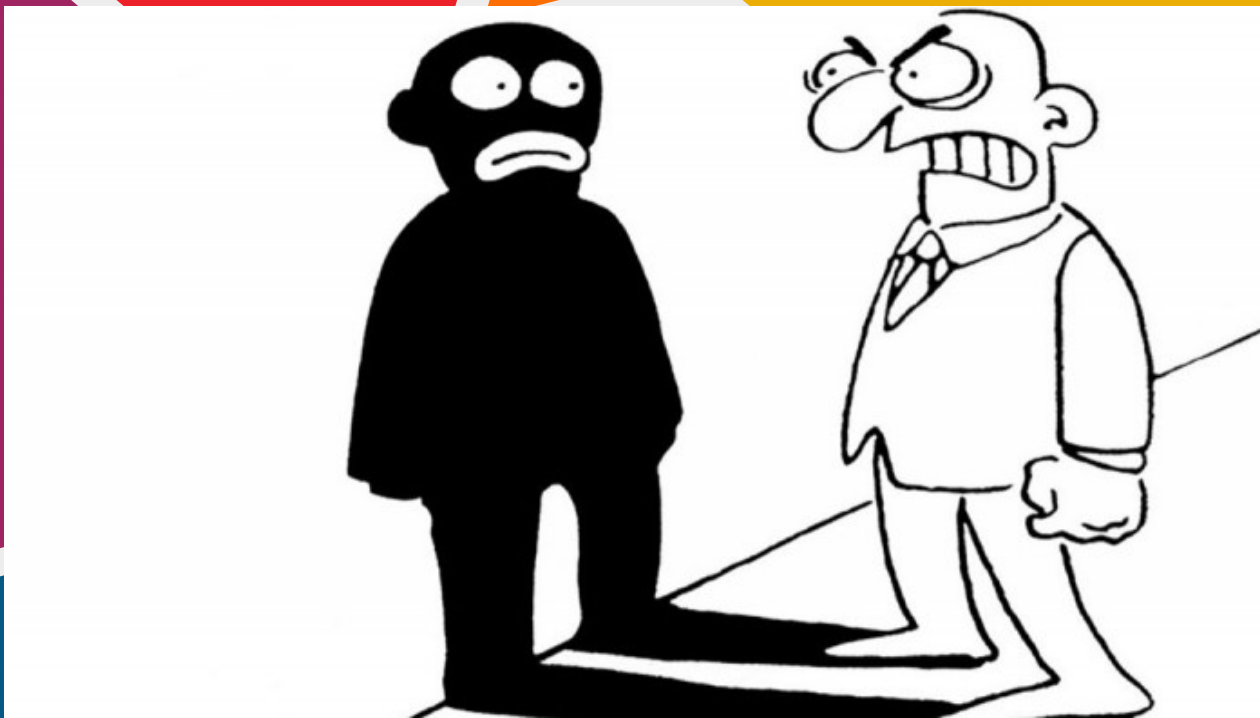


# Fighting against discrimination in Italy



# Italian Constitution:



## Articles from Italian the Constitution:

### -Prohibition of discrimination (art. 3):

*“All citizens have equal social dignity and are equal before the law, without distinction of sex, race, language, religion, political opinion, personal and social conditions. [...]”*

### -Right to education (art. 34):

*“Schools are open to everyone. [...]”*

### -Right to well-being (art. 38):

*“Every citizen unable to work and without the necessary means of subsistence is entitled to welfare support. [...]”*

# European Constitution:



## Articles from the European Constitution:

### -Right to dignity (art. II-61):

*“Human dignity is inviolable. It must be respected and protected.”*

### -Freedom of thought, conscience and religion (art. II-70):

*“Everyone has the right to freedom of thought, conscience and religion. [...]”*

### -Right to education (art. II-74):

*“ Everyone has the right to education and to have access to vocational and continuing training. [...]”*

# Discriminatory acts in Italy:

More than 3 out of 5 boys in Italy are victims of discrimination. Homosexuality, membership of the Rom community, obesity or the fact of being of color are reasons why people are likely to be discriminated against. To these follow the being of Islamic religion, the being poor or disabled.

*(Survey made by Save the Children)*



# Common forms of discrimination:

## Discrimination of minorities:

37% of people from sub-Saharan Africa,  
20% of North Africans feel discriminated  
because of their skin colour,

32% of South Asians feel discriminated because of their ethnicity.

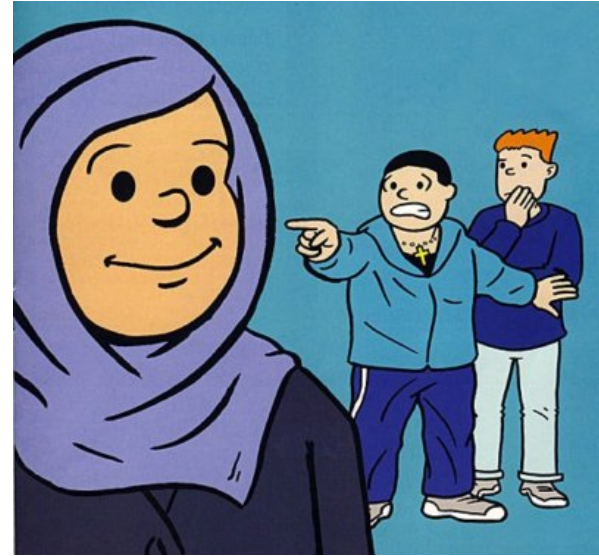


# Common forms of discrimination:

## Religious discrimination:

10% of sub-Saharan Africans feel discriminated because of their religion.

