Community Media Skills Development

Module 5 – Activity

Harnessing the Power of Community Media to Combat Disinformation

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Activity: Visual Graphics

Fake news and online disinformation in Germany
(60 min)

The spread of news that intentionally mislead readers has become an increasing problem for the functioning of our democracies, affecting people's understanding of reality. Misinformation and disinformation have the power to promote negative narratives about certain groups and civil society in general and represent a danger to European democratic values. A 2018 Eurobarometer poll asked Europeans to give their thoughts on the topic "Fake news and online disinformation" covering the following topics:

- Level of trust in new sources
- People´s perceived exposure to fake news and the ability to recognize it
- Impact of fake news and responsibility for addressing the problem

TASK
Read the following survey about fake news and online disinformation in Germany and create an Infographic on Canva with the information provided in the charts.

Materials: laptop, internet connection, pen/paper (if needed)

Link(s): file:///C:/Users/ludov/Downloads/fl_464_fact_de_en.pdf

Further Reading:

https://europa.eu/eurobarometer/surveys/detail/2183

https://what-europe-does-for-me.eu/en/portal/2/N09

MEDIA HACKS

Future In Perspective

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