# Kyiv Legal Empowerment Practical Program (KyivLEPP).

Design and deliver people-centered justice strategies.



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#### **OVERVIEW**

### **Ukrainian Access to Justice School of Practice**

practical education

9 programs

understanding the scope and impact of legal problems

18 surveys

Priority 1
to research and
to analyze evidence-
based information about
reasons and impact of
justice problems

# to facilitate participatory approaches to produce, analyze, and use of justice data

to develop innovative A2J solutions

**Priority 3** 

to learn from practice, and to adapt solutions

**Priority 4** 

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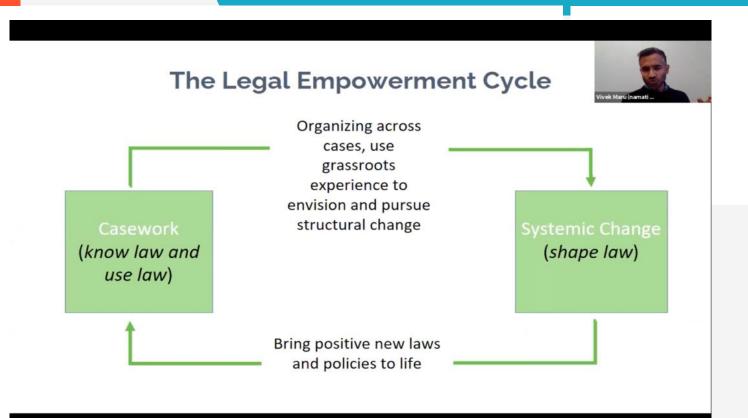
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**KyivLEPP** 

design-thinking practice-oriented training program aimed to search and to pilot viable and people-centered solutions in the field of access to justice



## Program principles



- participatory surveys of legal needs are the key to find evidence-based solution
- design thinking methodology provides the idea of empathy for each solution
- piloting a model of the solution with the colleagues' feedback should go before piloting it in real situation
  - each solution should go through the process of gathering beneficiaries feedback, learning how the solution works and adapting it.

#### **KyivLEPP TEAMS**

state agencies, local authorities, paralegals, social workers, local activists, grass-root initiatives, law students, lawyers. legal clinics, civil society organizations

#### Teams' criteria

- the authority of the group members to make strategic decisions on the problem,
- institutional and intersectoral balance,
- awareness about the relevance of the addressed problem,
- and previous experience of solving it.



# **Design Thinking Methodology of creating innovations**











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