In Italy, the most discriminated religion is Islam.



# Common forms of discrimination:

## Geographical discrimination:

Geographic origin is the cause of most of the discrimination between compatriots.

In northern Italy it is easy to be discriminated for those coming from the most southern regions.

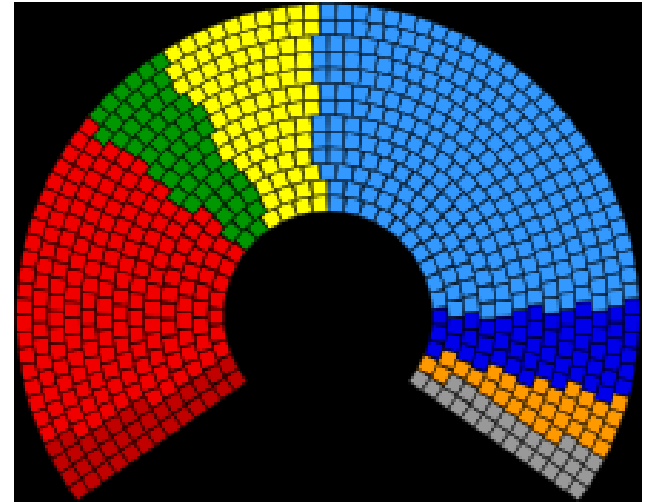
In some regions for historical reasons discrimination also exists between citizens of neighboring cities.



# Common forms of discrimination:

## Political discrimination:

Very often people are discriminated against for political ideology in contradiction with freedom of thought.







**But what about someone who isn't a  
citizen?**


**Does he have the same rights?**

## **There are two different positions:**

- **A part of Italian population thinks that anyone in Italy should have the same rights.**
- **Instead, another part of Italians thinks that those who don't have the citizenship, mustn't have the same rights of them.**

A snowy forest at night with a vibrant aurora borealis in the sky. The trees are covered in snow, and the sky is filled with colorful lights in shades of green, red, and yellow. The text is overlaid on the image.

As both of those sides think that everyone has the **same duties**, the part of Italians who thinks that those who don't have citizenship must **have less rights** clearly represents a factor of **discrimination**



Usually, those who live in Italy and don't have citizenship, come from African countries or from East of Europe. So this discrimination has turned off against black people or people with different ethnicity:

**THAT'S THE BIGGEST DISCRIMINATION IN ITALY AT THE MOMENT**



**Every day in Italy, unfortunately, there are various examples of this discrimination. Often they are reported in newspapers or on TV.**

ITALIA



«Sei nero, vai a sederti in fondo». Razzismo sul bus a Trento

ITALIA  
Giovedì 18 Ottobre 2018



Episodi di **razzismo** nel giro di pochi giorni nel Nord Italia, in Lombardia e in Trentino. E tutti e due nei confronti di giovani senegalesi che sarebbero stati picchiati e insultati per via del colore della loro pelle. A Trento un giovane su un bus è stato invitato ad alzarsi per il colore della pelle, a Morbegno un

senegalese è stato picchiato mentre andava al lavoro.

VENICE

A girl isn't hired as a waitress in a restaurant because she has black skin

IL CASO

Judith a colloquio con La Mantia, ma il web non crede al suo racconto. Lei: «Non ho inventato nulla»

La denuncia su Facebook della ragazza di origini haitiane criticata dal web: «Denuncia generica, è in cerca di visibilità». E lei, intanto, incontra il famoso chef

di Eleonora Biral



Judith Romanello

VENEZIA Un racconto che per tanti inizia a «scricchiolare» e una seconda chance al lavoro. Sono giornate intense quelle che sta vivendo Judith Romanello che sul web, giusto tre giorni fa, aveva denunciato un grave episodio di razzismo. « Qualche giorno fa Judith racconta di essersi recata a Venezia per un colloquio di lavoro come cameriera in un ristorante «ma il titolare non le ha neanche chiesto il curriculum». Le ha spiegato che il colore della sua

VARESE

A woman said that she didn't want to be served by a cashier with black skin

NEWS | su Cronaca CRONACA NERA

Varese: 'Non voglio essere servita da cassiere nero', negozio denuncia cliente razzista

VIDEO


Dopo gli insulti, una 40enne ha lasciato la spesa sul nastro trasportatore della cassa di un supermercato Carrefour.

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TRENTO

A boy is discriminated on the bus because he is an immigrant. The boy has been living and working in Italy for 10 years legally.

Some examples of discrimination, in Italy, in everyday life.



**Other episodes of discrimination also occur among our peers, in our cities, even if they are not reported on newspapers or by media.**

**Discrimination against people with different skin colour or of different ethnicity is often unjust and based on prejudices.**

*People often categorize a person without knowing who he/she is and what he/she actually does.*



“That a change can only come  
When we stand together as one...

...We are the world”

(M. Jackson)



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