

UNESCO CHAIR SEXUAL HEALTH & HUMAN RIGHTS

Promote the values of human
rights related to health and
human relations



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• Santé sexuelle &
• Droits humains,
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ACTING THROUGH PREVENTION TO FIGHT RISKS AND UNACCEPTABLE BEHAVIORS

**All around the globe, the
reality is alarming!**

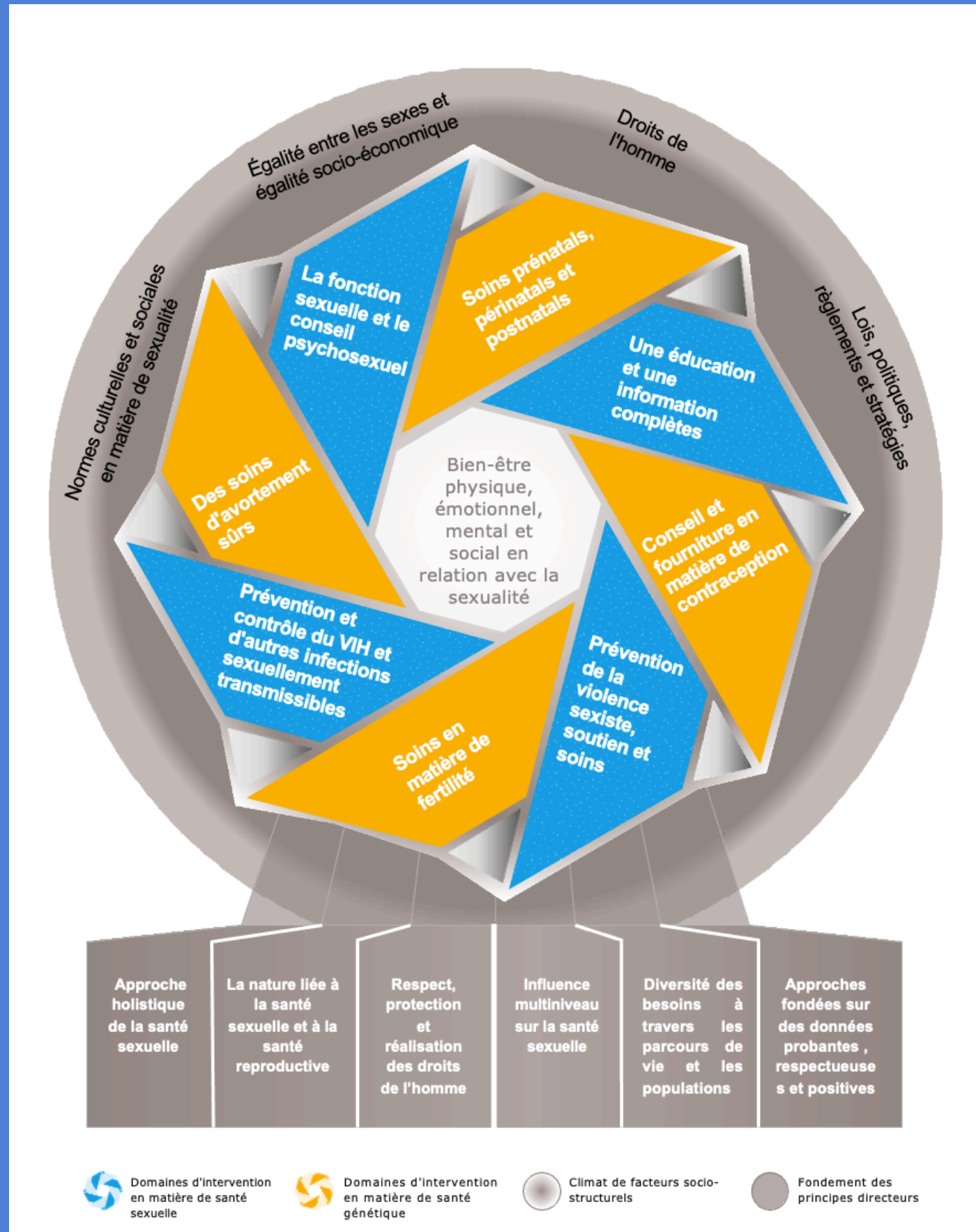
Every year worldwide :

- ▶ **Over 440 million** curable STIs.
- ▶ **Over 700 million** viral infections.
- ▶ **16 million** unplanned adolescent pregnancies every year.
- ▶ **3 million women** undergo unsafe abortions.

In France

- ▶ **1 in 10 women** under the age of 20 are subject to **sexual abuse**.
- ▶ **1 in 5 girls** between the ages of 12 and 15 has been called "**whore**" and "**slut**".
- ▶ **4 out of 5 women with disabilities** are victims of **violence**.
- ▶ **1/3 of homosexual men** have been victims of **homophobic abuse** over the last 12 months.

