



SAR Sections in Europe

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SAR NATIONAL SECTIONS IN EUROPE

11 European national networks of higher education institutions dedicated to supporting threatened scholars and promoting academic freedom.

- CARA-SAR UK Universities Network with CARA (2006)
- SAR-UAF Netherlands & Belgium Network (2009)
- SAR-Ireland section with Universities Ireland (2009)
- SAR- Norway section (2011)
- SAR-Switzerland section (2014)
- SAR-Sweden section (2016)
- SAR-Germany section with Alexander von Humboldt Foundation (2016)
- SAR-Finland section with UNIFI Universities Finland (2017)
- SAR Italy section (2019)
- SAR Denmark section (2019)
- SAR Slovakia section with Bratislava Policy Institute (2019)

BENEFITS OF FORMING A SAR SECTION

- ✓ Pooling resources (financial and human) to protect scholars
- ✓ Sharing and deepening of expertise on hosting, advocacy and values-promotion
- ✓ Access to support networks: within national sections, between sections, across global network
- ✓ Stronger voice / representation on the International Advisory Committee
- ✓ Increases likelihood of sustainability.
- ✓ Invited to nominate a representative to SAR's International Advisory Committee

STRUCTURE OF SAR SECTIONS

- 1. National secretariat** e.g. SAR Germany (w/Humboldt Foundation), SAR Finland (w/Universities Finland (UNIFI))
 - 2. Steering committee & Chair** e.g. SAR Norway., 5 to 7 reps elected to serve on steering committee for 2 years
 - 3. Partner NGO:** e.g. UK (Cara) which has a long history of supporting refugee and at-risk scholars
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