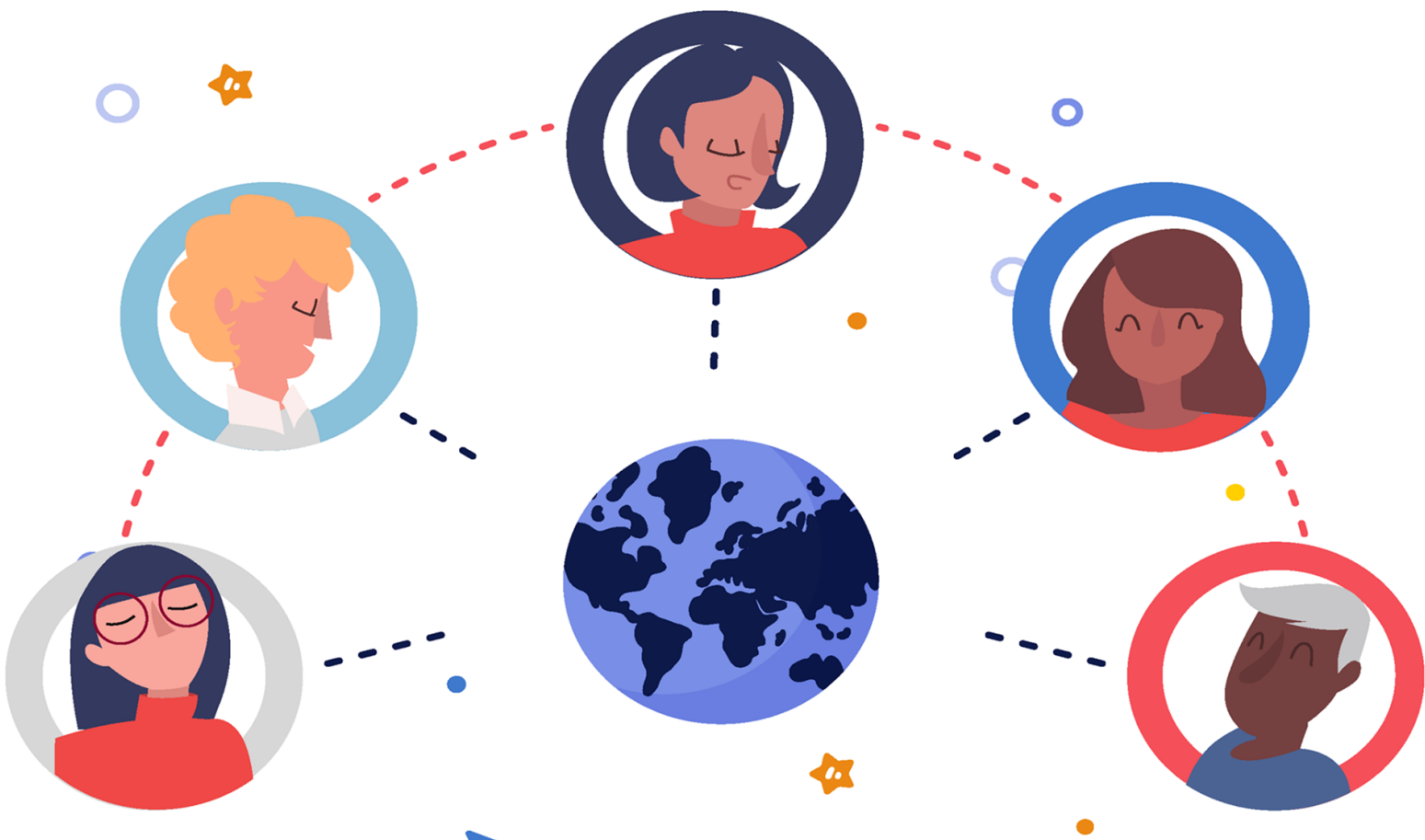


The inadmissibility of evidence obtained by torture is an important provision to prevent serious human rights violations. Although this exclusionary rule seems to be firmly established in most legal frameworks, research shows that there are several challenges concerning its application in law and practice.

The OSCE Office for Democratic Institutions and Human Rights (ODIHR) and the Ludwig Boltzmann Institute of Fundamental and Human Rights are, therefore, organising an exchange among international experts and civil society organizations to strengthen the prevention of torture and ill-treatment.

# Online Discussion

## The Inadmissibility of Evidence Tainted by Torture



### What is the Online Discussion?

As of February 2022, the Atlas of Torture Exchange Platform will host the online discussion

"The Inadmissibility of Evidence Tainted by Torture".

The online discussion aims to offer a space for interdisciplinary exchange among international and national experts on how to strengthen the implementation of the exclusionary rule.

### What will happen?

Between 21 and 25 February 2022, written contributions by international and national experts will be published. These should serve as a starting point for a broader discussion on the remaining challenges and way forward.

Participants are invited to actively engage and share their expertise on the topic thereby contributing to the identification of concrete steps needed for strengthening the exclusion of evidence tainted by torture.

### Who should participate and why?

The Online Discussion is open to international and national experts interested in the prevention of torture and other forms of ill-treatment.

It will offer an opportunity to exchange and network with colleagues from various countries and with different expertise.

# Registration

## How to join the Online Exchange on the Atlas of Torture Platform

### *Instructions*

- 1** The Online Discussion “The Inadmissibility of Evidence Tainted by Torture” is available on the Atlas of Torture exchange platform. To join the group, please click here and register on the Atlas of Torture website in the upper right corner.

**SIGN UP**

- 2** After you have created an account, you will receive an email to activate it.

- 3** Once your account is activated, you are ready to join and participate in the exchange!

**ONLINE EXCHANGE**



### REMEMBER

This platform is a space for exchange and interaction! We encourage all participants to keep in touch and to collaborate even after the completion of the project to share future interventions, good practices and increase chances of success.



*The Atlas of Torture is a project by the Ludwig Boltzmann Institute of Fundamental and Human Rights. It is a 'one-stop-shop' for information on torture and ill-treatment and how they can be prevented. It aims at raising awareness, empowering individuals and organizations as well as fostering cooperation through documentation, learning, and exchange.*