WHAT ARE WE TALKING ABOUT ?



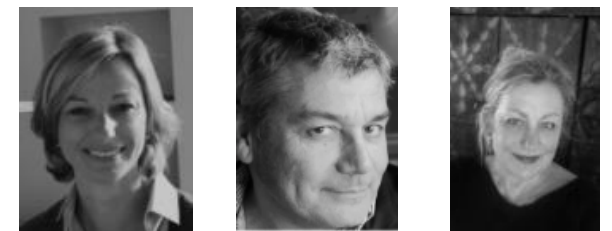
OUR COMMITMENT

Under the guidance of **UNESCO** and the sponsorship of the **University of Paris**, the UNESCO Chair Sexual Health & Human Rights initiate **actions that are in line with the international recommendations of UNESCO, WHO and the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) 2030**, defined by the **United Nations**.

This Chair created in 2010 aims at **linking sexual health to human rights** and **offering new perspectives**. Rather than approaching sexual health through pathologies, risks and populations, the Chair worked on a **positive and global approach to sexuality** that guarantees an **autonomous, satisfying, and safe sexual life**, gives every person the **freedom to decide** whether to conceive children, and enable people to have **relationships** and a **relational life without violence**.

Its actions are based on the commitment of civil society to collectively achieve the SDGs related to sexual health:

- ▶ Empower individuals to **live healthy lives** and **promote sexual wellbeing** for all people at all ages.
- ▶ Ensure that all people have **access to quality education** throughout their lives.
- ▶ Achieve **gender equality** and empower women and girls.
- ▶ **Promote peace** and ensure **access to justice for all**.
- ▶ Promote **partnerships**.



The mission of the UNESCO Chair Sexual Health & Human Rights is to innovate through education, training, research and communication.

10 YEARS OF EDUCATIONAL MISSIONS

- ▶ **10 classes holding a university diploma** in Education and Counseling in Sexual Health & Human Rights: **400 students trained.**
- ▶ **Innovative training in sexual health & human rights** for health professionals in West Africa.
- ▶ Accessible and **free Seminars and conferences** on sexual health: **72 videos, 64,000 views.**

- ▶ **International e-learning training**, pilot courses & modules on Sexual Health & Human Rights, **training education for decision makers and health professionals WHO/GFMER.**
- ▶ **Free online courses:** MOOCs on sexual health basics in 12 units: **38,000 learners, 93 countries.**
- ▶ **15 awards for innovation** in sexual health education.



**Training with Enda
Graff Sahel Dakar 2014**

10 YEARS OF POLITICAL MISSIONS

- ▶ **International symposiums** of the UNESCO Chair (Glasgow, Porto Alegre, Malta, Vienna, Istanbul, Mexico City, Vancouver).
- ▶ **Communications** in all national congresses on sexual health.
- ▶ Participation in **research groups** in partnership with WHO, e-COST and the European Union.
- ▶ Participation in the **Sexual Rights Committee of the WAS**.
- ▶ **Publication of 3 books:** Sexual Health & Human Rights, a challenge for humanity (2015), Sexual Health for All, Volume 1 and 2 (2017 and 2020).

- ▶ **Release of a bi-monthly NewsLetter** (9,000 subscribers).
- ▶ Presence on **social medias** (Instagram, Facebook, Twitter, Youtube): more than 5.000 subscribers.
- ▶ **21 Intimus Webinars**, during the lockdown period, 42.000 views.
- ▶ **International partnerships** with universities in (Sao Polo, Lima, Moscow, Antananarivo, Lomé, Dakar, Jalisco, Brescia, Rome...)



**WHO Steering Committee of the Brief
Sexuality Communication Research
Group. 2012-2015, Geneva.**

Committed men & women

OUR TEAM:

The Executive Committee:

Pierre Benghozi: Psychoanalyst and child psychiatrist

Marie Chollier: Clinical psychologist and sexologist

Ingrid Geray: Lawyer

Antonio Gerbase : Public health physician

Joëlle Mignot: Clinical psychologist and sexologist

Arnaud Sevène: Physician and sexologist

Thierry Troussier: Public Health Medical Inspector, sexologist

The operation team :

Grace Daccache: Project Manager

Georgina Le Poul: Project Manager

Thierry Digonnet: Commercial Development

Virginie Baldeschi: Communication

IN ADDITION TO

- ▶ 18 university professors on the **Scientific Committee**, 9 in France and 9 abroad.
- ▶ 40 correspondents in 20 countries.
- ▶ 10 international academic partnerships.
- ▶ 200 partners in the **UNITWIN Education and Health network..**



The Executive Committee

An interdisciplinary, multicultural, gender-balanced and international organization

THE UNESCO CHAIR SEXUAL HEALTH & HUMAN RIGHTS

Relies on



The fonds de Dotation Human Earth

It supports and conducts any mission of general interest that contributes to the functioning of the UNESCO Chair Sexual Health & Human Rights. Its internal regulations define the organization of the Chair:



Human Earth Consulting

This business unit provides solutions to specific requests from companies (HR, CSR, etc...)

