The history of the International Society for Human Rights is closely tied to that of the Soviet Union. After its fall in 1991, ISHR sections formed in many countries of the former USSR, including all six countries of the Eastern Partnership (Armenia, Azerbaijan, Belarus, Georgia, Moldova, and Ukraine) as well as in Russia. Currently, exciting joint projects regarding freedom of information and media and strengthening civil society actors are being carried out in the region by the sections, initiated by the ISHR in Germany, with support from the German Federal Foreign Office.

Obituary for Maja Caspari: head of ISHR-Romania

After 30 years of membership in the International Council, Maja Caspari, Chairperson of the ISHR-Romania-Section, one of the pillars of ISHR-Council, left us in March 2020 at the age of 88 after a long illness. We will honor her memory.
Does Corona interfere with Putin’s New Coup d’État?

Does Corona turn politics into satire? Not at all, even if it sounds like it. PhD – Carmen Krusch, head of the Eastern Europe section of the International Society for Human Rights, takes a stand on developments and dangers that require our full attention, with a serious wink.

The Right to a Fair Trial in Ukraine

In 2019, the ISHR continued to monitor observation of the right to a fair trial in Ukraine. Since July, this work has been carried out as part of the project “Strengthening the rule of law in Ukraine” of the Ministry of Economic Development and Cooperation of the Federal Republic of Germany.

Does Belarus downplay the global coronavirus pandemic?

Belarusians began to feel the consequences of the global coronavirus pandemic around the beginning of the second decade of March 2020. The authorities were forced to restrict the entry and departure rules in response to similar measures taken by neighboring states to limit the movement of people.
Systematic torture of prisoners in Eastern Ukraine

Federal Government Human Rights Commissioner shocked

Minsk Roundtable-Overcoming Disinformation in the Media

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