

TRAINING COURSE 30TH OCTOBER. 10:00-12:30
“AVENUES TO ADVANCE HOUSING RIGHTS IN AN ITALIAN CONTEXT”

	Timing	Description	Learning Outcomes
Welcome/ intro	10:00	Maria Aldanas, Welcome words and info about Housing Rights Watch and its work.	
Avenues for strategic litigation and advocacy in Europe	10:15-10:30	Maria Aldanas, Policy Officer at FEANTSA , Avenues to Advance Housing Rights at European level.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> To become acquainted with the advocacy role of the homeless service organisations: empowering homeless people and advocating for their rights. To understand useful legal tools to defend housing rights at European and International level To identify the circumstances in which homeless organisations may use advocacy or litigation to defend homeless people’s rights in Italy
The issue of affordability of housing and rent control in European cities	10:30-10:45	Max Gigling. PhD in social psychology. Consultant in applied housing research Rent control as a tool for cities to secure affordable housing in the private rented market: the case of Berlin.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> To understand the concept of rent control and rent freeze in the private rental market To get to know the system put in place in Berlin To compare these measures with other systems in European cities: Paris and Barcelona.
Q&A	10:45-11:00	Collect questions through Zoom chat.	
Panel: Defending Housing Rights and preventing Homelessness: opportunity and challenges in Italy	11:00 -12:00	Moderator: Giulia Gallizioli, Caterina Cortese <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Paolo Pezzana- Sociologist, social worker, Consultant, and Trainer. Housing exclusion in Italy: levers and barriers. Turi Stefano - Lawyer (Avvocato di strada) Implication of Residence of homeless people for Housing Rights: challenges and perspectives Camilla Zamparini - Lawyer (Avvocato di strada) Innovative mechanisms to prevent evictions: the case of the City of Bologna 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> To understand normative background on how to enforce Housing Rights in Italy To understand reasons for the polarisation of housing market To learn practical examples of defence of housing rights in Italy To share administrative practices which favour the acknowledgment of residence for homeless people To share the role of homeless services organisations to promote right to residence and case management To present the approach of the Courte to prevent eviction To make available technical tools for applying housing rights
Q&A.	12:00-12:30	Collect questions through Zoom chat.	