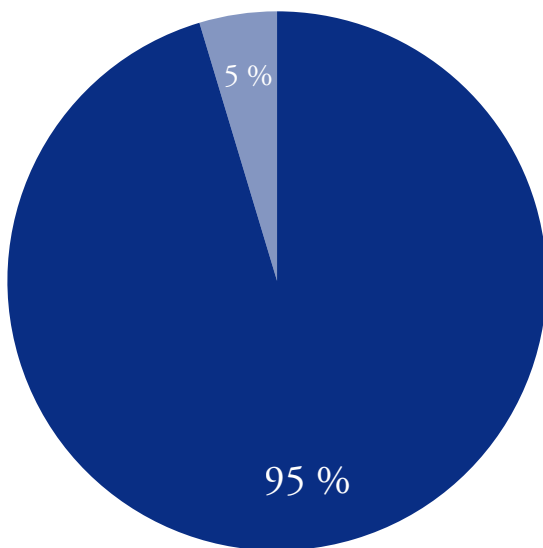
### Most appealing flagship projects



## Means of promotion

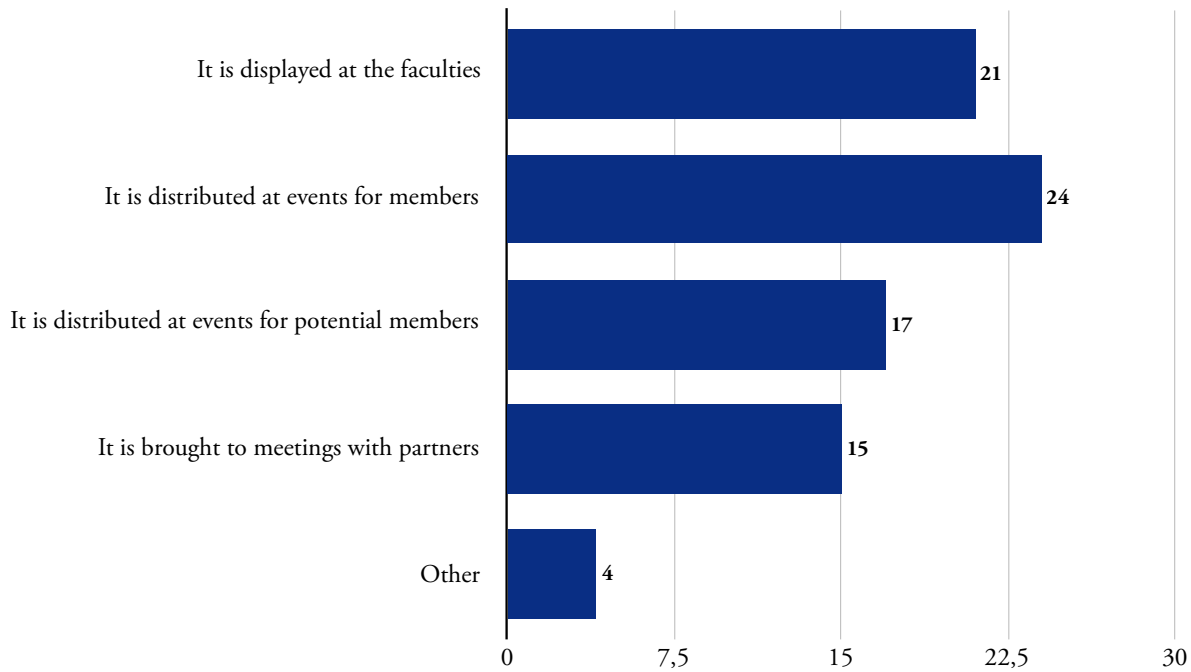


## Marketing kits

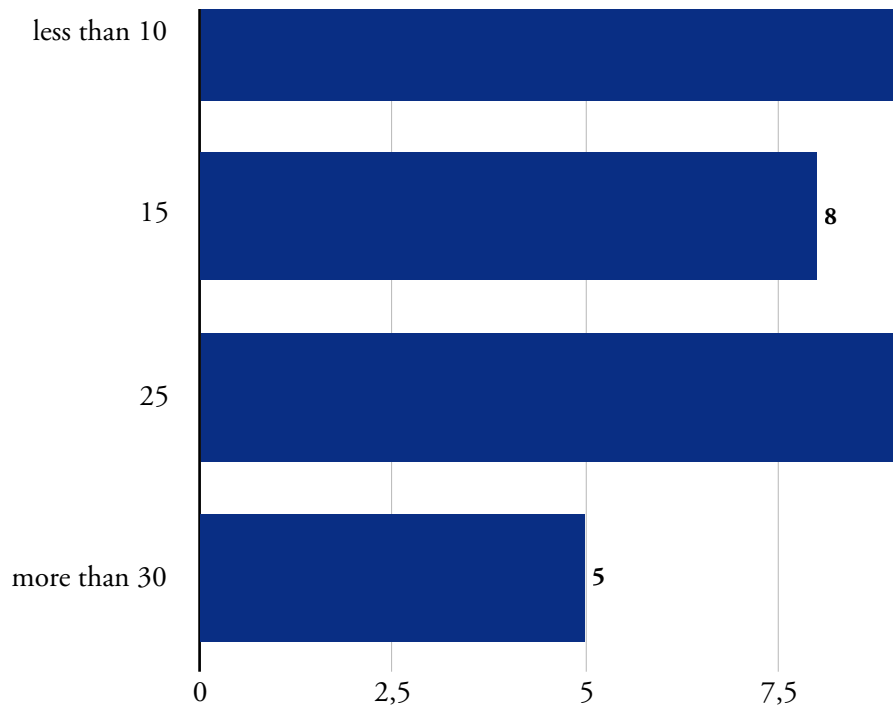


**41** NG would like to have marketing kits  
**2** NGs do not need marketing kits

### Use of Synergy Magazine

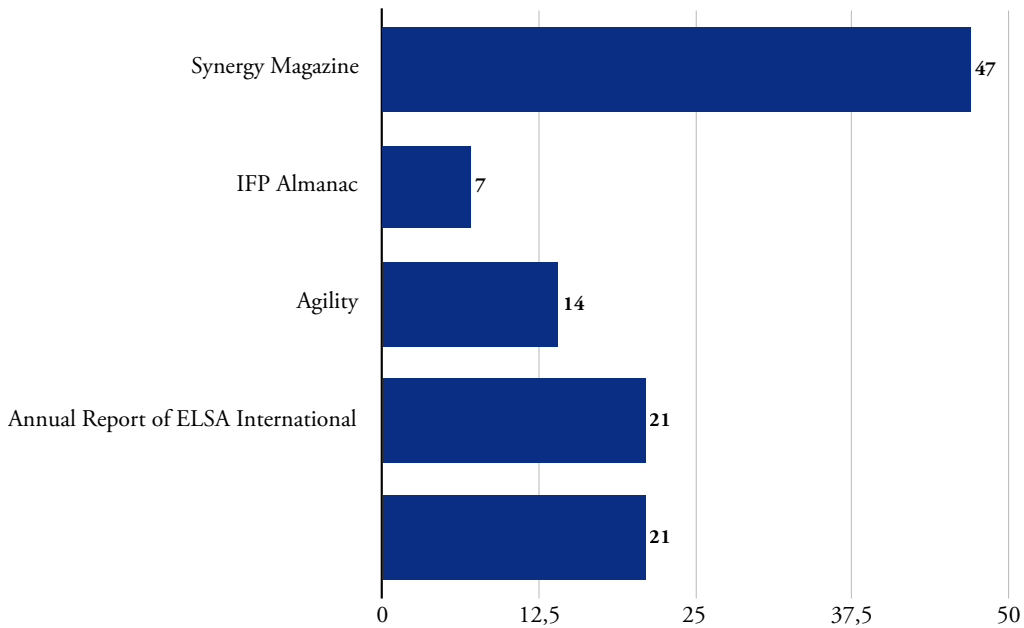


