

# PRESIDENT'S DECISION N. 01/25

6 January 2025

## on the adoption of the EUI Child Safeguarding Policy

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### THE PRESIDENT

Having regard to the Convention setting up a European University Institute (EUI), in particular its Article 7;

Having regard to the Charter of Fundamental Rights of the European Union (2012/c 326/02), and in particular Title II on Equality, Article 24 on the rights of the child.

Having regard to the Convention on the Rights of the Child adopted and opened for signature, ratification and accession by General Assembly Resolution 44/25 of 20 November 1989 entry into force 2 September 1990, in accordance with Article 49, and in particular its Article 19.

### WHEREAS:

- (1) The EUI is committed to ensuring a safe, inclusive, and supportive environment for all members of its community and visitors.
- (2) The EUI upholds the highest possible standards to ensure the safety and welfare of children who may come onto its campus or participate in EUI activities, recognising the diverse circumstances in which children may interact with EUI staff, researchers, fellows, students, and outsourced personnel.
- (3) The EUI is committed to ensuring compliance with applicable international, European, and national child protection laws and principles, recognising the importance of providing clear guidelines and mechanisms to safeguard children and address concerns of abuse, neglect, or exploitation promptly and effectively.

**HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:**

**Article 1**

The EUI adopts its Child Safeguarding Policy, which is annexed to this Decision and constitutes an integral part of it.

**Article 2**

The Secretary General shall be empowered to update the Child Safeguarding Policy (Annex1).

**Article 3**

This Decision shall enter into force on the date of its signature.

Done in Florence, on 6 January 2025.

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The President  
Patrizia Nanz