

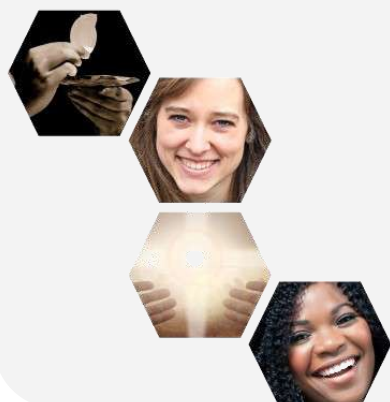
# Press Release

## Adorers

Handmaids of the Blessed Sacrament and of Charity

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SUMMARY



# Introduction



It is necessary for any person or institution to be aware of new developments or news that arise on issues that affect us directly. For this reason, this press dossier has been compiled so that the entire Adorers family can be "up to date".

In order to achieve this objective, we will gather news on a bi-weekly basis, based on three fundamental axes:

1. The presence of our Congregation in the media.
2. News about the different projects of the Adorer Family.
3. News about Human Trafficking and Sexual Exploitation.

The aim of these materials is to make the Adorer Family aware of the social work carried out by our Congregation as well as the dramatic situation against which, fundamentally, we put all our effort and commitment.



# The Adorer Family



**Title:** In the struggle against human trafficking, a "comprehensive law that involves everyone".

**Source:** Religión Digital

**Date:** 18/05/2022

**Abstract:** The Paul VI Foundation wanted to give space and a voice to this drama of human trafficking through the people who pursue, welcome and accompany "this 21st century form of slavery" in the forum of interdisciplinary meetings "After trafficking, life can do more".

**Full story:** [https://www.religiondigital.org/educacion/Frente-trata-personas-integral-implique-fundacion-pablovi\\_0\\_2451654837.html](https://www.religiondigital.org/educacion/Frente-trata-personas-integral-implique-fundacion-pablovi_0_2451654837.html)

**Title:** Adoratrices doubles the number of places for the care of trafficked women.

**Source:** Cope

**Date:** 18/05/2022

**Abstract:** The project includes temporary shelter and the development of personalised labour insertion itineraries for potential female victims of exploitation.

**Full story:** [https://www.cope.es/religion/hoy-en-dia/iglesia-espanola/noticias/adoratrices-duplica-numero-plazas-acogida-para-atencion-mujeres-victimas-trata-20220518\\_2088816](https://www.cope.es/religion/hoy-en-dia/iglesia-espanola/noticias/adoratrices-duplica-numero-plazas-acogida-para-atencion-mujeres-victimas-trata-20220518_2088816)

**Title:** Adorers doubles the number of places for victims of trafficking in response to the crisis in Ukraine.

**Source:** Europa Press

**Date:** 18/05/2022

**Abstract:** The Europe-Africa Province of the Religious Adorers has more than doubled the number of places available for women victims of trafficking and their children since last March, as part of the Asylum-Trafficking 2022 project, according to a press release.

**Full Story:** <https://cutt.ly/kJdTWoc>



**Title:** Vitoria is mobilising to get women out of trafficking in Bolivia.

**Source:** Cope

**Date:** 21/05/2022

**Abstract:** The initiative, centred on a solidarity pintxo-pote, will take place this Sunday in the church of San Pedro to urgently collect medicines and medical material.

**Full Story:** [https://www.cope.es/religion/hoy-en-dia/iglesia-espanola/noticias/vitoria-moviliza-para-sacar-trata-mujeres-bolivia-20220521\\_2094093](https://www.cope.es/religion/hoy-en-dia/iglesia-espanola/noticias/vitoria-moviliza-para-sacar-trata-mujeres-bolivia-20220521_2094093)

**Title:** Pintxopote in Vitoria against trafficking in women.

**Source:** Noticias de Álava

**Date:** 23/05/22

**Abstract:** The solidarity group raises funds for a centre that takes in a hundred victims of exploitation in Bolivia.

**Full Story:** <https://www.noticiasdealava.eus/araba/2022/05/23/pintxopote-trata-mujeres/1191678.html>

**Title:** Women rescued from abortion in Cordoba: "I felt him move inside me, I cried and asked for forgiveness".

**Source:** ABC

**Date:** 30/05/22

**Abstract:** Maria, 40, could not have imagined when she had only been in Cordoba for a few months after years of working in Catalonia, far from her family, that she would become pregnant. The chances after suffering uterine cancer were minimal. She had left a good job to run away from a relationship and take refuge with her family. And in the midst of these drastic changes it happened.

