



ANNUAL REPORT 2024

ABOUT THE ORGANIZATION

The Union of Informed Citizens is a consultative non-governmental organization, whose mission is to raise public awareness, promote citizen participation in the decision-making process, and contribute to the strengthening of democratic values. We are convinced that raising public awareness in areas of public significance is a fundamental and inseparable component of any democratic society.

This year the Union of Informed Citizens has continued to be actively involved in advancing democratic reforms, including law enforcement, electoral, constitutional, anti-corruption, and public procurement reforms, contributing to their smooth implementation and ensuring access to public information.

The Union of Informed Citizens is active in the fields of foreign policy, democracy, economy, security, electoral processes, and citizens' rights. We also support media empowerment in Armenia and carry out media activities through the Fact Investigation Platform, which is aimed at combating disinformation and propaganda by providing reliable and verified information to the public.

Together with its partner organizations, the Union of Informed Citizens is actively engaged in the electoral process, carrying out observation missions, public awareness campaigns, and educational programs. Our efforts are aimed at ensuring a fair, transparent, and credible electoral environment.

The year 2024 was a year of sustainability and innovations for the organization. With this annual report, we present our activities, including in collaboration with partners and supporters.

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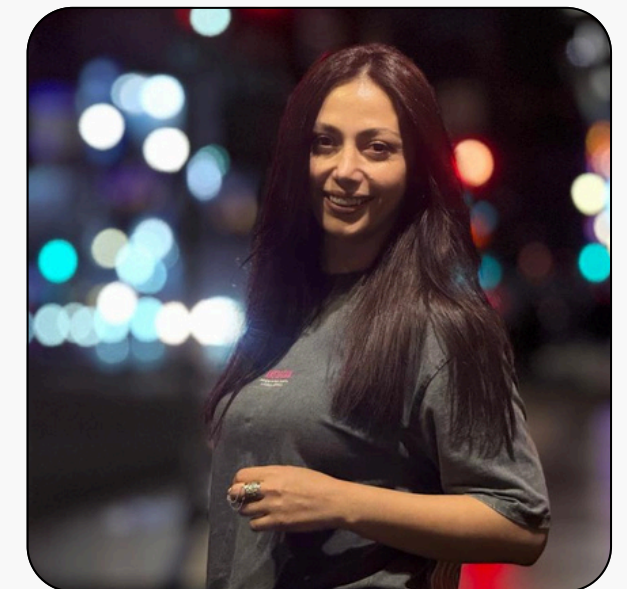
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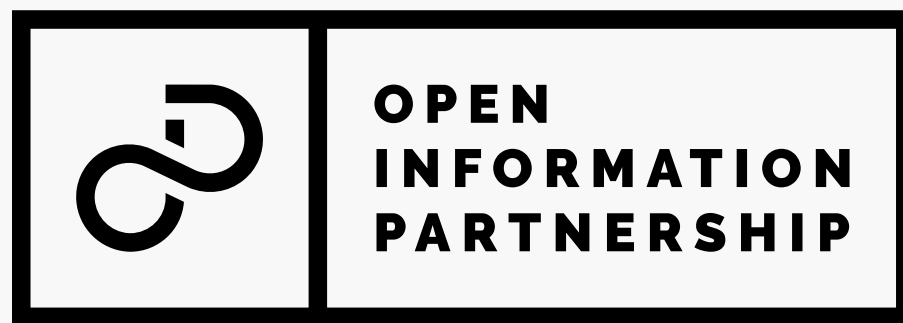


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THE UNION OF INFORMED CITIZENS IS 10 YEARS OLD

The Union of Informed Citizens celebrated its 10th anniversary on April 5. Representatives of partner organizations, government officials, ambassadors and other representatives of diplomatic corps, as well as former and current employees of the organization were present at the anniversary event.

Over the years, the organization has been engaged in advancing democracy in a number of areas, including but not limited to:

- public awareness
- electoral process
- promotion and publicization of reforms
- fight against disinformation and media literacy
- capacity building of journalists
- public procurement
- freedom of information.

The organization reaffirms its commitment towards strengthening democracy in Armenia.





FACT INVESTIGATION PLATFORM (FIP.AM)

In 2024, the Fact Investigation Platform continued its activities, remaining true to its mission to expose disinformation, fake news, and manipulation. Throughout the year, FIP.am scrutinized the activities of the Government and other public authorities, as well as the Armenian and international media.

In 2024, the Fact Investigation Platform published 317 articles, an average of more than 20 per month. The vast majority were fact-checks, with special focus on exposing Russian propaganda narratives and disinformation. In addition, analyses, explainers and videos were produced, which were republished by other media outlets.

The publication themes mainly included foreign and domestic politics, monitoring of regional (mostly Russian) disinformation, issues of public interest related to education, healthcare, and infrastructure, and oversight of public procurement. Investigations were conducted, targeting the implementation process of government programs, the transparency of public procurement, and the scope of individuals involved in hybrid campaigns against Armenia.

In 2024, the total number of FIP.am website visits exceeded 1.2 million, of which 292 thousand by active users (data from Google Analytics). The most read article of the year had over 60 thousand views.