Board of Directors

COMPOSITION

- **President** : The Chairholder
- **Vice-president** : Michel Lombard
- **Secretary** : Thierry Dignonnet
- **Treasurer** : Léo Ernest Petro

TASK

- Decide on the **action program of the endowment fund** in accordance with the Chair's program.
- Adopt the **activity report**.
- **Vote on the budget and its modifications**.
- Define the **conditions of recruitment and remuneration of the staff**

Operation Team

COMPOSITION

- Project manager(s)
- Communications officer
- Commercial development officer

TASK

- Carry out the **initiated actions**.
- Look for **partners and funds** within the exclusive framework of the Chair.

Executive Committee

COMPOSITION

- It is chaired by the **Chairholder or his/her representative**.
- A **maximum of 7 experts** in sexual health or sexology or human rights, members of the Experts Committee (appointed by the Chairholder).

TASK

- The Committee is responsible for **coordinating, developing and monitoring the implementation of the measures and actions** outlined in the missions of the Chair
- It **relies on the recommendations** given by the Experts and the Scientific e Committees
- It draws up an **annual activity report** on the implemented missions and drafts proposals for the elaboration of a new program for the coming year.

Steering Committee

COMPOSITION

- **The Chairholder** or his/her representative.
- The **ex officio members of the University of Paris Diderot**.
- The **ex officio members of the French National Commission for Unesco (CNFU)**.
- The **representatives of the different committees**.
- **Representatives of major donors** for the time corresponding to their donations (donations >50 000 €/year).

TASK

- It is responsible for guiding the **strategies** implemented by the Chair's annual program.
- It may **recommend adjustments to the Chair's orientation** and actions made necessary by scientific, medical, legislative, regulatory or behavioral developments.

Scientific Committee

COMPOSITION

- The **representative of the University of Paris Diderot** (presiding the committee).
- **The Chairholder**.
- **Up to 21 academics**, specializing in various subjects that can support and enlighten the missions of the UNESCO Chair (nominatively appointed by the Chairholder).

TASK

- It **reports to the Chairholder**.
- It is in charge of **informing the Chair on all scientific aspects** corresponding to the Chair's missions.
- It **monitors scientific, medical, legal and societal developments** likely to affect the activities of the UNESCO Chair.
- It **designs and suggests recommendations** to the Executive and Steering Committee.
- It participates, upon the Chair's request, in communication actions relating to the plan.

Experts Committee

COMPOSITION

- **The Chairholder**.
- The **Members of the Executive Committee**.
- The **Corespondents** (appointed by the Chairholder).
- **Experts** in fields that are essential to the proper functioning of the Chair.

Members are accepted upon sending their application and a cover letter to the Chairholder. At least half a day of volunteer work per year is required to participate in the Chair's activities.

TASK

- By their expertise, the members are in charge of backing and participating in the actions related to the Chair's missions.
- The member of this committee shall :
- **Represent the UNESCO Chair in their regions or sub-regions** (if they hold the title of Correspondent).
- **Report the problems encountered & identified** in the application of sexual health & human rights in their regions or sub-regions.
- **Participate in the Chair's activities** through their expertise.
- **Oversee and conduct** implemented plans and actions.

OUR 10-YEAR STRATEGY: 2020 - 2030

The sexual health and human rights strategy of the UNESCO Chair is part of the implementation plan of the international strategies of UNESCO, WHO and the 2030 Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) defined by the United Nations.

OUR STRATEGY IS DIVIDED IN 4 AXES

AXE 1 :

Promote **human rights related to sexual health**, throughout life/for all, at all ages through education, in a comprehensive, positive, inclusive and collaborative approach.

AXE 2 :

Improve the level of **training professionals** working in all disciplines closely or remotely related to the field of sexual health and human rights.

