

Protocols and procedures against harassment onboard the Spanish RV fleet.





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- ✓ Spanish National Research Council State Agency (CSIC) GENDER EQUALITY PLAN . Prevention and intervention protocol against sexual and gender-based harassment at CSIC
- ✓ Action protocol against workplace harassment
- **✓** From the theory to the practice: Key points
- ✓ From the theory to the practice: research vessels fleet

Introduction

AGE

General
State
Administration

✓ Near 528.000 workers



CSIC

Spanish
National Research
Council State Agency

✓ Near 15.000
 workers

IEO

Instituto Español de Oceanografía

✓ Near 800 workers

UTM

Unidad de Tecnología Marina

✓ Near 100 workers

1. Spanish National Research Council (CSIC) GENDER EQUALITY PLAN . Prevention and intervention protocol against sexual and sex-based harassment at CSIC.

Organic Law 3/2007, of March 22nd, for the effective Equality of women and men Art 45.

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CSIC



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- On 2011 I Plan for the equality between women and men
- On 2015 II Plan for the equality between women and men
- On 2020 III Plan for the equality between women and men

- On December 2013 the CSIC approved the I Plan for the equality between women and men and the Action Protocol against sexual and sex-based harassment
- On 2015 approved the II Plan for the equality between women and men
- On 2022 approved the III Gender equality plan

1. Spanish National Research Council (CSIC) GENDER EQUALITY PLAN . Prevention and intervention protocol against sexual and sex-based harassment at CSIC.

Organic Law 3/2007, of March 22nd, for the effective Equality of women and men Art. 62

CSIC

harassment

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On 2011 the AGE approved the Prevention and intervention protocol against sexual and sexbased harassment

- On 2015 the AGE approved the Prevention and intervention protocol against sexual and sexbased harassment
- On 2024 the AGE approved the Prevention and intervention protocol against sexual and sexbased harassment

- On 2013 the CSIC approved the Action
- On 2020 approved new version of the Action Protocol against sexual and sex-based harassment

Protocol against sexual and sex-based

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- On 2024 approved new version of the Action Protocol against sexual and sex-based harassment
- Protocol of prevention and intervention against sexual and gender-based harassment at CSIC (09/05/2024) English version

2. Action protocol against workplace harassment.

Spanish Constitution and Law 7/2007, on the Basic Statute of Public Employees

CSIC UTM AGE On 2019 the CSIC approved the Action On 2011 the AGE approved Protocol against workplace harassment the Action Protocol against workplace harassment

3. From the theory to the practice: Key points

Which key points must be apply in these protocols?

- ✓ Information. Inform all workers: about protocols, procedures, unwanted behaviors
- ✓ Training. Train staff
- ✓ Consult the staff about some aspects of life onboard
- ✓ Make specific protocols for the marine environment. Including Preventive measures and action procedures in case of detection of harassment

4. From the theory to the practice: research vessels fleet

What is the reality of research vessels?

✓ **Diversity of organizations/companies.** Participation of different organizations in oceanographic survey. Each organization/company with its protocols and procedures.

Should every person who participates in a survey have training in equality?

- ✓ Variable, dynamic. Occasionally adding staff at the last minute. For example, a substitution due to sick leave
- ✓ Time. Finite temporal space with a duration between days to weeks
- ✓ Space. Dimensions of the vessel, distribution of the cabins, bathrooms in common areas....

Conclusions

- ✓ The priority objective is to avoid any type of harassment, work or sexual.
- ✓ The protocols must clearly state the preventive measures and the procedure for action in the event of harassment.
- ✓ To carry out the protocols, consultation with the institutions that manage the oceanographic survey is necessary.
- ✓ Information, training and consultation for workers is necessary.
- ✓ Dissemination sessions

Thank you