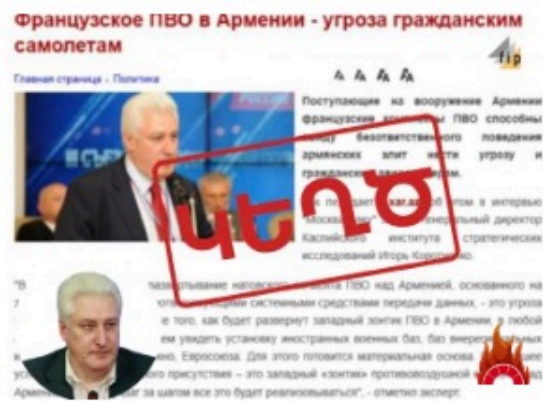


Bird strike or air defense missile strike? Tracking the crashed plane

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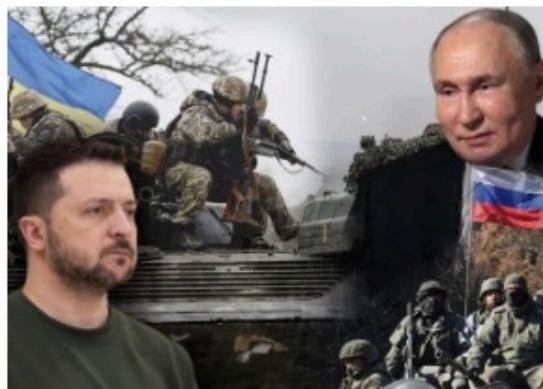


French air defense does not pose a threat to civil aviation: Korotchenko spreads false information through Azerbaijani media

11:39, 23 DEC, 2024

Igor Korotchenko, founder and editor-in-chief of the Russian magazine Natsionalnaia Oborona ("National Defense"), recently stated in an...

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What methods are used to replenish the Russian army? Following Putin's statements

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At the meeting of the Board of the country's Defense Ministry on December 16, among a number of other problematic ...

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False claim about Trump on 168 TV by an Armenian expert based on deep-fake

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Speaker Sergey Melkonyan claimed on 168 TV that US President-elect Donald Trump had allegedly stated that "Mexico and Canada should ...

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The social media presence of the Fact Investigation Platform continued to grow in 2024. By the end of the year, the Facebook page had 24,410 followers, the Telegram channel had 1,297, and the YouTube channel had 2,300 subscribers. FIP.am also continued to be active on Instagram and X.

In 2024, FIP.am continued its activities not only in the Armenian information domain, but also on international platforms. Throughout the year, the Fact Investigation Platform participated in regional and international discussions, focusing on combating disinformation and developing media literacy. The Platform has followed international fact-checking best practices and taken preparatory steps to join international professional networks. These activities predetermined the official membership of FIP.am in leading international initiatives in 2025. The year 2024 became a preparatory stage for international integration and cooperation.

A group of journalists forcibly displaced from Nagorno-Karabakh did an internship at the Fact Investigation Platform. They were introduced to basic tools for fact-checking, data collection, and use of open sources data. Two journalists had the opportunity to collaborate with the Platform as journalists.

At the same time, the Platform faced a number of challenges throughout 2024, including funding constraints, the need to organize fundraising, increased information flows, and the activation of fake pages.

DEMOCRATIC REFORMS

This year the organization continued its active and multifaceted participation in the reform process, contributing to their smooth implementation, raising public awareness, and ensuring public access to the reform agenda. The engagement included participation in the work of collegial bodies, working meetings, visits to state institutions, discussions with partners and sectoral actors, as well as thematic trainings for journalists and the involvement of high school students in social studies courses.

• Police reform

Due to new appointments in the law enforcement system and constructive cooperation with ministers who have demonstrated a willingness to advance reforms, the organization has been involved in a number of bodies, including:

- Police Reform Coordination Council,
- Public Council adjunct to the Minister of Internal Affairs,
- Interview committee for the personnel selection of the Educational Complex of the Ministry of Internal Affairs,
- Police Disciplinary Committee.

The Union of Informed Citizens participated in the certification of police officers and integrity assessment interviews of high-ranking police officers. A total of 2,930 police officers were certified, and 40 high-ranking police officers participated in the ethics interview. During the interviews, cases of illicit enrichment of police officers were identified, in relation to which reports were filed and criminal cases were initiated.

In 2024, the Union of Informed Citizens participated in discussions on the implementation of the commitments undertaken by the Republic of Armenia under the Comprehensive and Enhanced Partnership Agreement (CEPA) and the progress of reforms. The organization was also involved in the development of the Police Reform Strategy for 2024-2027, contributing to the finalization of the document.