AXE 3 :

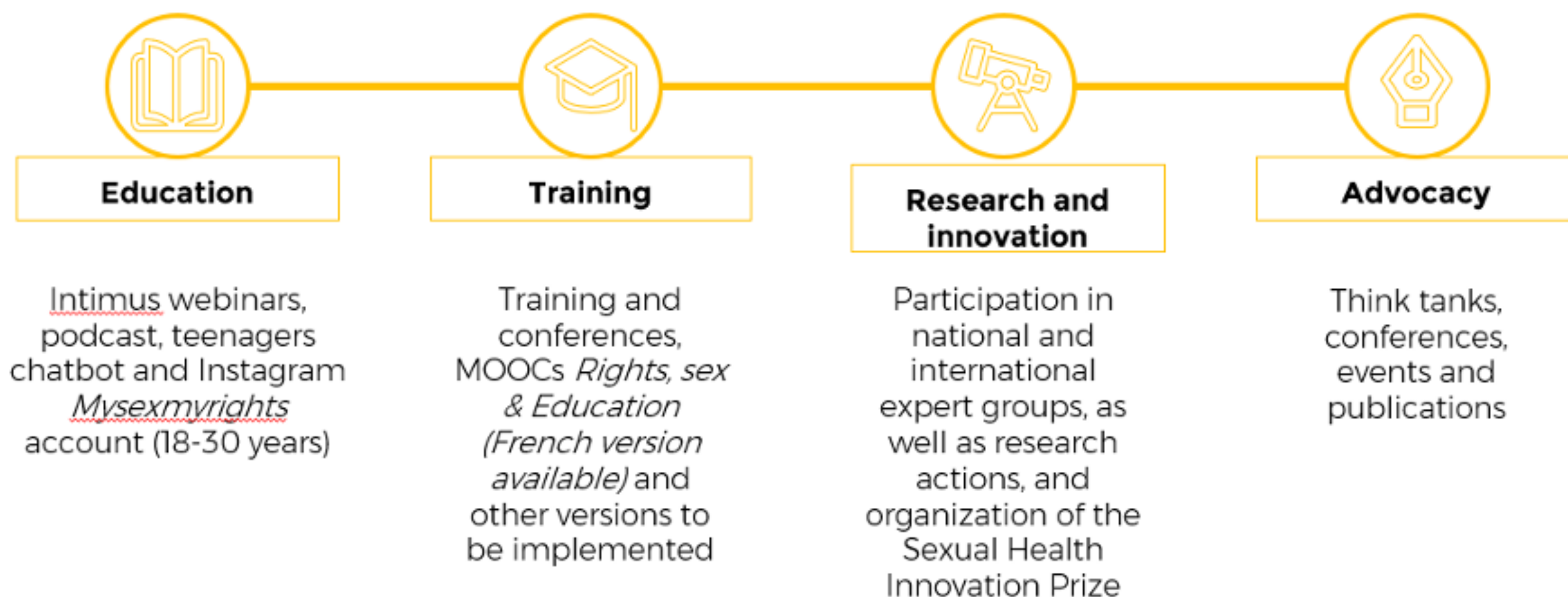
Promote **research, knowledge and innovation** in the field of sexual health and human rights.

AXE 4 :

To undertake **advocacy actions** in order to **fight for behavioral changes** with respect for human rights.

OUR ROADMAP: 2020 - 2022

The timetable of the UNESCO Chair's strategy is aligned with the 2030 ambitions defined for the SDGs. Here is the mid-term roadmap for the actions in 2022.



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A PRIVILEGED
PARTNER**

**HELP US BE A PROMOTER OF HUMAN
RIGHTS AND SEXUAL HEALTH! PUT YOUR
NAME OR THE ONE OF YOUR COMPANY
OR YOUR ORGANIZATION ON ADVOCACY
ACTIONS ACROSS THE WORLD AIMING AT
CHANGING INDIVIDUAL AND COLLECTIVE
BEHAVIOR.**

BECOME A DONOR

To show your commitment

Starting 1€

BECOME AN HONORARY MEMBER

To funds the Chair's operations over 2 years and to give this structure and operational sustainability.

Minimum 50K €

BECOME A SPONSOR

To support flagship actions.

For example:

- ▶ **100K€/year** enabled us to develop a massive open online course: 30,000 people reached.
- ▶ **50K€/year** for mobilizing and engaging advocacy on various platforms and networks (social networks, videos, media, conferences...).
- ▶ **30K€/year** to finance educational actions for all: Podcasts, Webinars, Chatbot: 100.000. people reached.
- ▶ A potential collaboration with Arte productions: 40.000€.

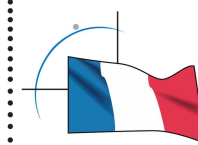
BECOME THE CHAIR'S AMBASSADOR

Associate your name to the Chair and help us take further actions and shine.

THEY CURRENTLY SUPPORT US



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**Partners are to be involved in the design of actions and are privileged guests at our events. They shall use the "partner logo" of the UNESCO Chair Sexual Health & Human Rights. Individual donors shall benefit from a tax deduction of 66% of the amount of the donation.*

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