

Strategic Goals 2011-12

1. Bringing local and regional equality and human rights practice and experiences together to inform, lobby and influence the national agenda.

Our ambition is to:

- identify changes in regional bodies and consequently how EREN can advance equality and human rights work locally in this new environment;
- support the public and private sector around the implementation of the Equality Act and share resources on the Equality Act which have been developed in the regions.

2. Demonstrating the value and importance of good evidence on equality and human rights.

Our ambition is to:

- ascertain the state of current equality and human rights evidence both nationally and regionally and identify the gaps in this equality and human rights data;
- demonstrate the positive impact on communities and value for money in doing good equality and human rights practice.

3. Developing a common understanding of equality and human rights in the new political environment and communicating this.

Our ambition is to:

- share examples of good practice across EREN members and local and national stakeholders.

4. Strengthening local equality and human rights voices through the exchange of information and ideas.

Our ambition is to:

- develop working groups on specific areas;
- respond to identified consultations;
- write press releases on equality and human rights issues.

5. Developing sustainable income to carry out EREN's vision.