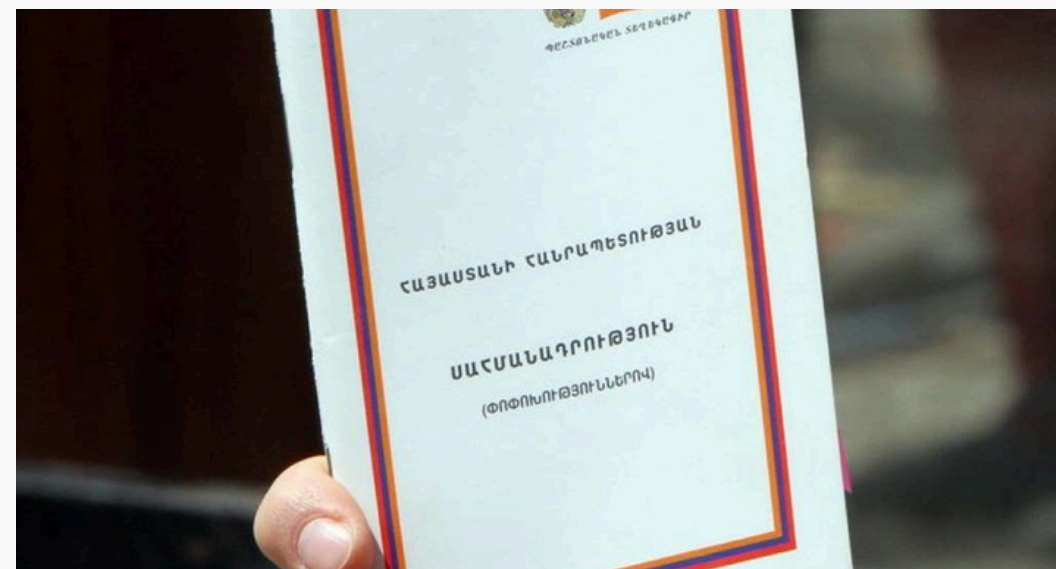
• Constitutional reform

For years, the Union of Informed Citizens has been convinced that Armenia does not need constitutional amendments, but, rather, a new constitution, since the acceptance of the Constitution by the people will promote the formation of a responsible and demanding society. We have adopted this approach since the beginning of 2020, when we were included in the first constitutional reform body.

In the reporting year, we continued to actively participate in the activities of the Constitutional Reform Council, presenting our position on a number of fundamental proposals and also presenting regulations developed on our own initiative. In addition, together with our partners from the Helsinki Citizens' Assembly Vanadzor Office, we proposed removing the controversial provision of "stable majority" from the Constitution and separating this amendment from the general package of reforms, suggesting that the Government submit a relevant draft to the National Assembly. However, the proposal was rejected by a majority vote of the council members.

The process of constitutional reform is negatively affected by Azerbaijan's demand to change the preamble to the Constitution, which, they claim, is the main obstacle to a peace agreement.

In 2024, the organization participated in a meeting with the Prime Minister of the Republic of Armenia and representatives of civil society, where the issue of reviewing the composition of the professional committee adjunct to the Constitutional Council was discussed.



• Electoral reform

The Union of Informed Citizens participated in a discussion with civil society partners, the aim of which was to assess the progress of electoral reform over the past three years and its impact on the development of the system.

The organization participated in parliamentary hearings on proposed amendments to the Electoral Code of the Republic of Armenia and related laws. The Programs Coordinator of the Union of Informed Citizens Daniel Ioannisyán delivered a speech highlighting important issues, including the vote recount mechanism, regulations for postponing elections during martial law or a state of emergency, as well as restrictions on party financing.

It can be stated that the overall process of democratic reform is ongoing, and we are convinced that only through consistent and systematic work can real, profound changes and sustainable results be achieved.

Participation in the working groups, councils, and committees provides an opportunity not only to study existing problems in depth, but also to highlight them, discuss them, propose targeted solutions, as well as influence decision-making through voting.



- **Anti-corruption reform**

The Union of Informed Citizens was actively involved in the entire human resources recruitment process in the Anti-Corruption Committee, participating in interviews with 71 candidates, checking the integrity of 14 individuals, and certifying 18 employees. A number of proposals submitted by the organization were discussed at the Anti-Corruption Policy Council.

By collecting and analyzing data from the RA Anti-Corruption Committee and the RA Prosecutor's Office, the organization revealed that citizens report crimes only in exceptional cases. The same picture is also reflected in the www.azdararir.am platform of the Ministry of Justice.

Based on consultations and discussions with representatives of the law enforcement system (Anti-Corruption Committee, Investigative Committee, Police, etc.) and human rights defenders, the organization identified the main problems in citizens' cooperation with law enforcement authorities and possible ways to address them. The relevant proposals were submitted to the Anti-Corruption Policy Council and discussed in its working group, which includes representatives of the RA Ministry of Justice, the RA Investigative Committee of, the RA Prosecutor's Office, other public authorities, and civil society. The representative of the organization, Daniel Ioannisyan, delivered a speech during the parliamentary hearings on these issues.

During the reporting period, the organization was also involved in the committee for selection of the chairperson of the Anti-Corruption Committee.



PUBLIC PROCUREMENT

Within the framework of UK International Development from the UK Government, the organization has been implementing the Promoting Accountability and Public Oversight of Public Procurement project, aimed at strengthening public oversight of the RA public procurement system and promoting transparency and accountability of public procurement.