**Full Story:** [https://sevilla.abc.es/andalucia/cordoba/sevi-senti-moverse-barriga-llore-y-pedi-perdon-202205291814\\_noticia.html](https://sevilla.abc.es/andalucia/cordoba/sevi-senti-moverse-barriga-llore-y-pedi-perdon-202205291814_noticia.html)



# Our Projects



**Project:** Sicar Cat.

**Source:** Facebook

**Date:** 16/05/2022

**Abstract:** Today we are saying goodbye. S. and L. have finished their residential stage in our project and are moving to live independently. We celebrate with them this milestone in their recovery process and wish them all the best of luck in this big step on their way free from human trafficking. We will miss them all!





# Our Projects



**Project:** Sicar Cat

**Source:** Facebook

**Date:** 18/05/2022

**Abstract:** Many paths of the women we attend, have been marked by danger, fear, sexual violence, exploitation.... Healing these wounds is necessary in order to rebuild. The other day, during a walk through the city, X., seeing the pleasure boats on the artificial lake, recalled and shared her experience on a boat... a painful experience but which she can now name without so much anguish...



# Our Projects



**Project:** Sicar Cat

**Source:** Facebook

**Date:** 19/05/2022

**Abstract:** This Thursday we have good news about asylum and trafficking. With Proyecto Esperanza Adoratrices we continue to move forward as partners in the European project "Transnational initiative #counter-trafficking in the context of asylum systems" (#TIATAS). Today we have participated in a follow-up meeting of the #project to consolidate the coordination, synergy and joint work of the different axes. TIATAS is funded by the European Union and aims to improve the situation of refugees and migrants who are victims of #trafficking, through early identification and access to integrated support for their recovery.

More information: <https://bit.ly/3NiK8Ve>





# Our Projects



**Project:** Sicar Cat

**Source:** Facebook

**Date:** 20/05/2022

**Abstract:** At SICAR cat our professional team regularly expands their training. Yesterday, two of our social educators attended the training of the Consortium of Social Services of Barcelona and SOD-ASP, on 'Motivational Interviewing'. On the other hand, also yesterday, our Communication Technician participated in the session on Content Strategy for Teaming donations. We continue to expand our knowledge.



# Our Projects



**Project:** Sicar Cat.

**Source:** Facebook

**Date:** 21/05/2022

**Abstract:** A few days ago, Bishop Vilanova visited our project against human trafficking. We share with you the news they published about the meeting.