### Amount of Synergy Managazines needed in Local Groups



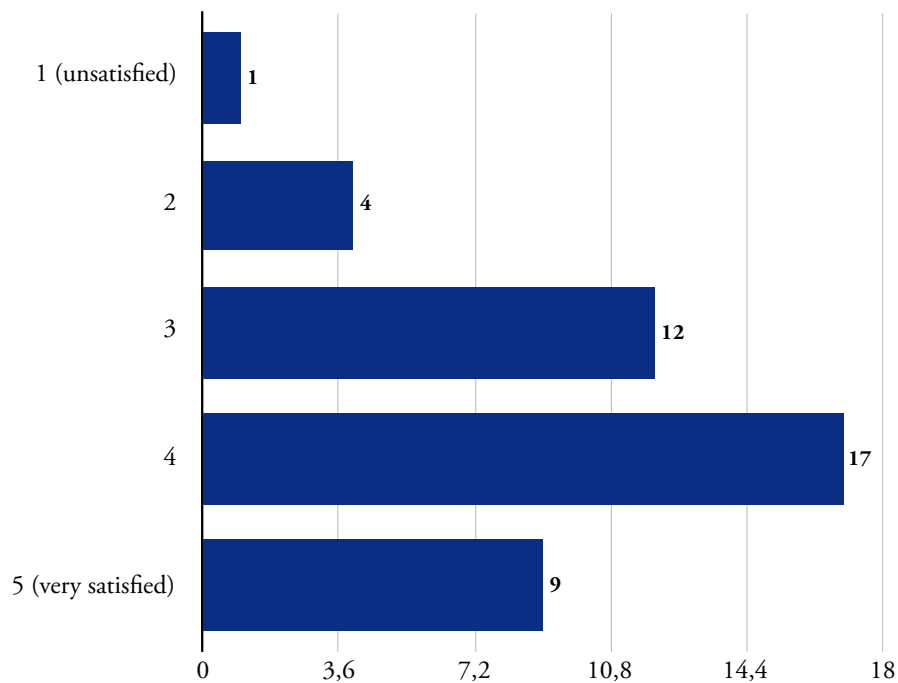
### Publications promoted within National Group

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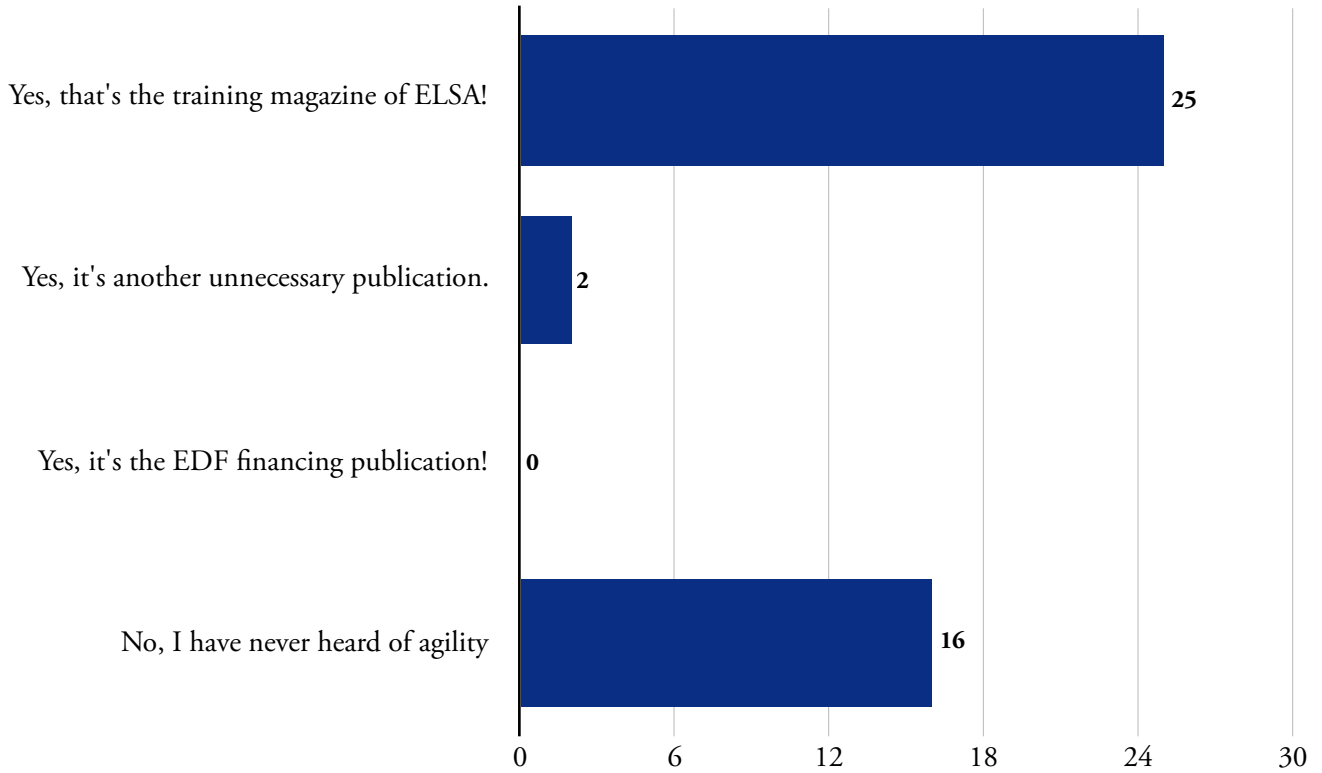


### General satisfaction with the Synergy Magazine

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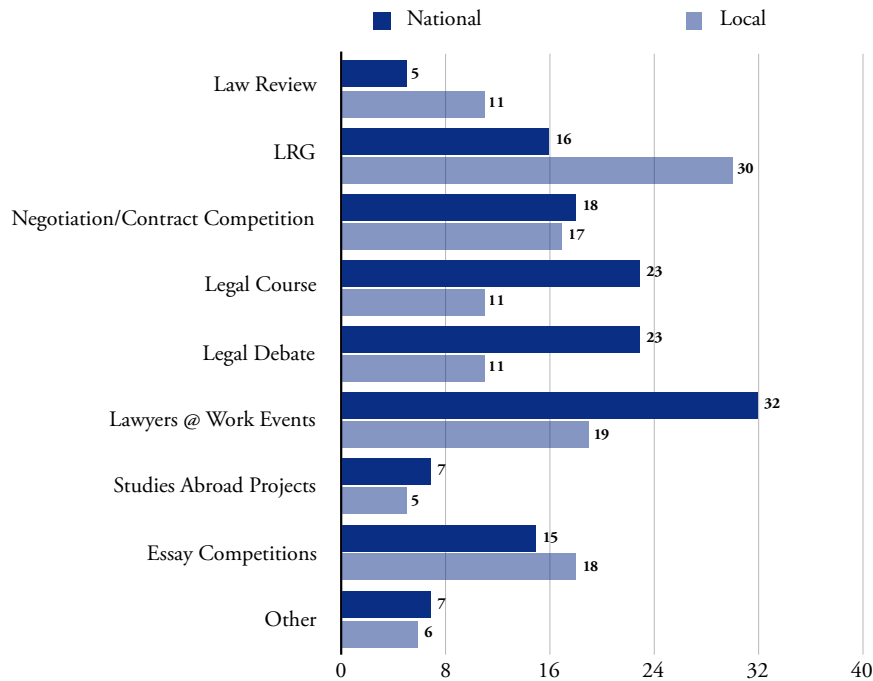