Within the framework of the project, a study of the RA public procurement system was conducted, and reports were prepared based on the findings.

- The inception report identifies and analyzes issues related to procurement planning, procurement procedures, as well as other components of the public procurement system.
- The interim report examines issues related to technical specifications, procurement implementation, execution of procurement contracts, transparency, internal control, etc.
- The final report presents the activities carried out during the implementation of the project, the results of the studies, conclusions and recommendations.
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Within the framework of the project, a discussion was organized for journalists and civil society representatives, titled "Field Supervision of Public Procurement".

Deputy Minister of Finance of the Republic of Armenia Avag Avanesyan, Head of the Procurement Policy Department of the Ministry of Finance Sergey Shahnazaryan, Head of the Department of Supervision of Procurement Processes of the State Supervision Service Karen Mnatsakanyan, Head of the Urban Development Programs Implementation Department of the Urban Development Committee Arsen Mirzoyan, Senior Contract Management Specialist at the Road Department Fund Artashes Hovsepyan, Deputy Mayor of Yerevan Suren Grigoryan, Public Finance Expert Artak Kyurumyan, Road Construction Programs Specialist Bagrat Badalyan and others spoke at the event.

During the discussion, the participants had the opportunity to get acquainted with the peculiarities of the public procurement system, existing problems, and control mechanisms, as well as to discuss issues related to public oversight and transparency of public procurement with stakeholders in the sector, and ways to expand the oversight toolkit.

Within the framework of the project, the organization provided sub-grants to media outlets and regional NGOs to build their capacities and enhance oversight of public procurement.

As a result of the tender, three organizations were selected: the Information Committee NGO (Yerevan), the Direct Democracy NGO (Lori), and the Drug Utilization Research Group NGO (Shirak).

As part of the project, public awareness raising videos were produced, covering topics like public procurement, the risks involved and the misappropriation of public funds, oversight opportunities for NGOs and the media. The videos had about 4 million views on social platforms.

In addition to the videos, 15 investigative articles were prepared and published on the Fact Investigation Platform website, exposing problems in the public procurement system and revealing corruption risks.



At the Government session on May 23, 2024, the issue of making amendments and additions to Decision No. 526-N of May 4, 2017 of the Government of the Republic of Armenia was discussed and adopted due to the efforts of the organization and cooperation with the Ministry of Finance of the Republic of Armenia. According to these amendments, the mechanisms for the oversight of the procurement delivery and acceptance process were significantly simplified for representatives of the media and non-governmental organizations, in particular:

- a register of oversight organizations was created,
- the restriction on the deadline for applying to the client for oversight purposes was removed,
- the requirement to submit a package of documents each time was removed,
- the possibility to visit construction sites during construction was added,
- an opportunity was provided to take unhindered photographs/videos and measurements,
- an opportunity was provided to be present at the acceptance process without prior notice.

Due to the amendment in the Government decision, the organization visited dozens of public institutions, such as the National Security Service, the Armenian Nuclear Power Plant, the Yerevan Thermal Power Plant, the Ministry of Internal Affairs, the Investigative Committee, schools under construction, gyms, etc., to monitor their procurements.



ARMENIAN FORUM FOR DEMOCRACY

Since 2022, the Union of Informed Citizens has been convening the Armenian Forum for Democracy in collaboration with Freedom House international human rights organization. The Armenian Forum for Democracy Forum is a shared platform between the state and civil society to jointly discuss challenges facing democratic development and opportunities to address them.

On July 1, the Armenian Forum for Democracy was held in Yerevan for the third time, with the participation of the Prime Minister of the Republic of Armenia Nikol Pashinyan, Secretary of the Security Council Armen Grigoryan, Minister of Education, Science, Culture and Sport Zhanna Andreasyan, US Ambassador to the Republic of Armenia Christina Quinn, Head of the EU Delegation to the Republic of Armenia, Ambassador Vasilis Maragos, Director of the Europe and Eurasia Programs of Freedom House Mark Behrendt, as well as about 200 representatives of the executive and legislative bodies of Armenia, the diplomatic corps, civil society, and the media.

Five panel discussions were held within the framework of the forum. The first panel addressed the importance of establishing institutional democracy in Armenia. The speakers also discussed the democratic challenges facing Armenia and human rights violations. The next panel discussion was dedicated to factors influencing the media environment in Armenia, the imperative to increase media literacy. The next panel discussion referred to the development of Armenian media, and the relevant role of local and international partners. The following panel discussion was dedicated to discussing the interdependence of security and democracy. The forum ended with the presentation of a joint report titled “Why Are There No Armenians in Nagorno-Karabakh?”.



DISCUSSIONS / TRAININGS

- **Foreign Policy and Coverage**

Seminar-discussions titled "Foreign Policy and Coverage", which have been organized for years and are highly regarded among journalists, are aimed at minimizing manipulations around foreign policy and shaping objective criticism. The series of these discussions is a platform for foreign policy-related capacity building for journalists (as well as opinion leaders), having a significant impact on the quality of journalism and providing an opportunity to engage directly with sectoral actors, like ministers, ambassadors, representatives of international organizations and experts in the Chatham House Rule format.