**More information:** <https://cutt.ly/RJdin71>



# Our Projects

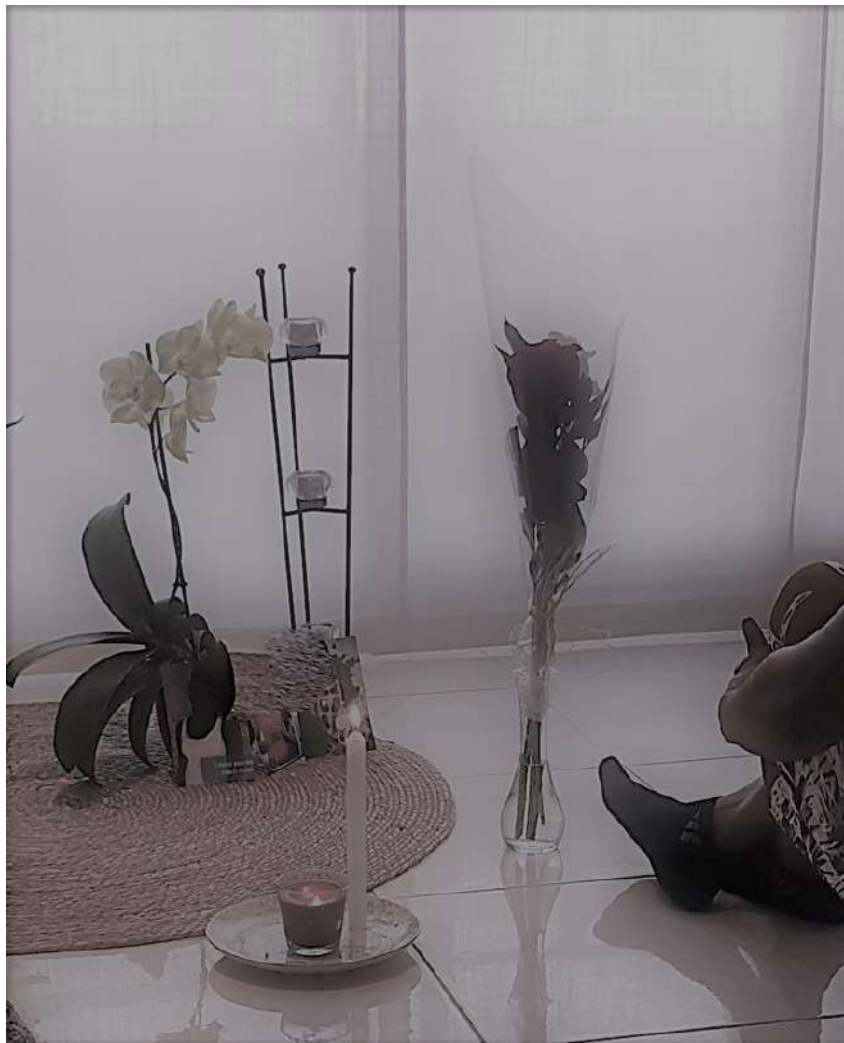


**Project:** Sicar Cat

**Source:** Facebook

**Date:** 23/05/2022

**Abstract:** This weekend we accompanied a woman to organize a rite and ceremony for the anniversary of her mother's death. When her mother died, J. could not attend her funeral. She was trafficked, exploited and lacked documentation and money. There is a lot of grief to work through and the loss of a loved one is a difficult situation to process, especially when circumstances have made it impossible to say goodbye... At SICAR cat we are aware that these are very delicate situations, which need support, understanding and respect.



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# Our Projects



**Project:** Sicar Cat.

**Source:** Facebook

**Date:** 26/05/2022

**Abstract:** We are grateful to the psychologist Ariadna Nuño who today offered the whole team a training session on vicarious trauma or compassion fatigue syndrome. Who cares about those we care about?



# Our Projects



**Project:** Sicar Cat

**Source:** Facebook

**Date:** 30/05/2022

**Abstract:** We start the week with good anti-trafficking news. Tambien Es Trata, which we carried out with Proyecto Esperanza Adoratrices with the support of Porticus Global, has been selected as a case study and collected in a report. This document, produced by the Dutch consultancy AVANCE, analyses the why and how of the project. It also highlights good practices, such as the added value for advocacy of the connection between advocacy and assistance to victims of human trafficking. Also Trafficking is Trafficking was launched in July 2019 and ended in 2021. Its overall objective was to increase knowledge and awareness of forms of trafficking exploitation that remain hidden and invisible.

**Download the report:** <https://bit.ly/3wSbUme>





# Our Projects



**Project:** Adoratrices Ciudad Real.

**Source:** Facebook

**Date:** 27/05/2022

**Abstract:** Yesterday, 26th May, the residents of Ciudad Real Adorers, accompanied by an educator and the trainee student of the CFGS in Gender Promotion and Equality who is accompanying us these months, went on a guided visit to the Quixote Museum of the Ciudad Real City Council. These recreational and cultural activities where we share time together are very important to promote the conviviality and integration of the users of the centre and at the same time learn things about the town where they live.





# Our Projects



**Project:** Proyecto Esperanza Adoratrices.

**Source:** Facebook

**Date:** 17/05/2022

**Abstract:** Tomorrow our Awareness and Advocacy Coordinator will attend this #contralatrata meeting organised by the Pablo VI Foundation. It is an interdisciplinary space within the framework of the exhibition "Punto y seguimos. Life can do more" - on the drama of human trafficking, which is suffered invisibly by thousands of people and of which only one in twenty victims is identified. The exhibition, divided into three parts (the drama of the victims, indifference and hope), is located on the first and first floors of the León XIII Building of the Fundación Pablo VI and on the ground floor of the Espacio Pablo VI, in the entrance hall to the auditorium. It can be seen from 9 to 28 June.

**Access the programme and register at the link:** <https://fpablovi.org/tras-la-trata>

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10:00h - 11:00h

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# Our Projects



**Project:** Proyecto Esperanza Adoratrices.

**Source:** Facebook

**Date:** 20/05/2022

**Abstract:** Today, Friday, we would like to thank the professionals of the programme Gente Maravillosa Canarias of @rtvcatelevisión Canaria and @lozanomabel for the opportunity to participate as a virtual audience in the programme that was broadcasted last Monday. It seems very important to us to continue adding our voice as a specialized entity #contralatrata for more than 23 years with initiatives and activists who contribute to eradicate this violation of Human Rights. We know Mabel for years and her trajectory is an example of perseverance and commitment against trafficking. Our Director Iris Rodríguez was able to show her our respect and affection at the beginning of the programme.