### Familiarity with Agility

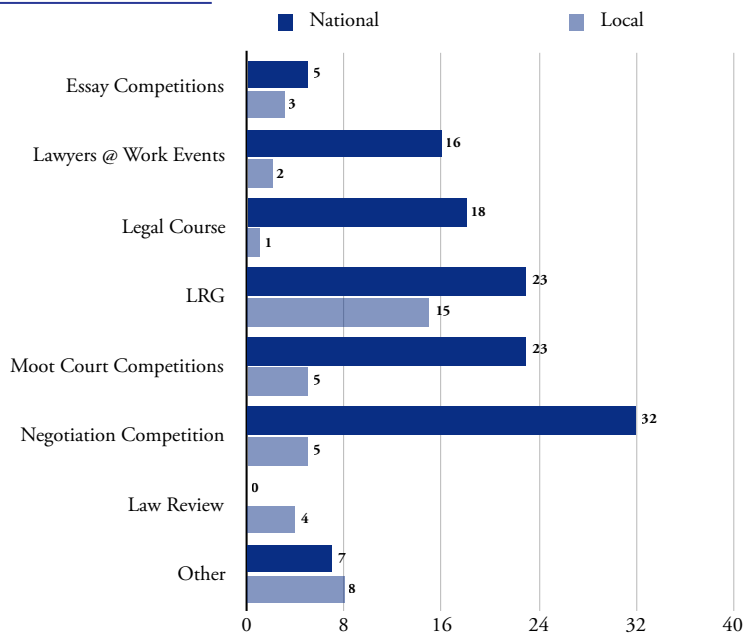


## ACADEMIC ACTIVITIES

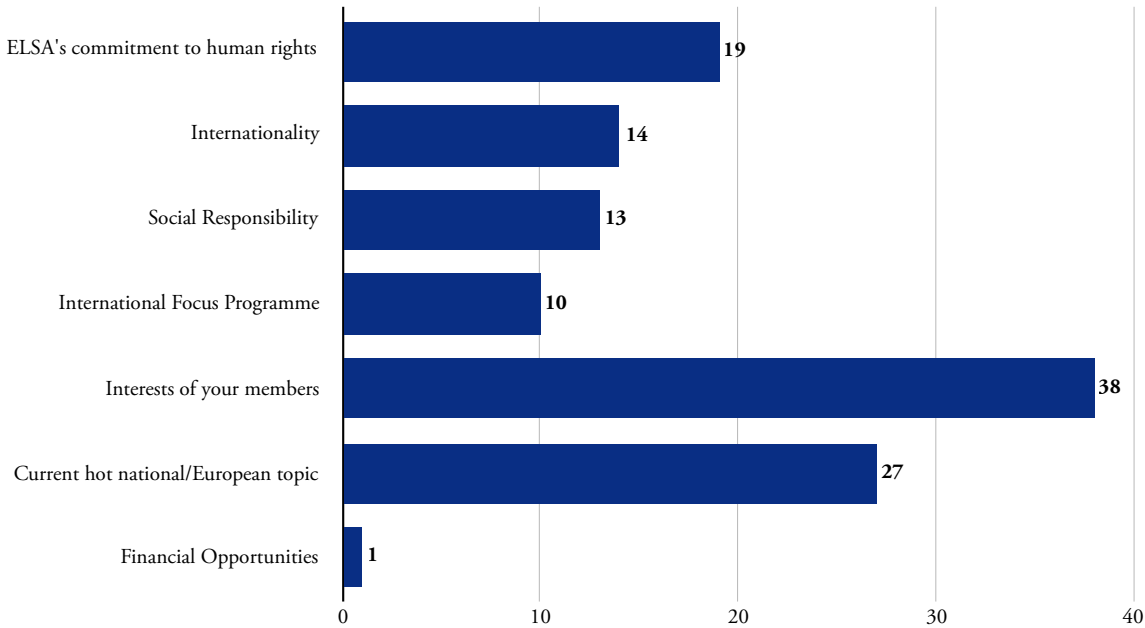
### AA events organised in the network



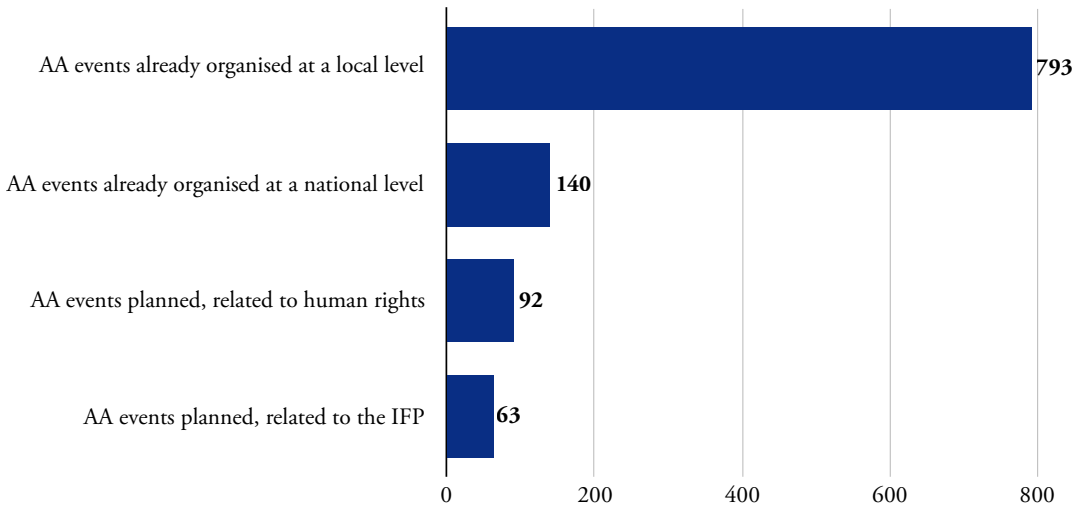
### Most important AA projects



## Motivation behind organising AA events

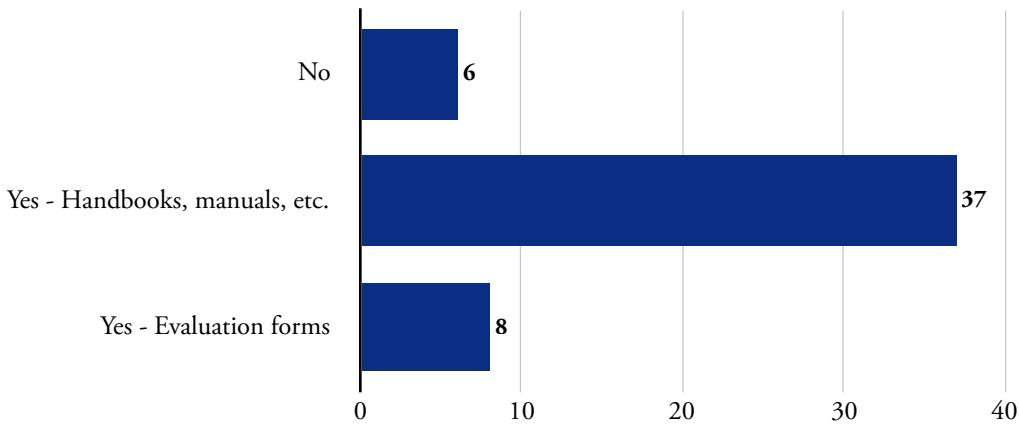


## AA events overview in 2016/2017



### Usage of tools provided by ELSA International

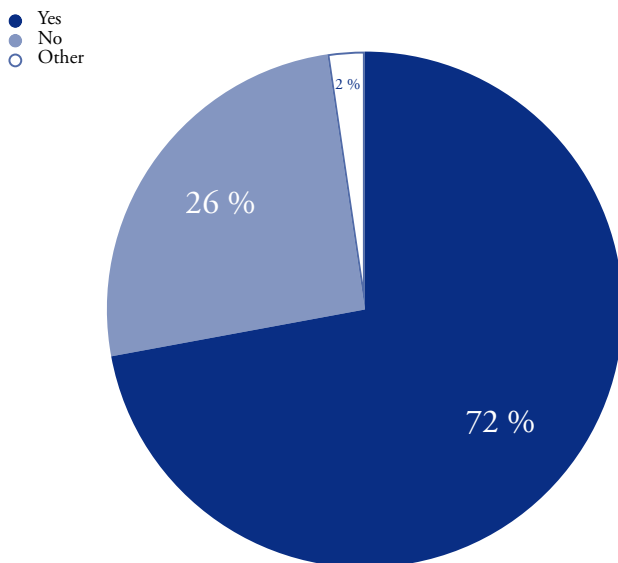
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### Visibility of International ELSA Projects amongst individual members