During 2024, the Union of Informed Citizens organized 4 discussions dedicated to the prospects for peace in a changing world, Armenia's foreign policy line, diversification and related problems, and challenges faced by Armenia against the backdrop of international developments.

Deputy Prime Minister of the Republic of Armenia Mher Grigoryan, Secretary of the Security Council of the Republic of Armenia Armen Grigoryan, Deputy Speaker of the National Assembly of the Republic of Armenia, Special Representative of Armenia in the Normalization Process between Armenia and Turkey Ruben Rubinyan, Deputy Minister of Foreign Affairs of the Republic of Armenia Vahan Kostanyan, Minister of Economy of the Republic of Armenia Vahan Kerobyan, Head of the Migration and Citizenship Service of the Ministry of Internal Affairs Armen Ghazaryan, Head of the EU Delegation to Armenia, EU Ambassador H.E. Vasilis Maragos, Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of the Republic of Poland Piotr Skwiecinski, Deputy Head of the EU Mission to Armenia Marek Kuberski, USAID Energy Secure Armenia Program Manager Abgar Budaghyan and others spoke at the meetings.

Participants had the opportunity to gain an in-depth understanding of Armenia's foreign policy challenges, ask questions to sectoral representatives, and exchange experiences in foreign policy coverage.

- **The retreat of anti-corruption reform**

In September, the Union of Informed Citizens organized a two-day event titled “The Process of Anti-Corruption Reform in Armenia” for journalists and public opinion leaders.

RA Deputy Minister of Justice Karen Karapetyan, RA Deputy Minister of Finance Avag Avanesyan, Chairperson of the Anti-Corruption Committee Sasun Khachatryan, Acting Chairperson of the Corruption Prevention Commission Mariam Galstyan, Deputy Prosecutor General Srбуhi Galyan, as well as Programs Coordinator of the Union of Informed Citizens Daniel Ioannisyian spoke at the event.



DISCUSSION WITH SCHOOLCHILDREN

Within the framework of Advancing Democratic Culture in Armenia program, on December 13, the Union of Informed Citizens NGO organized a training on the ongoing reform in the Ministry of Internal Affairs for students of Martuni High School after T. Abrahamyan. Press Secretary of the Ministry of Internal Affairs Narek Sargsyan presented the process of the reform and the results to the students and teachers.

The project purpose is to inform the public about reforms in various sectors by organizing discussions in schools.



PUBLIC DISCUSSIONS

A number of public discussions were organized in 2024.

- Representatives of civil society, journalists and experts participated in the public discussion titled “Prospects for Energy Diversification in Armenia.” Speakers included Chairperson of the NA Standing Committee on Financial-Credit and Budgetary Affairs Tsovinar Vardanyan, and Chief of Party for the USAID Energy Secure Armenia Program Abgar Budaghyan.
- Journalists, civic activists, and representatives of the Ministry of Internal Affairs participated in the discussion titled “Police Violence: New Wave or Old Traditions?” Speakers included the Human Rights Defender of Armenia Anahit Manasyan, Freedom House representative Andranik Shirinyan, Deputy Chairperson of the Standing Committee on Human Rights Protection and Public Affairs Rustam Bakoyan, and Senior Program Manager at the Democracy Development Foundation Tatevik Khachatryan.

These discussions allow participants to ask questions to sectoral representatives and jointly discuss issues.



CAMP

The Union of Informed Citizens NGO, in collaboration with the Restart Foundation for Science and Education, organized a four-day youth camp in Jermuk to promote foreign policy discourse, enhance awareness and engagement among young people.

Forty active young people from all regions of Armenia and Yerevan had the opportunity to learn about the history of Armenia's foreign policy, current challenges and opportunities to address them, as well as manipulations and disinformation surrounding foreign policy. The best experts in the field and representatives of the EU Monitoring Mission delivered speeches.

During the workshop, the youth received mentorship support from the Restart Foundation to develop community projects aimed at promoting youth engagement in discussions around foreign policy.



COUNTING PARTICIPANTS IN RALLIES

In 2024, the organization monitored rallies demanding the resignation of the Prime Minister. The number of participants in the rallies was calculated to prevent potential manipulation and speculation.

