WHAT YOU CAN DO

**BECOME A MEMBER**
To support NELFA’s aims and objectives and help LGBTI families throughout Europe, NELFA aisbl offers two types of membership:

- **Full membership** - Associations of LGBTI families or associations that [1] deal substantially with issues related to LGBTI families and [2] are duly constituted as associations in their European State of origin may apply to be full members of NELFA aisbl (50 EUR per year).
- **Supporting membership** - natural persons or legal persons such as associations may apply to be supporting members (30 EUR per year).

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Following our meetings in France (2010), Spain (2012), Germany (2014) and Portugal (2015), we look forward to welcoming you at the 5th European meeting of LGBTI Families to be hosted by our member OLKE in Greece in 2016.

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NELFA aisbl
Network of European LGBTI Families Associations

Advancing the rights of LGBT families across Europe!
WHO WE ARE

The Network of European LGBTI Families Associations (NELFA) was created on 1st May 2009 to unite European associations of lesbian, gay, bisexual and transgender parents and their children under one umbrella organization representing Rainbow Families at the European level. NELFA was incorporated under Belgian law as an international non-profit association (AISBL) on 12th March 2012.

The official NELFA headquarters are located in the Rainbow House in Brussels. With the incorporation of NELFA aisbl, thirteen NELFA founding members from Austria, Belgium, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Italy, the Netherlands, Portugal, Spain and Switzerland took a major step towards further consolidating NELFA’s work on behalf of LGBTI families in Europe.

With 24 associations representing 16 European countries and thousands of LGBTI families, NELFA promotes the exchange of information between its members and assists in creating and developing LGBTI families associations in Europe.

WHAT WE DO

NELFA aims to:

- Ensure that the children of LGBTI families in Europe enjoy the same rights as children in families currently recognized by the law.
- Encourage European countries to adopt equal opportunity policies in relation to LGBTI families with regard to legal, financial, educational, social and other relevant rights.
- Ensure that LGBTI families can fully enjoy the European Union’s right to freedom of movement between Member States.

NELFA works by:

- Raising awareness about the situation of LGBTI families amongst the public at large.
- Encouraging and promoting initiatives and projects aimed at supporting LGBTI families.
- Cooperating with EU institutions, Member States and other relevant government and civil society partners to achieve the aims stated above.

In cooperation with Family Equality Council (USA), LGBTQ Parenting Network (Canada), Coalition des familles homoparentales (Canada), Rainbow Family Japan (Japan) and Rainbow Families Council (Australia), NELFA aisbl celebrates the annual “International Family Equality Day” every year on the first Sunday in May. Community events are held in several parts of North America, Europe and beyond. www.internationalfamilyequalityday.org