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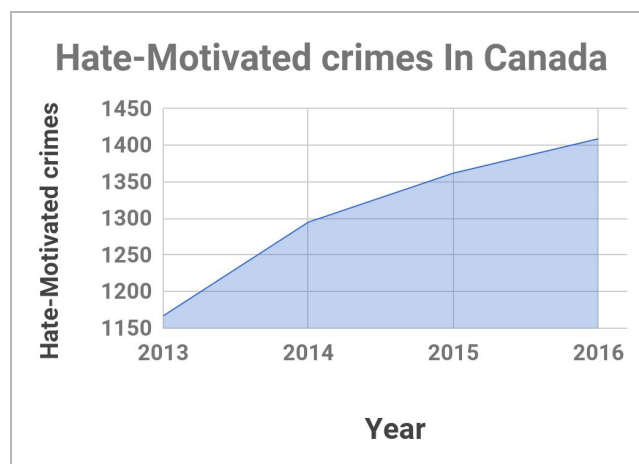
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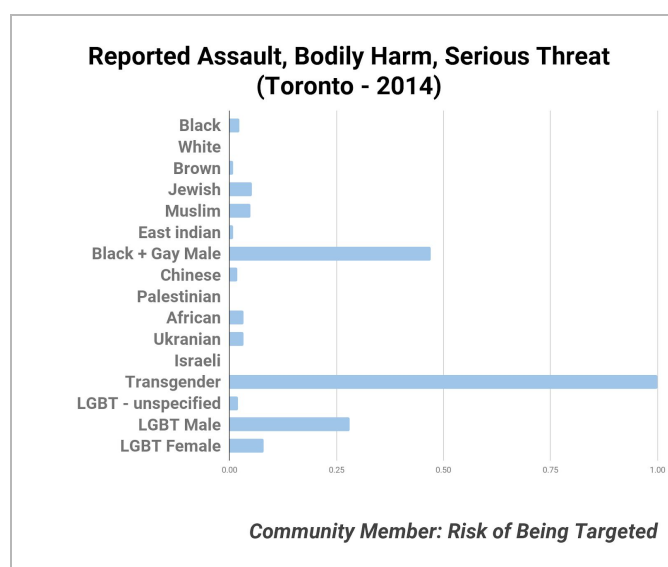
The law should protect and uphold all of our rights so we can live our lives to the fullest.

Canada is recognized as a global human rights leader. While there is much to be proud of, a good deal of work remains to be done to ensure the laws are evenly and fairly applied for all Canadians.

Hate-motivated violence is on the rise for the 3rd year in a row, with Statistics Canada reporting that *“attacks against a person’s sexual orientation, as well as people identified as South Asian, Arab or West Asian, East or Southeast Asian ethnicities, and as Jewish, all saw increases.”*¹



Identifiable groups of Canadians face systemic discrimination and injustice at rates higher than the general population. Canada’s indigenous people have faced multi-generational inequality including basic services that others take for granted. Seven Muslim persons were mass-murdered during worship in 2017. Organizations that *actively discriminate* are contracted out by public institutions. Persons are inadequately protected by their employer or service provider from discrimination. Hate groups target marginalized communities.



Hate flyers attributed to white-supremacist group the Klu Klux Klan have been distributed multiple times over the last few years in Mission, Abbotsford, and Chilliwack British Columbia, most recently in December, 2017.² Flyers and public signs targeting transgender persons have begun appearing regularly. 2014 Toronto Police Department data demonstrates some communities are more at risk than others.

The Morgane Oger Foundation

The Morgane Oger Foundation is needed to help narrow the gap between our law and its application for all Canadians. We will work to better protect Canadians through improved policies and regulations that can be reasonably improved. We will identify and break down systemic barriers to justice using our laws in order to definitively change institutions.

The Morgane Oger Foundation will fight to increase equality and justice for all Canadians by leveraging the invaluable experience and lessons learned by Morgane Oger during her fight to remove barriers for transgender persons by

improving human rights legislation and police policies in Canada. The foundation will fulfill this mandate through education, advocacy and through the funding of precedent-setting legal interventions.

Mission

To increase equality and justice for all Canadians by working to diminish the gap between the federal and provincial law of Canada and its application through education, advocacy, and participation in legal interventions.

Vision

The foundation envisions a nation free of inequality and discrimination among all peoples in Canada, where everyone can count on the equitable application of our laws.

Leadership

The non-profit foundation is led by Executive Director Morgane Oger on the advice of an advisory committee of subject-matter experts on oppressed communities which will provide guidance and direction.

Main Activities

We fund and organize campaigns that advocate, educate, and use legal means to permanently address systemic injustice in Canada. Requests for assistance should be directed to info@ogerfoundation.ca

2018 will be an exciting and pivotal year for establishing the internal processes, brand, and reputation of the organization as we establish our fundraising streams and internal processes. Leveraging an initial private contribution, the Morgane Oger Foundation will develop our processes and brand through our first project: supporting a human-rights case centered around the publication of hate speech on the basis of gender identity or expression.



1. Mayer, Carl. *Canadian hate crimes growing and more violent for third straight year*. National Observer <https://tinyurl.com/NatObsHateCrimesNov2017>
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