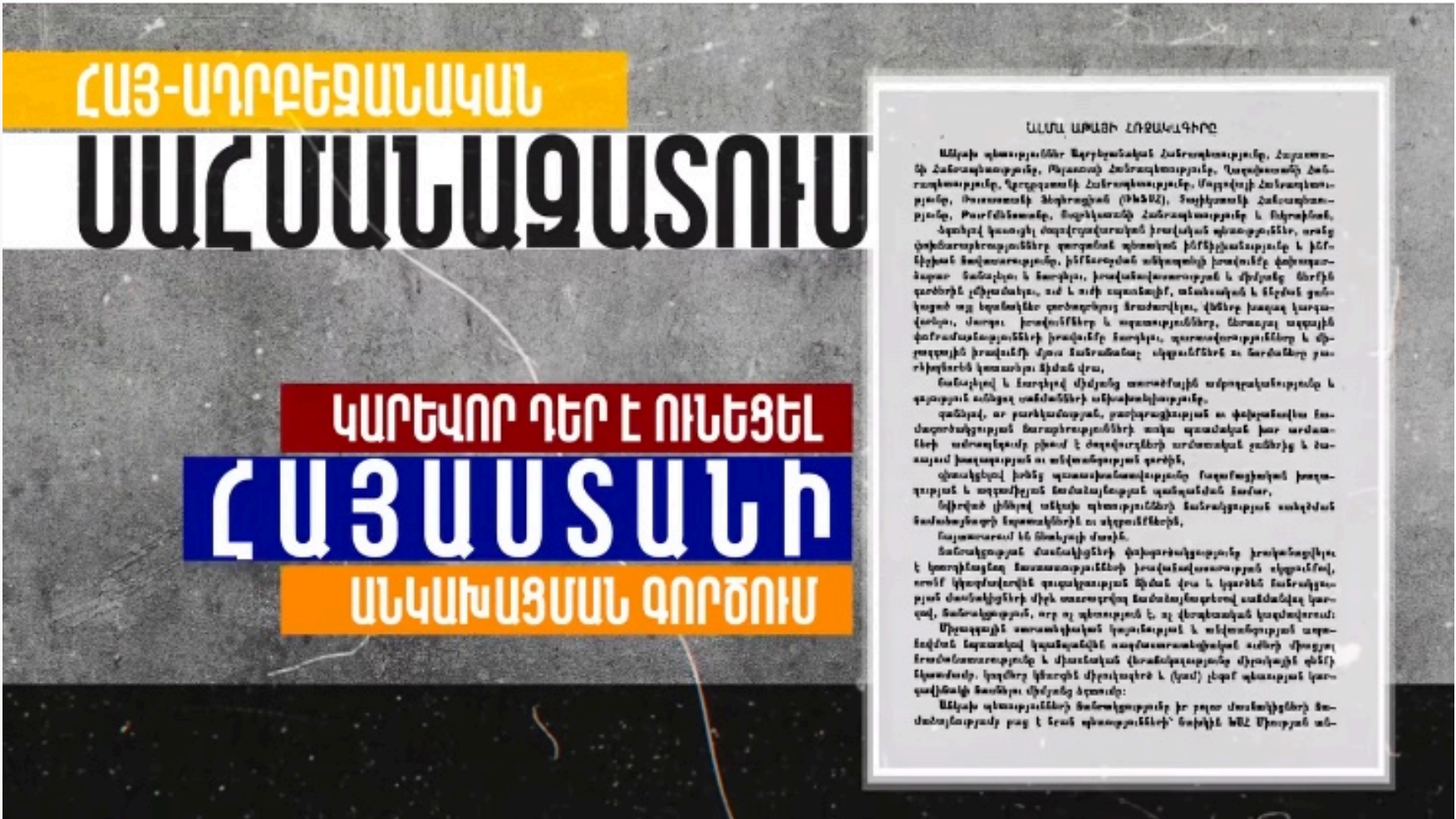
During the year, 10 rallies were documented through drone footage, including one in Tbilisi, Georgia, where the opposition was challenging the results of the parliamentary elections.



PUBLICATIONS

During 2024, the Union of Informed Citizens continued to conduct research and publish analytical articles on foreign policy, economy, security, human rights, democracy, and other issues. A total of 16 analytical articles were published during the year.

In addition, 17 animated videos were prepared on foreign policy, regional security, the role of Russia and Iran, as well as ongoing reforms. The analytical articles had an average of around 30,000 views each, and the videos had over 400,000 views, which indicates that they are interesting and contribute to raising public awareness.



• **Public awareness and legal awareness raising**

The Union of Informed Citizens published videos aimed at raising public legal awareness and protecting rights.

They contain information on:

- how to contact the police,
- what to do if you were subjected to violence at the police station,
- what to do if asked to pay a bribe,
- why fighting against corruption is important,
- what are the manifestations of corruption.

The videos gathered over 3.4 million views.

In 2024, new sections were added to the "Who to Contact" website (umdimel.am):

- "What to do if you have been subjected to violence at the police station?"
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- "What should I do if I filed a crime report, and the law enforcement agency passed my data on to the offender?"
- "What to do if asked to pay a bribe?"
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Note that the "Who to Contact" website was created back in 2018 to raise public awareness. The website contains useful information on who to contact and what to do if you encounter various problems.

The organization also released a new program in 2024, which aired on Boon TV. The "Citizen-State" program series discussed important issues such as citizen-state relations, the principles of their construction, and ways to increase their effectiveness. A total of 30 programs were broadcast during the year.

