



Det Felles Innvandrerråd i Hordaland (DFIRH) er en paraplyorganisasjon for innvandrers-organisasjoner og innvandrere i Hordaland. DFIRH ble stiftet i mai 1988. Hovedmålsettingen for DFIRH er å ivareta ulike innvandrergupper sine interesser, med særlig fokus på: Politikk • Økonomi • Rettigheter • Kultur • Utdanning og arbeid



Hordaland

Founded
May 1988

An umbrella organization for immigrants and immigrant organizations in Hordaland county



FOCUS

The main objective of Dfirh is to safeguard immigrant's interests with particular focus on

- Politics
- Economics
- Culture
- Education
- Social Deals

The board of Dfirh consists of

- CHAIRMAN: Samba Njie
- Vice President: Raajini Rajanlingam
- Treasurer: Fernando Claure
- Social Secretary: Carlota Vallebona
- Culture and Information Secretary: Nooshin Zaery
- Youth and Sports Secretary: Vincent Mrimba
- Women's Secretary Meriem El Mesbahi
- Director: Michael Rana Malak
- Director: Joe Aseerwatham
- Deputy: Olta William Anoumou
- Deputy: Selma Zaery
- Deputy: Snehlata Shaw
- Deputy: Bodil Aagaard
- Deputy: Rami Ayyad

Our working methods

- Be available as a consultative body
- Be present on deputations
- Organising conferences and seminars
- Participate in different forum
- Utilize a wide network of immigrant organizations
- Have frequent meetings
- Utilizing a regularly updated website to disseminate information
- Have a close cooperation with Municipality of Bergen and Hordaland County Council

Examples of Assistance provided by Dfirh

- Writing applications
- Project elaborations
- Get in touch with the right agency or person in the county and municipal
- Enable meetings
- Find information
- Put you in touch with other organizations for any cooperation
- Provide translators
- Members can use the meeting room free of charge

Forced marriage



“The right to choose”

- We continue our work against forced marriage in cooperation with:
- **IMDi (The Directorate of Integration and Diversity)**
- **KIS (Committee for Contact between Immigrants and the government)**
- **INLO (Immigrant’s National Organization)**

"EVERYONE VOTES"



Elections 2013

- In election years, we try to provide that the number of immigrants who choose to use their voting rights will increase sharply compared to Previously years.
- We will, among other measures, conduct courses on election technique, we have stands and we organizes various meetings with political debates.
- We flyers with information about the elections

KEY PARTNERS

- **Hordaland County Council (Department of Education & Department of Culture and Sports)**
- **Bergen Municipality (Introductory center for refugees)**
- **IMDi (The Directorate of Integration and Diversity)**
- **UDI (Directorate og Immigration)**
- **INLO (Immigrant's National Organization)**

KEY PARTNERS

- KIS (Committee for Contact between Immigrants and Government)
- KIM (Committee for Contact between Immigrants and Authorities)
- The Police
- Red Cross
- UN Agency
- NAV (Norwegian Labour and Welfare Administration)
- BIKS (Bergen International Cultural Centre)
- 2gether project



YOUTH PROJECT

- **2gether is a youth project by Dfirh, funded by the City of Bergen. 2gether is an integration project in mainly for youths between the ages of 13-25.**
- We have office and activities at the Bergen International Cultural Centre (BIKS) and activities related to youth groups at the Vitalitetsenteret in Møhlenpris
- Our goal is to help different youth groups to take an active part in the organization and development of cultural and leisure activities in Bergen. We have a wide cooperation with different organizations and government agencies within the Bergen municipality.
- Weekly activities, Girl group, Guidance, 2GO (hiking group) and more...

Home loans provided by Bergen municipality

- Initial Establishing
- Economically disadvantaged
- Disabled
- Refugees
- Re-establishment
- Dfirh provides information and assistance to migrants wanting to apply for home loan.

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