**You can watch it on the link:** <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=XpWwOizonAg>



# Our Projects



**Project:** Proyecto Esperanza Adoratrices.

**Source:** Facebook

**Date:** 24/05/2022

**Abstract:** We would like to thank the programme @toleranciacerorne for the participation they gave us last Friday in their programme on the sexual exploitation of minors under custody, and the recently approved action plan against this type of abuse, after numerous cases have come to light in recent years in Madrid, the Balearic Islands, the Canary Islands and Valencia, among other communities. Our Awareness and Advocacy Coordinator talked with Alba Urrutia about the current situation and the focus on tougher penalties for victims of trafficking who are refugees from the war in Ukraine, a clause that will be introduced in the Penal Code. We were able to provide the guides we have prepared in the framework of #TIATAS, as well as the recent training we gave to CREADE authorities in Pozuelo and the awareness-raising activities and the emergency telephone number set up. We share the link of the interview that you can listen to at the end of the audio.

**Listen to the audio:** <https://www.rtve.es/.../explotacion-sexual.../6536044/>



# Our Projects



**Project:** Proyecto Esperanza Adoratrices.

**Source:** Facebook

**Date:** 31/05/2022

**Abstract:** We would like to share the live space offered to us by @Cadena SER er to make human trafficking more visible thanks to Miriam's testimonial and the interview they did with our Awareness and Advocacy Coordinator on 15 May. "They hardly gave us anything to eat. We had to work every day without a break, even when we were sick they forced us to attend to the clients". This is how Miriam (not her real name) explains the hell she suffered in the brothel where she was held captive for a year and where her dreams were cut short. She had a challenge and set out on a journey. She dreamed of having a better life and earning money to, among other things, help her sick mother. "Making a way there was very complicated, the lack of work, crime and insecurity made it very difficult to prosper. She was 18 years old. She arrived in Spain in 2013 from El Salvador but plans did not go as planned. Once here, she started working as a babysitter but that didn't last long so she started looking through the thousands of adverts circulating on the internet until she found one that fitted her profile: "Girl needed for cleaning". That offer was a trap, the bait of a sexual exploitation network.

**Listen to the audio:** <https://cutt.ly/eJdWFln>

Trata a mujeres con fines de explotación sexual

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A VISTA DE LOBO

● **Recorte de prensa**

"No podíamos salir de allí, nos tenían completamente controladas, era como una cárcel"

Cadena Ser. A vivir que son dos días, 15/05/2022 08:05

PROYECTO ESPERANZA ADORATRICES



# Our Projects



**Project:** Difuatortrices.

**Source:** Facebook

**Date:** 27/05/2022

**Abstract:** Launch of the Adoratriz Online Training Platform. Friday, June 3rd - 9:00 - 10:00 am (Peru).

**Link to the video call:** <https://meet.google.com/omh-rqen-nbk>





# Our Projects



**Project:** Programa Vive y Camina-Adoratrices Málaga.

**Source:** Facebook

**Date:** 17/05/2022

**Abstract:** Our women are now in their third workshop on Caring for Dependents with 2 volunteers from Medicos del Mundo Andalucia. The training is almost finished and our users have learned about postural changes, drugs, taking care of themselves in this hard task, communication strategies, etc. Thank you very much to Medicos del Mundo Andalucia for the collaboration!





# Our Projects



**Project:** Programa Vive y Camina-Adoratrices Málaga.

**Source:** Facebook

**Date:** 26/05/2022

**Abstract:** Adorers, with African women opening new paths for empowerment. The congregation has four communities on the continent where it develops training and accompaniment projects that enable training and access to new opportunities for women in situations of vulnerability and contexts of violence...

**Full Story:** <https://cutt.ly/IJdT2Zg>



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# Our Projects



**Project:** Programa Vive y Camina-Adoratrices Málaga.

**Source:** Facebook

**Date:** 26/05/2022

**Abstract:** Yesterday our #residents received a workshop by Elena Ybarra, Technician of Prevention and Health Promotion of the Spanish Association Against Cancer Malaga. The #training was titled "Prevention and skin care" where they talked about how to prevent skin cancer, avoid sun exposure, self-care, etc.