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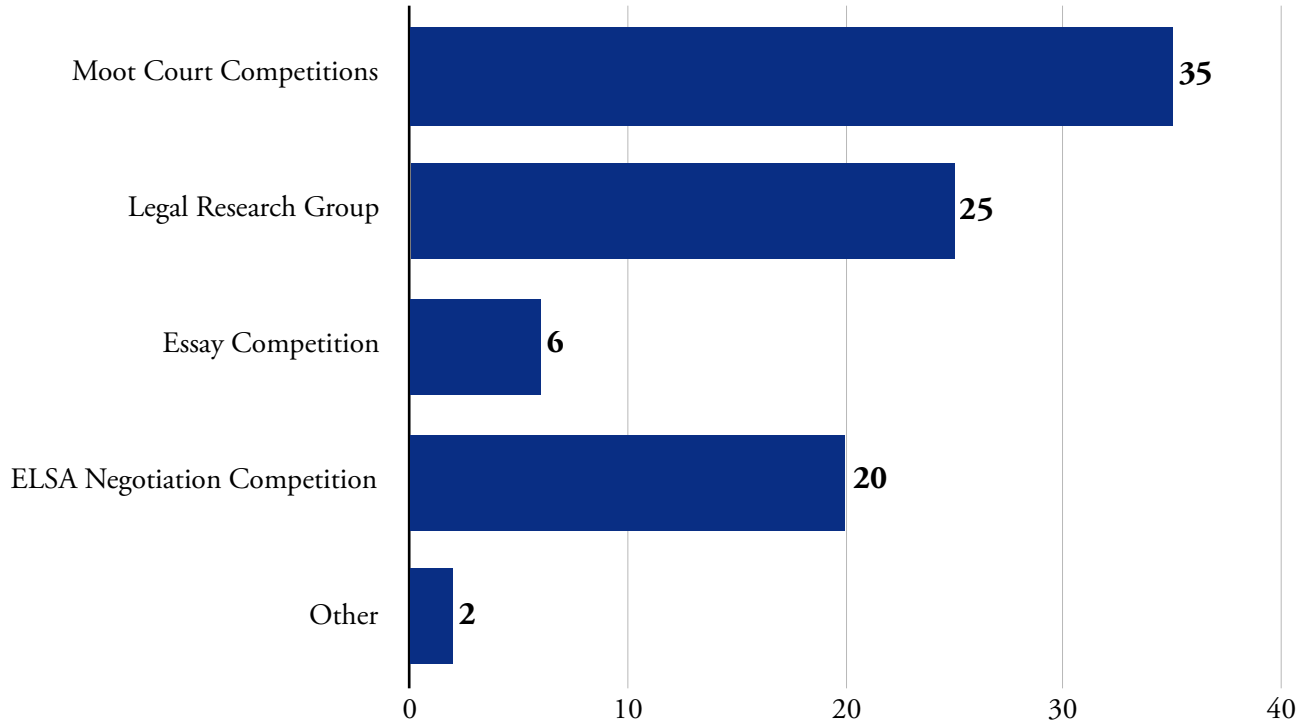
**31** NGs think international projects are visible amongst individual members  
**11** NGs **do not** think international projects are visible amongst individual members  
**1** other





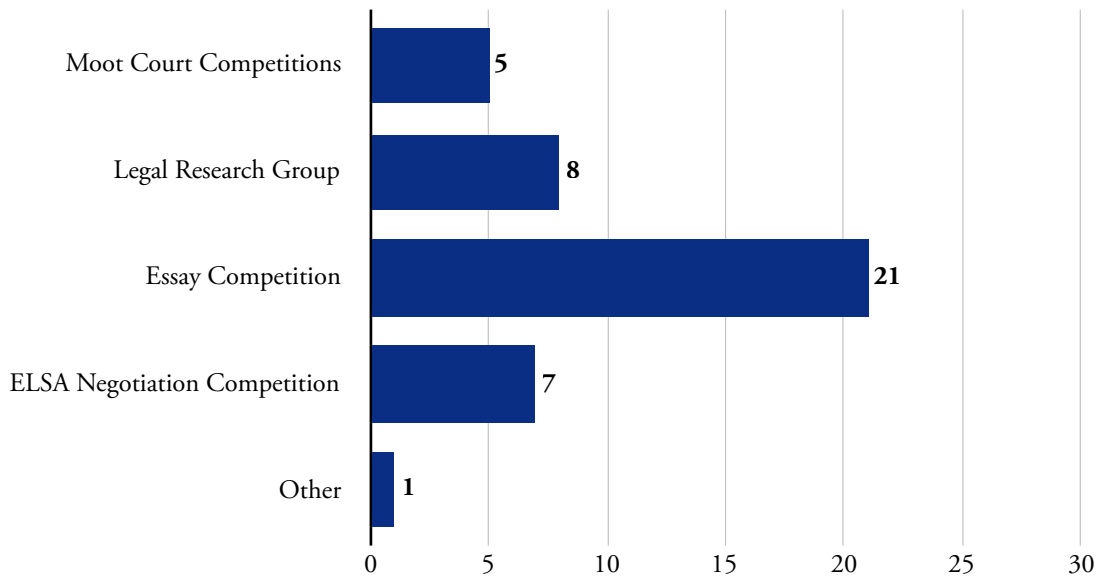
### ELSA projects that require further focus by ELSA International

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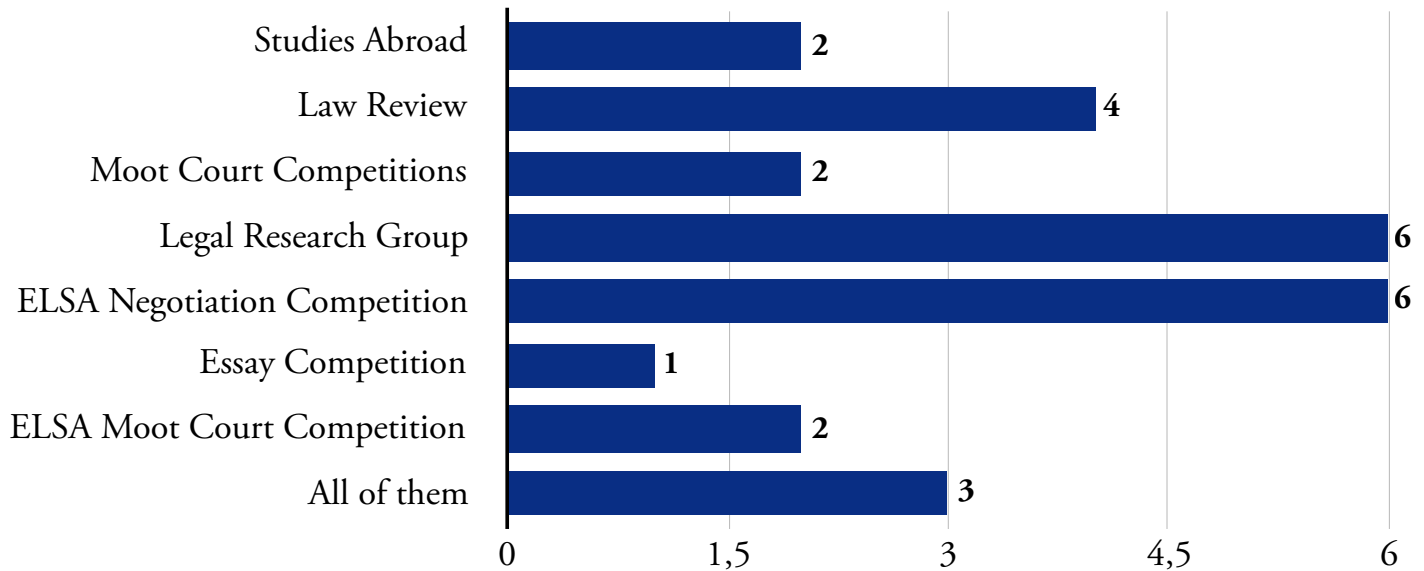