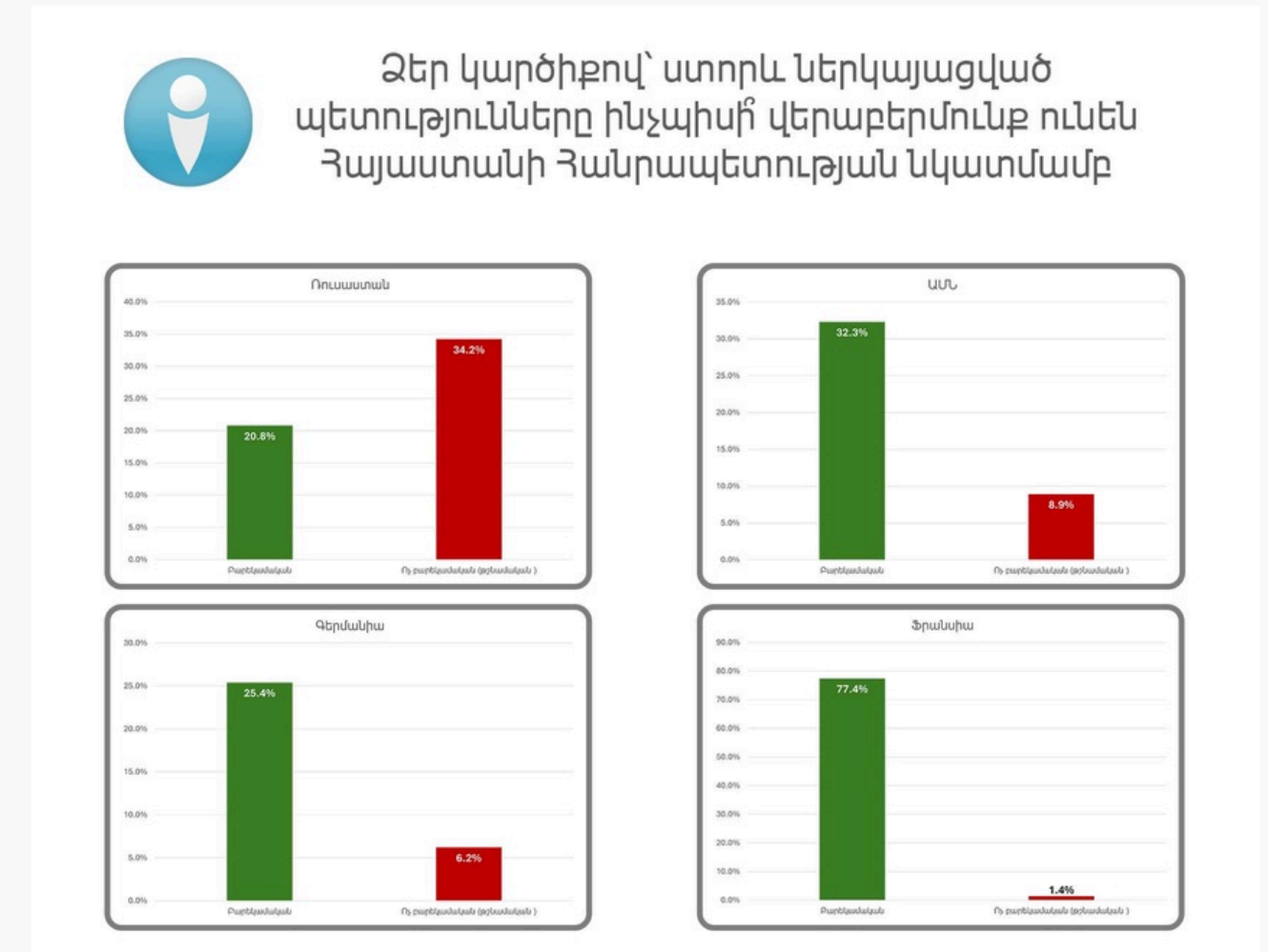
• Social survey

In March 2024, the organization presented the results of a survey on perceptions and attitude towards the activities of the law enforcement bodies, the foreign policy of the Republic of Armenia, and the media literacy of the population of the Republic of Armenia. The research was conducted by the Advanced Public Research Group NGO, and contains comparative data from a similar study conducted in 2019. A total of 1,200 citizens from all regions of Armenia and Yerevan participated in the survey.

The findings revealed a number of problematic issues, in particular, a lack of public trust in law enforcement agencies and a low level of willingness to cooperate with them.

As regards foreign policy, the change in public opinion about the country's future is remarkable. 41% of respondents believe that the situation is getting worse. In 2019, 72% of respondents perceived Russia as a friendly country, while in 2024, only 21% think so.

As for media literacy, the survey results indicate that the indexes related to verification of the reliability of information, literate consumption, and dissemination of information have increased, while the index for the ability to search for information has declined.



LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES

The Union of Informed Citizens organized a five-month internship for journalists displaced from Nagorno-Karabakh to develop their skills in fact-checking journalism.

The journalists acquired both theoretical and practical knowledge. A total of 10 courses were delivered by industry experts on the following topics:

- skills in searching and identifying individuals through open sources,
- general principles of operation of UAVs and practical training flight,
- open-source research and skills in searching for necessary information,
- identifying fake users and factories of fake users on social networks,
- photography basics,
- video editing basics,
- maps, positioning and air navigation systems,
- photo and video verification tools,
- the role of artificial intelligence in the modern media production cycle,
- key skills and priorities in fact-checking.

