

ANTISEMITISM RESEARCH CENTER

JANUARY 2024 ANTISEMITIC TRENDS UPDATE

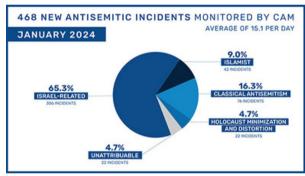
JANUARY 2024 INCIDENTS DATA

11.11% of incidents involved physical threats

The CAM Antisemitism Research Center (ARC) tracked 468 antisemitic reports worldwide in January 2024. This marked a daily average of 15.1 incidents, up 171% from the previous January.

January 2024 saw 76 incidents of classical antisemitism (16.3% of total), as well as 22 (4.7%) incidents of Holocaust distortion and minimization, 306 (65.4%) incidents of Israel-related antisemitism, 42 (9.0%) in the Islamist category, and 22 (4.7%) incidents were classified as unattributable.

52 physical threats against Jews, as well as 87 incidents of antisemitic vandalism, were also monitored.



Editorial Note: Learn more about the Antisemitism Research Center's new classification system.

IHRA WORKING DEFINITION OF ANTISEMITISM ADOPTIONS

- U.S. State of Georgia
- West Orange, New Jersey
- Barcelona, Spain
- Brescia, Italy
- Jewish Federation of the Sacramento Region

GLOBAL ANTISEMITISM FOCAL POINTS



New IHRA Definition Adoptions Report Analyzes Key Action in Fighting Antisemitism

A report tracking adoptions and endorsements of the IHRA Working Definition of Antisemitism in 2023, released by CAM, in partnership with the Center for the Study of Contemporary European Jewry at Tel Aviv University. revealed 97 new adoptions and endorsements in 2023.

As of December 2023 a total of 1,216 entities have adopted or endorsed the IHRA Working Definition of Antisemitism. Additionally, it was notable that American institutions of higher learning have been lacking in their embrace of the definition.



'Funding UNRWA Means Funding Terrorism, and This Runs Counter to America's National Principles and Interests'

In response to the U.S. House of Representatives Foreign Affairs Committee hearing on UNRWA, Combat Antisemitism Movement (CAM) Chief of Staff Arthur Maserjian issued the following statement:

"It is now abundantly clear to all that funding **UNWRA** means funding terrorism, and this runs counter to America's national principles and interests. The United States and its allies must cut funding for UNRWA completely and permanently and find alternative mechanisms to meet the humanitarian needs of Palestinian civilians."



Dramatic Escalation of Antisemitism Seen in Turkey in Wake of October 7th Attack

The CAM
Antisemitism
Research Center
(ARC) detected and
monitored a
significant increase
in antisemitic
incidents in Turkey
over the three
months following
the October 7th
massacres.

Turkish President Erdoğan reached new levels of antisemitic rhetoric, describing Israeli PM Netanyahu as "worsé than Hitler" and saying Israel was running "Nazi camps" for Palestinians. The torrent of antisemitism sweeping across Turkey is also being promoted by religious figures and statecontrolled media outlets.

ACTIONS TAKEN AGAINST ANTISEMITISM



Australia Bans Nazi Salute, Swastika, Other Hate Symbols in Public as Antisemitism Spikes



Italy: General Angelosanto Appointed New National Antisemitism Coordinator



U.S. Bipartisan Bill Aims To Fight Antisemitism on Campus by Fortifying Civil Rights Complaint System



UK Government Says the Islamist Group Hizb ut-Tahrir is Antisemitic and Moves to Ban It



More Countries Cut Funding to UNRWA Over Allegations Of Involvement With Oct. 7



NYC Public Schools Announce New Initiatives to Combat Antisemitism