### ELSA projects ELSA International should not focus on

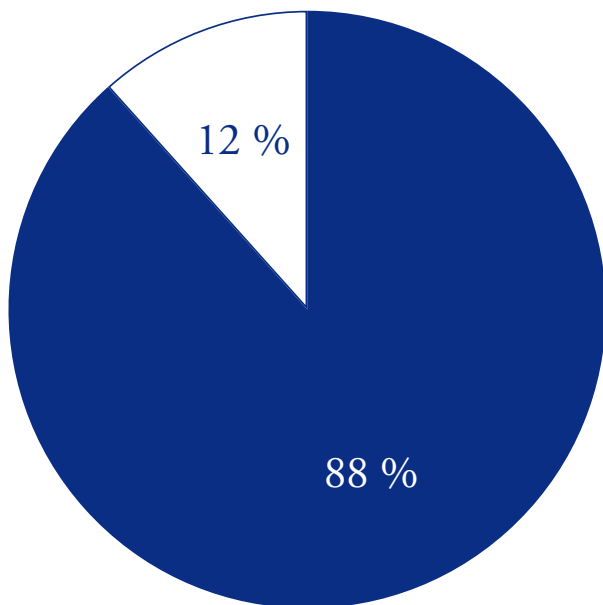
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### Projects requiring more information from ELSA International



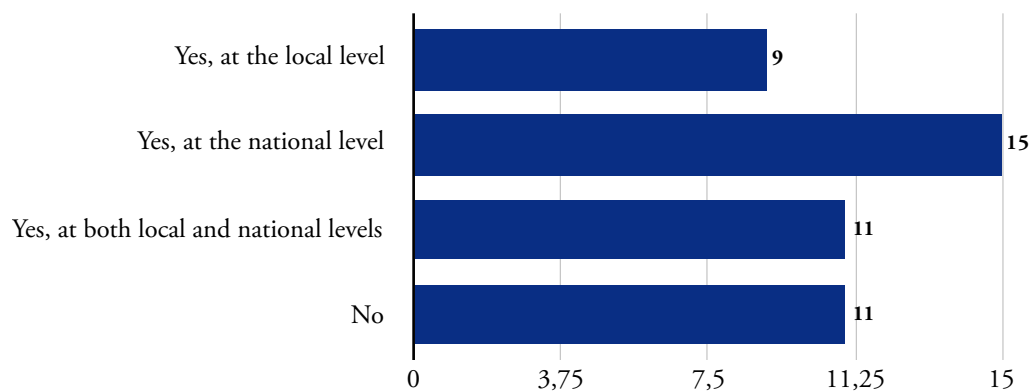
### NGs making use of partners of ELSA International when organising events



**38** NGs didn't make use of such partners  
**5** NGs made use of such partners

### Negotiation Competition

NGs planning on organising such event

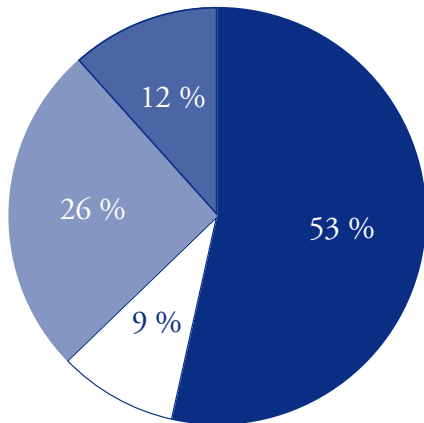


# MOOT COURT COMPETITIONS

## National Moot Court Competition

### National Groups organising Moot Court Competitions

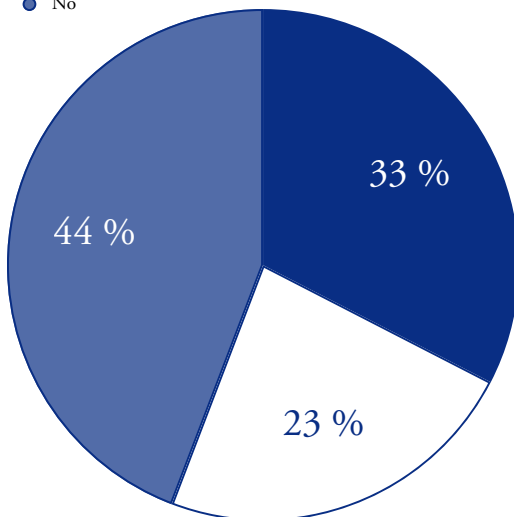
- Yes, it is organised by the National Board
- Yes, it is organised by a Local Group
- No
- No, we only have local moot court competitions



**23** NGs have a NMCC organised at the national level  
**4** NG have a NMCC organised at the local level  
**5** NGs have local MCCs  
**11** NGs **do not** have a NMC

## Responsible for Moot Court Competitions at the national level

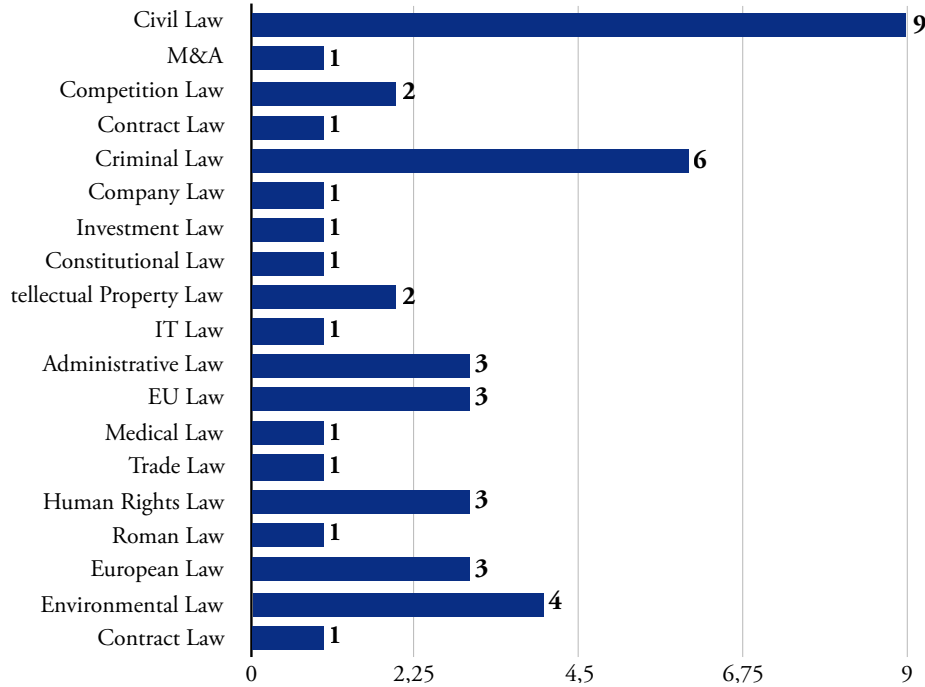
- VP MCC
- Director
- No



**14** NGs have a Vice President for Moot Court Competitions  
**10** NGs have a Director for Moot Court Competitions  
**19** NGs **do not** have a position mainly responsible for Moot Court competitions