The trainee journalists applied the acquired knowledge by preparing around 50 fact-checking articles and investigations for the Fact Investigation Platform (FIP.am).



STATEMENT

Together with partner NGOs, the organization expressed deep concern over the clash between protesting citizens and police officers on Baghramyan Avenue in Yerevan on June 12, 2024, which resulted in about 100 people receiving bodily injuries.

Analyzing the rhetoric, actions, speeches and appeals of the figures who organized the demonstrations in the period preceding the clash, as well as the video recordings of the clash and other available objective data, the organizations recorded that the police did not take all appropriate steps to avoid clashes with citizens, and after the clash, the police crossed the line of proportionality and the restrictions on the use of stun grenades, as a result of which the fundamental rights of several dozen people were violated.

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OSCE ODIHR HUMAN DIMENSION CONFERENCE



Within the framework of the annual OSCE/ODIHR Human Dimension Conference held in Warsaw, in his speech on October 3, Programs Coordinator of the Union of Informed Citizens Daniel Ioannisyán addressed Azerbaijan's policy of Armenophobia and preparations to launch a new aggression against Armenia, emphasizing Azerbaijan's exploitation of the false narrative of "Western Azerbaijan". Countering the claims regarding the Armenian side's alleged mistreatment of Azerbaijani prisoners of war, Daniel Ioannisyán reminded that no Azerbaijani prisoner died in Armenian captivity, while the Azerbaijanis executed not only disarmed Armenian soldiers, but also civilians.

In his October 4 speech, Daniel Ioannisyán addressed the problems in Armenia's judicial system, highlighting the issue of controversial appointments of certain officials.

In his October 8 speech, Daniel Ioannisyán addressed the manifestations of racism in Azerbaijan and the Armenophobic statements of the Azerbaijani authorities.

REVENUE AND EXPENSE STATEMENT FOR 2024

2024 REVENUE BY SOURCES			USD
1	National Endowment for Democracy (Washington)	<i>Balance</i>	22,931
		<i>Revenue</i>	158,000
2	United Kingdom Government (London)	<i>Balance</i>	38,178
		<i>Revenue</i>	59,194
3	The United States Embassy (Yerevan)	<i>Balance</i>	1,403
		<i>Revenue</i>	27,005
4	Democracy Development Foundation (Yerevan)	<i>Balance</i>	0
		<i>Revenue</i>	51,028
5	Freedom House (Washington)	<i>Balance</i>	0
		<i>Revenue</i>	41,631
6	Internews Network (Yerevan)	<i>Balance</i>	0
		<i>Revenue</i>	20,860
7	Open Information Partnership (London)	<i>Balance</i>	0
		<i>Revenue</i>	14,180
8	Public Journalism Club (Yerevan)	<i>Balance</i>	0
		<i>Revenue</i>	10,888
9	Freedom House (Washington)	<i>Balance</i>	0
		<i>Revenue</i>	9,650
10	European Union Delegation to Armenia (Yerevan)	<i>Balance</i>	0
		<i>Revenue</i>	10,083
11	Embassy of France in Armenia (Yerevan)	<i>Balance</i>	0
		<i>Revenue</i>	12,892
12	Friedrich Naumann Foundation for Freedom (Tbilisi); Research Center on Security Policy (Yerevan)	<i>Balance</i>	0
		<i>Revenue</i>	1,578
TOTAL			479,501

	2024 EXPENSES BY PROGRAMS		USD
1	Public Debate on Foreign Policy and Democratic Reforms	<i>Expenses</i>	158,505
2	Promoting Accountability and Public Oversight of Public Procurement	<i>Expenses</i>	97,372
3	Fighting Corruption and Human Rights Violations through the Engagement of Citizens	<i>Expenses</i>	28,408
4	Fighting Disinformation in the Crucial Areas with a Focus on Democratization Reforms, Human Rights and Civic Participation	<i>Expenses</i>	44,452
5	Advancing Democratic Culture in Armenia	<i>Expenses</i>	30,706
6	Minimizing Spread of Misinformation and Anti-Democratic Propaganda and Monitoring Dissemination of Key Propaganda Narratives	<i>Expenses</i>	20,860
7	Advancing Foreign Policy Discourse through Raising Awareness and Increasing Youth Participation	<i>Expenses</i>	14,180
8	Media Capacity Building Program for Nagorno-Karabakh Displaced Media Workers in Armenia	<i>Expenses</i>	10,888
9	Armenian Forum for Democracy 2024	<i>Expenses</i>	9,650
10	Armenian Forum for Democracy 2024	<i>Expenses</i>	10,083
11	Combating Disinformation through Monitoring of the Information Flow, Fact-checking and Publications	<i>Expenses</i>	8,324
12	"One Minute on What's Important" Video Shorts	<i>Expenses</i>	1,578
	TOTAL		435,008