

A photograph of a crowd of people at a protest or demonstration. Many individuals are holding large flags with a black, white, and red design. The word 'FORN' is visible at the top of the flags, and 'NOVA' is visible below it. The scene is outdoors with trees and buildings in the background.

Say No To **Extremism:** how to prevent and fight it

Strategies to tackle the increasing phenomenon

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Extremism: what is it ?

A set of practices aimed at changing the system and the society unconstitutionally and through violence.

it can be:

- Right-Wing extremism (an increasing phenomenon in Europe and in the US);
- Political- Religious Extremism (Al-Qaeda, ISIS, Catholic extremists...)
- Left-Wing Extremism (Red Brigades in Italy);
- Single-Issue Extremism





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How can a society avoid extremism and forms of radicalisation?

1. Develop an efficient, equal accessible education: a more educated society can be a synonym of better socio-economic conditions and open opportunities, reducing the probabilities of non-satisfaction and unhappiness.
 - Identifying and tackle the forms of marginalisation and injustice.
 - Guaranteeing an equally accessible and powerful public mental health care system.
 - Social welfare!



How can governments fight and prevent extremism?



Improving the security sector, aligning the policies (international cooperation)

- International forum on extremism;
- Controls on fake news.
- Improving the quality of democracy.



Strengthen the prevention agenda:

- countering terrorist propaganda and illegal hate speech online,
 - addressing radicalisation in prisons;
 - promoting inclusive society, education and EU common values,
 - boosting research, monitoring and networks.
1. Developing trusty institutions.