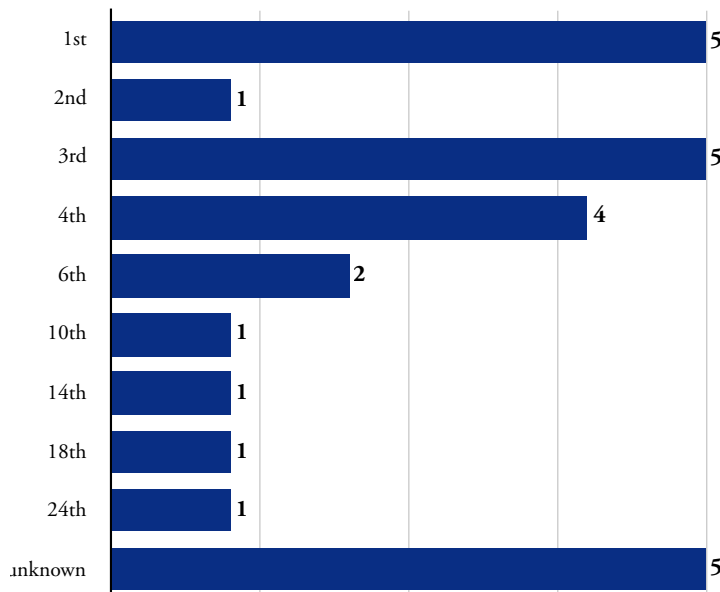
### National Moot Court Competitions

#### Fields of law

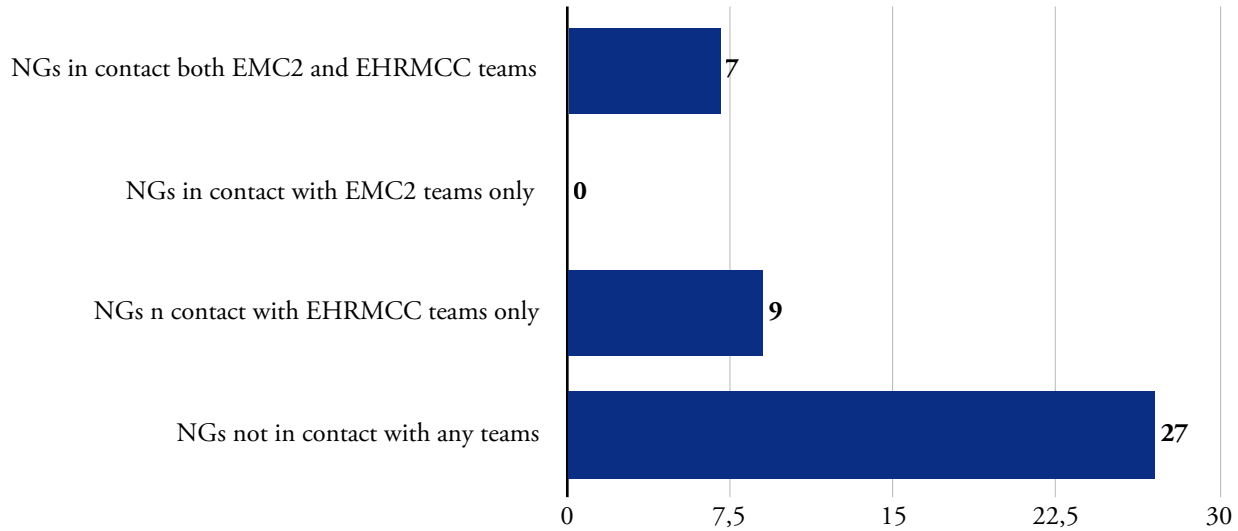


### National Moot Court Competitions

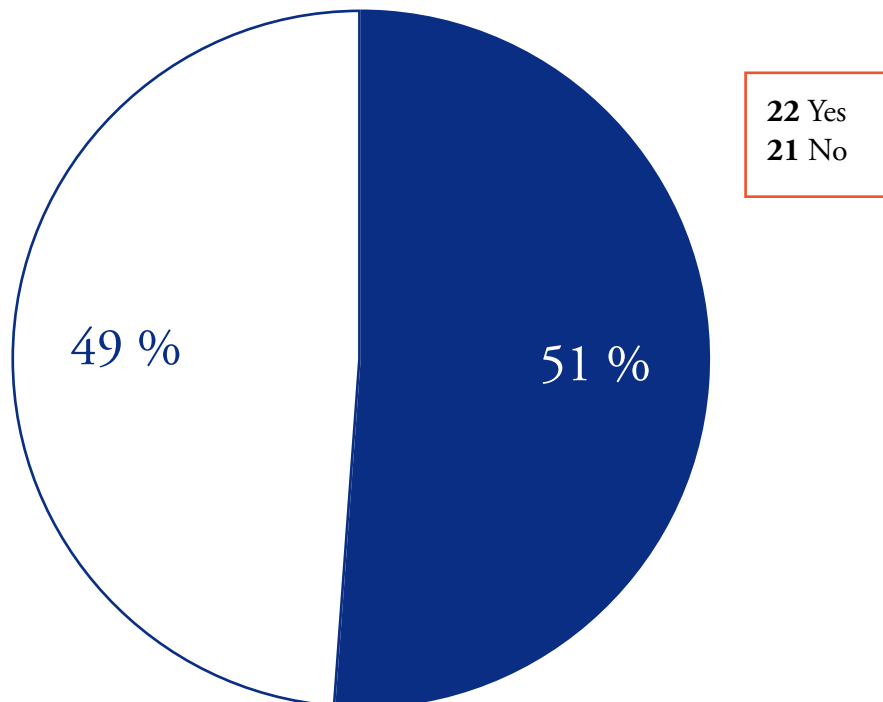
#### Editions



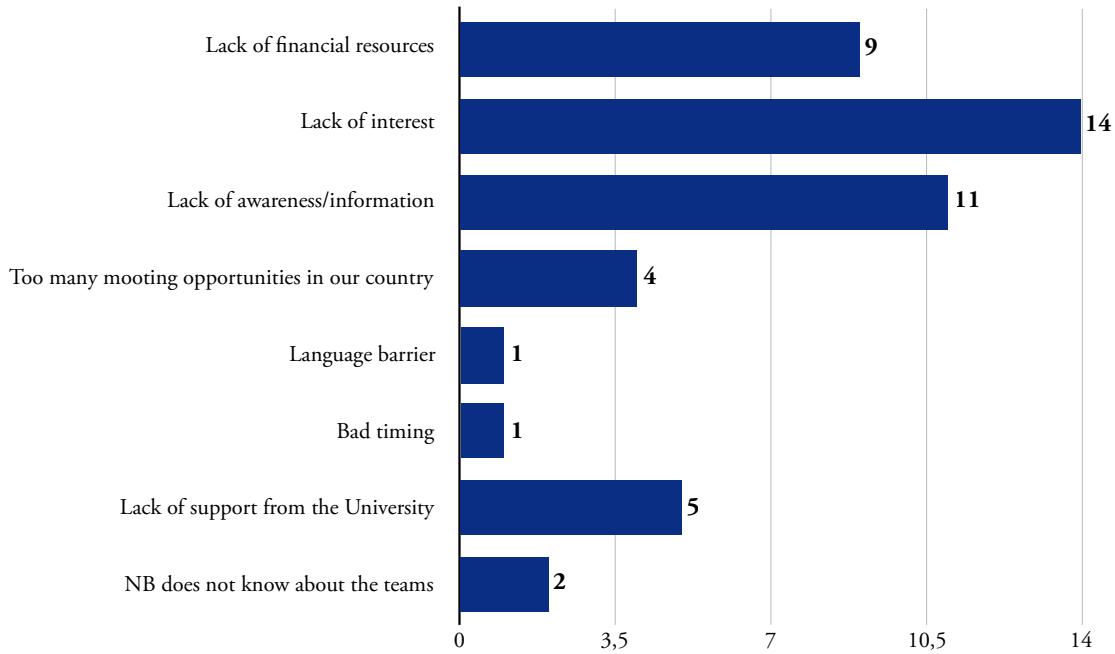
### Communication with teams participating in EMC2 and EHRMCC