# Our Projects



**Project:** Fundación Solidaridad Amaranta.

**Source:** Facebook

**Date:** 18/05/2022

**Abstract:** Improving the oral health of young girls is the aim of the collaboration agreement signed between Amaranta Solidarity Foundation and Dentists on Wheels in Mallorca.

**Full Story:** <https://bit.ly/3wsNiyU>





# Our Projects



**Project:** Fundación Solidaridad Amaranta.

**Source:** Facebook

**Date:** 19/05/2022

**Abstract:** Our colleagues from the Delegation of Asturias have developed a workshop with students of 4th of ESO of the Montedeva School of Gijón. They have presented the work developed by the entity and have addressed realities such as human trafficking, sexual exploitation, violation of rights and gender-based violence. Thank you for inviting us to share our experience!



# Our Projects



**Project:** Fundación Solidaridad Amaranta.

**Source:** Facebook

**Date:** 20/05/2022

**Abstract:** We continue with the seminars of the European programme Miriam, in which we participate together with our Italian partners Associazione Comunità Papa Giovanni and Associazione Differenza Donna. It was a pleasure to share in Granada our experience in the field as well as the good practices that can be carried out in the accompaniment of migrant women victims of gender-based violence. If you are a social worker and psychology professional working with migrant women in social, health, educational or legal services or programmes, whether general or specialised, we encourage you to take part in this initiative. The next meeting is in Santiago.



# Our Projects



**Project:** Fundación Solidaridad Amaranta.

**Source:** Facebook

**Date:** 25/05/2022

**Abstract:** Today is Africa Day, a continent where RR. Adoratrices together with the Amaranta Solidarity Foundation are developing training and support projects that enable training and access to new opportunities for women in situations of vulnerability and contexts of violence.

**More information:** <https://bit.ly/38gUNBd>





# Our Projects



**Project:** Kreditá na bo.

**Source:** Facebook

**Date:** 16/05/2022

**Abstract:** The Kredita na bo project initiated awareness-raising work on the island of Sal on the issue of human trafficking and gender-based violence. In this sense, the project team met with different institutions at parish level, with the team of the migrant area of the island and with different institutions such as the city council, the police, the ICCA, AmaSAL, the women residents of Santomense, the Associação UFCTB to create a strong multidisciplinary group to work in the future in favour of women victims.



# Our Projects



**Project:** Kreditá na bo.

**Source:** Facebook

**Date:** 19/05/2022

**Abstract:** We received the honourable visit of the current president of the ICIEG, Marisa Carvalho, the coordinator of the VBG cabinet, Vera Teixeira and the head of the ICIEG in São Vicente, Bruno Delgado with the purpose of getting to know the project and strengthening relations in favour of young women in situations and context of social exclusion.



# About Trafficking



**Title:** The Government of Navarra promotes the empowerment of African women living in the region.

**Source:** Navarra.es

**Date:** 16/05/2022

**Abstract:** This morning, Minister Santos signed a collaboration agreement with the president of the Kairaba Association to promote gender and intercultural activities.

**Full Story:** <https://www.navarra.es/es/-/el-gobierno-de-navarra-impulsa-el-empoderamiento-de-las-mujeres-africanas-residentes-en-la-comunidad-foral?pageBackId=363032&back=true>

**Title:** Gender approach, vital against human trafficking.

**Source:** La Nación

**Date:** 17/05/2022

**Abstract:** Human trafficking is a form of gender violence and it is therefore important to analyse this crime from a gender perspective, as most of the victims are women and girls, especially in trafficking for the purpose of sexual exploitation. This is why the gender approach is fundamental in the fight against organised crime.

**Full Story:** [https://www.lanacion.com.py/pais\\_edicion\\_impresa/2022/05/17/enfoque-de-genero-vital-contra-la-trata-de-personas/](https://www.lanacion.com.py/pais_edicion_impresa/2022/05/17/enfoque-de-genero-vital-contra-la-trata-de-personas/)

**Title:** The legacy of the pandemic in Nepal: the rise of human trafficking.

**Source:** El País

**Date:** 17/05/2022

**Abstract:** As covid-19 recedes, modern slavery threatens to fill the economic vacuum left by the health crisis.

**Full Story:** <https://elpais.com/planeta-futuro/2022-05-17/la-herencia-de-la-pandemia-en-nepal-el-aumento-de-la-trata-de-personas.html>



# About Trafficking



**Title:** Gender and organised crime.

**Source:** Infobae

**Date:** 19/05/2022

**Abstract:** The study of the particularities of the actions of women in organized crime should be seen as a fundamental basis for the implementation of public policies that form part of government strategies to disrupt these criminal organisations.

