YOUTH



Young women and men as drivers for dialogue

In both European and Southern Mediterranean countries people believe that measures targeting young people are assumed to be most effective in preventing hate speech and polarization and in fostering social cohesion. Among the most effective actions people identify education and youth programmes to foster youth-led dialogue (93% Europeans respondents and 92% of respondents in SEM countries) followed by actions to support youth participation in public life (92% of European respondents and 93% of respondents in SEM countries). Strengthening EuroMed cooperation is also considered an effective tool for youth empowerment, employment and education.

TACKLING POLARISATION AND HATE SPEECH

How effective do you think that the following measures will be in preventing and dealing with polarisation and hate speech?

YOUTH-LED DIALOGUE INITIATIVES YOUTH PARTICIPATION IN PUBLIC LIFE **EUROPEAN COUNTRIES SEM COUNTRIES EUROPEAN COUNTRIES SEM COUNTRIES** 64% **62%** 60% 64% **VERY EFFECTIVE SOMEWHAT** 29% 30% 32% 29% **EFFECTIVE** TOTAL 93% 92% 92% 93%