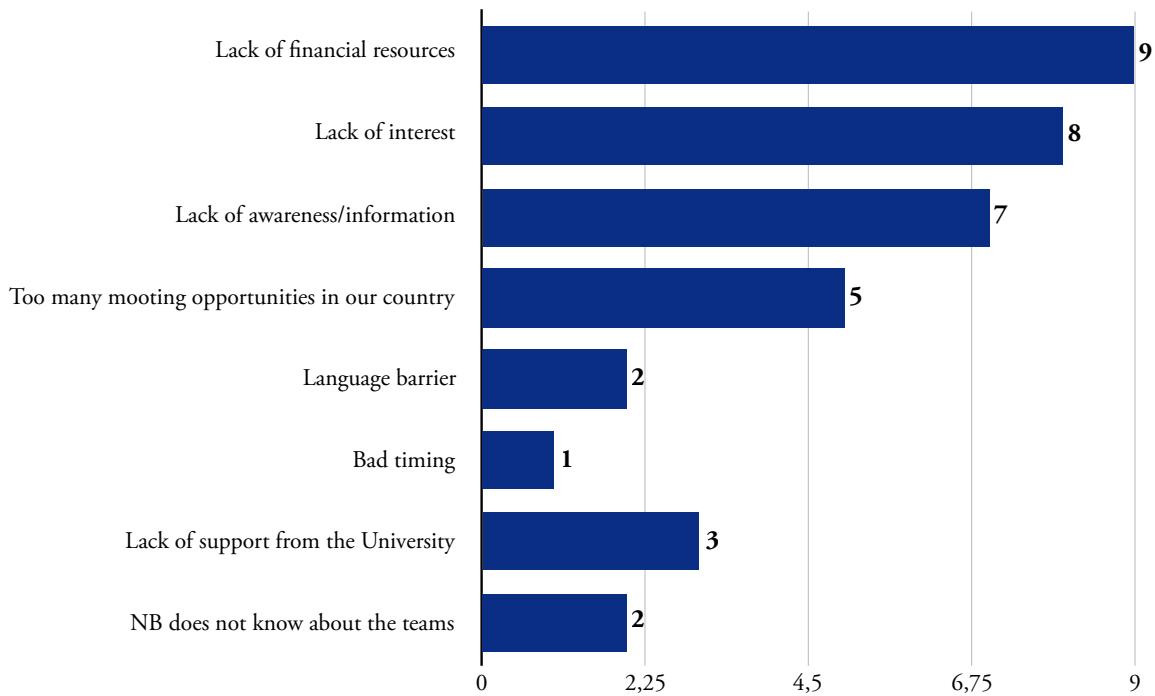
### Would you like to have more guidance from the VP MCC?



### EMC2's obstacles



### EHRMCC's obstacles

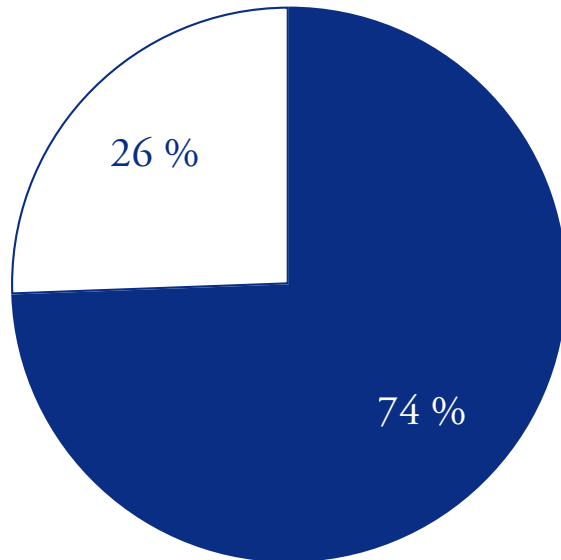


### Pre-moots

Are you aware of the pre-moots?

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- Yes
- No

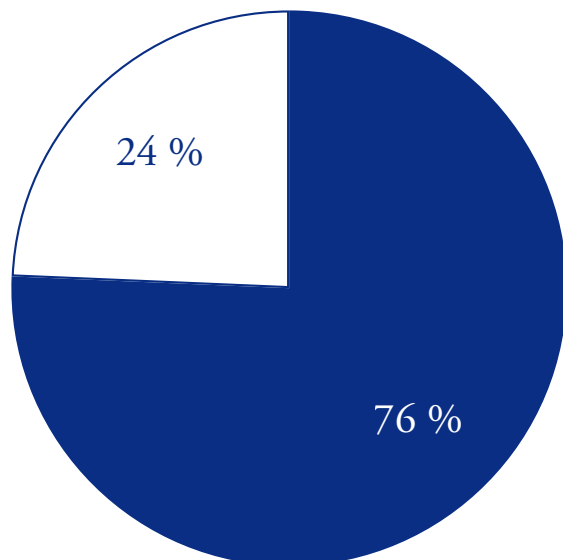


### Pre-moots

Did you manage to get your team to the pre-moots?

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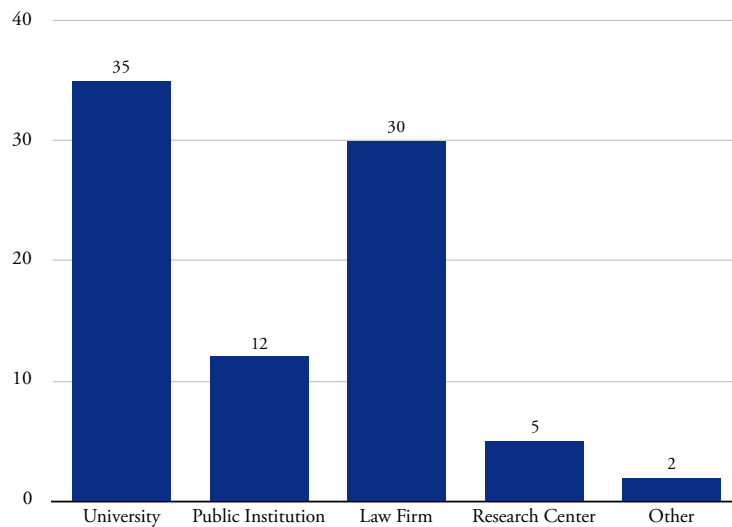
- No
- Yes