**Full Story:** <https://www.infobae.com/opinion/2022/05/19/crimen-organizado-y-perspectiva-de-genero/>

**Title:** CLM advocates for a specific law to combat trafficking and sexual exploitation.

**Source:** La Voz del Tajo

**Date:** 18/05/2022

**Abstract:** Extract: Blanca Fernández: "we cannot relegate the debate any longer because we are learning of absolutely dramatic situations of women and girls captured by mafias".

**Full Story:** <https://www.lavozdeltajo.com/noticia/65629/region/clm-aboga-por-una-ley-especifica-de-lucha-contra-la-trata-y-la-explotacion-sexual-.html>

**Title:** Obtaining evidence: The key to convicting human trafficking.

**Source:** Naciones Unidas

**Date:** 20/05/2022

**Abstract:** Tattoos to mark people, electric shocks and plastic bracelets are examples of some of the objects and physical abuses traffickers use to control, torture and mark their victims. Being alert to any clues that reveal a case of human trafficking is crucial to securing a conviction.

**Full Story:** <https://news.un.org/es/story/2022/05/1509052>



# About Trafficking



**Title:** Keys to understanding human trafficking, a crime that hurts Mexico City and Mexico as a whole.

**Source:** Infobae

**Date:** 21/05/2022

**Abstract:** Mexico City ranks first nationally in the incidence of the crime of human trafficking, according to a report presented this week by the Ministry of National Defence, led by General Luis Crescencio Sandoval in conjunction with the head of government, Claudia Sheinbaum.

**Full Story:** <https://www.infobae.com/america/mexico/2022/05/21/claves-para-entender-la-trata-de-personas-un-delito-que-duele-a-la-cdmx-y-todo-mexico/>

**Title:** The ICI commissions the University of La Laguna to carry out research on trafficking in women in the Canary Islands.

**Source:** Europa Press

**Date:** 24/05/2022

**Abstract:** The Canary Islands Institute for Equality (ICI) has established an agreement with the Foundation of the University of La Laguna (ULL) for the elaboration of a diagnosis on the incidence and characteristics of trafficking in women for the purpose of sexual exploitation in the Canary Islands.

**Full Story:** <https://www.europapress.es/islas-canarias/noticia-ici-encarga-universidad-laguna-investigacion-trata-mujeres-canarias-20220524140404.html>

**Title:** Andalusia publishes the monitoring report on the State Pact against Gender Violence.

**Source:** Junta de Andalucía

**Date:** 24/05/2022

**Abstract:** The Regional Ministry of Equality presents to the Governing Council the situation regarding its implementation in view of the conclusion of this agreement.

**Full Story:** <https://www.juntadeandalucia.es/presidencia/portavoz/social/172399/Consejeriadelgualdad/informe/seguimiento/PactodeEstadocontralaViolenciadeGenero/maltrato/malostratos>



# About Trafficking



**Title:** Victims of trafficking offer their testimony at a congress in Seville to "make visible" this "hidden reality".

**Source:** Consejo Mundial de Iglesias

**Date:** 25/05/2022

**Abstract:** The Faculty of Labour Sciences of the University of Seville has hosted the 1st Congress 'Trafficking in human beings. A hidden reality', organised by Nuevo Hogar Betania and which has counted on the vital testimonies of three women victims of trafficking.

**Full Story:** <https://www.europapress.es/andalucia/sevilla-00357/noticia-victimas-trata-ofrecen-testimonio-congreso-sevilla-visibilizar-realidad-oculta-20220527170358.html>

**Title:** Bishop José Luis Azcona receives the Jaime Brunet International Award for the Promotion of Human Rights from the UPNA.

**Source:** Religión Digital

**Date:** 27/05/2022

**Abstract:** Monsignor José Luis Azcona Hermoso, Augustinian Recollect from Navarre and bishop emeritus of Marajó (Brazil), received this Friday the Jaime Brunet International Award for the Promotion of Human Rights of the Public University of Navarra (UPNA) 2021 for his fight against sexual exploitation and trafficking of women and minors in that country.

**Full Story:** [https://www.religiondigital.org/solidaridad/Internacional-Promocion-Derechos-Humanos-UPNA\\_0\\_2448055192.html](https://www.religiondigital.org/solidaridad/Internacional-Promocion-Derechos-Humanos-UPNA_0_2448055192.html)





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