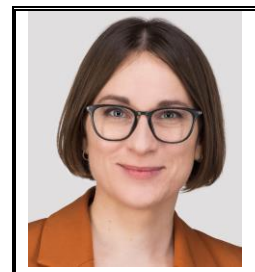


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Additional Information

Birutė Sabatauskaitė is the Equal Opportunities Ombudsperson since April 1st, 2021. She was a director of Lithuanian Centre for Human Rights (2013-2010), a lawyer and advocacy officer (2010-2013). She has over 10 years of professional experience in the human rights field, where she carried out analysis and research activities, trainings on human rights, implementation of equal opportunities, hate crimes and hate speech, gender-based violence and domestic violence. She was a national expert of the European Network of Legal Experts in gender equality and non-discrimination (2019-2021).

The Equal Opportunities Ombudsperson carries out investigations, investigates complaints, carries out investigations on their own initiative in cases of discrimination, including harassment and sexual harassment; performs independent researches, related to discrimination, and independent surveys on discrimination, provides conclusions and recommendations on any issue related to discrimination; carries out preventive and educational activities.