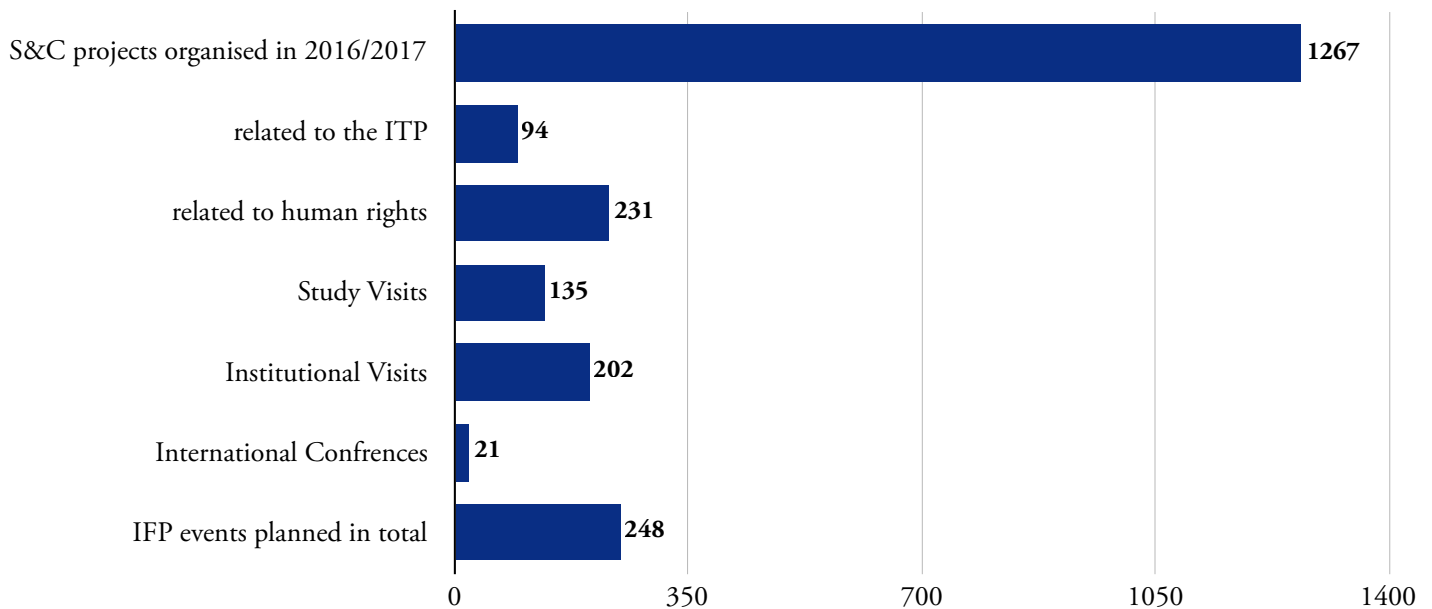


# SEMINARS & CONFERENCES

## Partners of S&C projects within respective national networks



## S&C projects overview 2015/2016

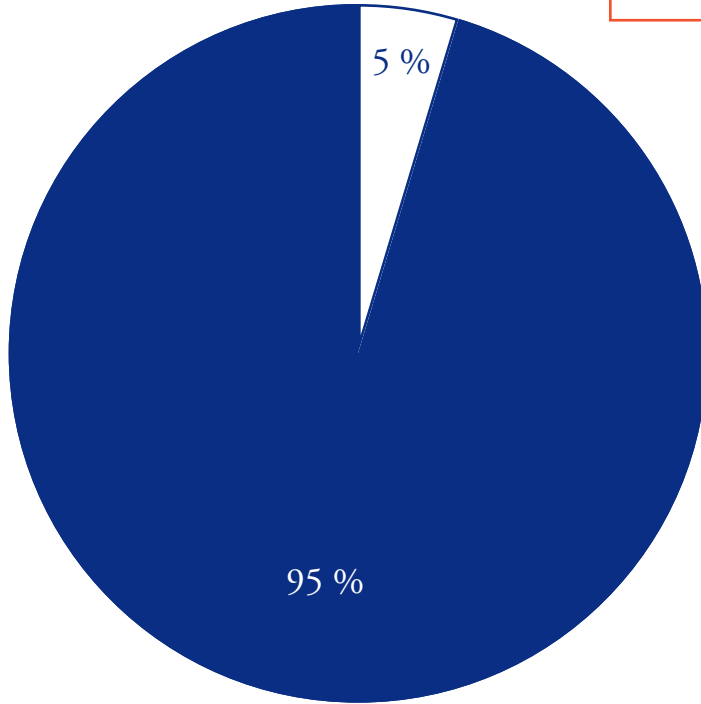


### Webinars

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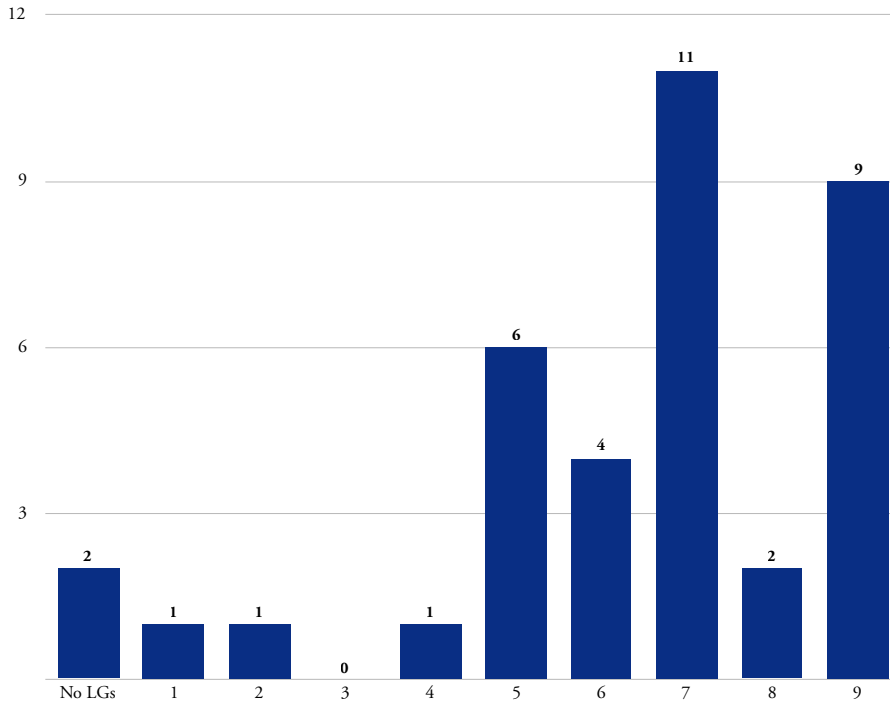
○ Yes    ● No

2NGs organise Webinars  
41 NGs **do not** organise any Webinars



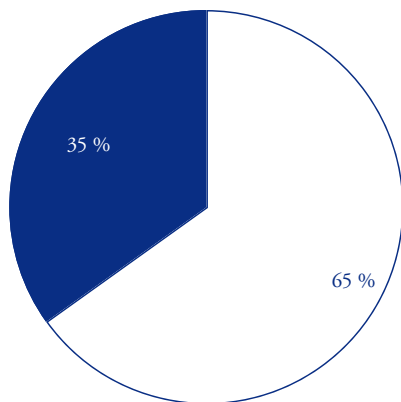
# STUDENT TRAINEE EXCHANGE PROGRAMME

How would you evaluate the relationship with your STEP Coach?



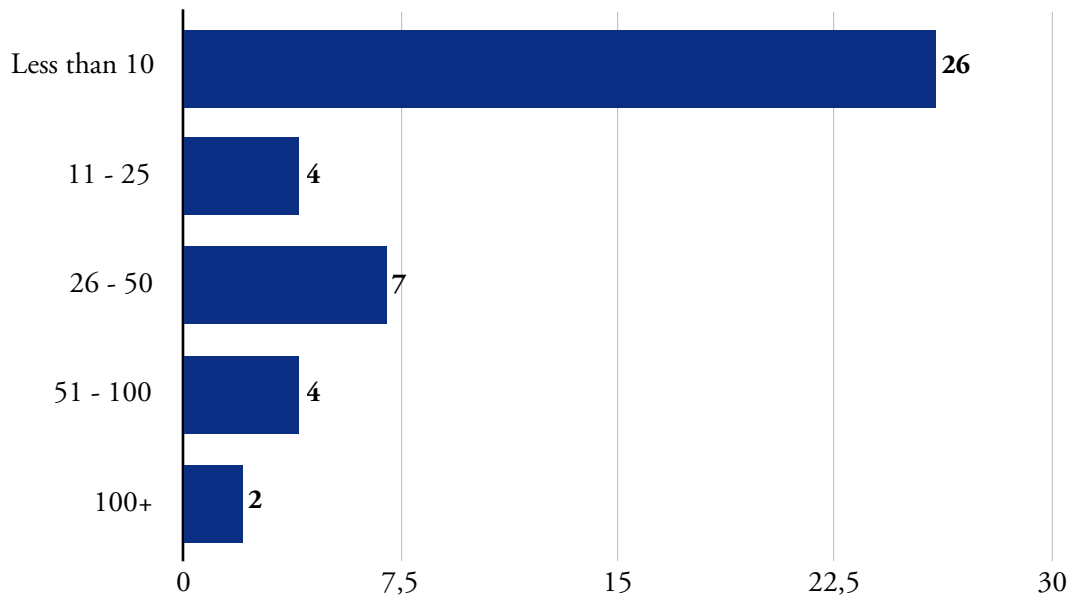
Did you have enough time for job hunting during the 1<sup>st</sup> Cycle?

○ Yes ● No



28 Yes  
15 No

### Number of potential STEP providers approached:



### Are you satisfied with the results of Student Hunting in the 1<sup>st</sup> Cycle?

○ Yes  
● No

