



5th Monitoring Committee meeting

4 March 2026

Hybrid event, Podgorica



2nd Call for Proposals

Projects proposed for financing



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Specific objective 1.1.

Research and
innovation

4 Projects

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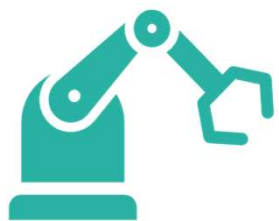


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Research and innovation





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Establishing a Regional Innovation and Technology Transfer Ecosystem

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Duration

24 Months



Total Project Budget

€ 1.174.543



EU Co-financing

€ 998.361

Project Partners



Lead Partner (LP): University of Split, Faculty of Electrical Engineering, Mechanical Engineering and Naval Architecture



PP2: UNIST Technology Park Ltd.



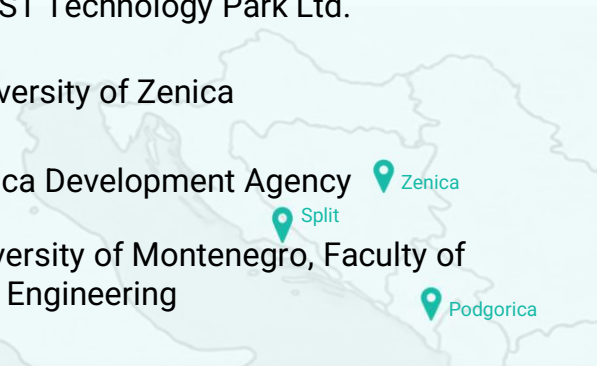
PP3: University of Zenica



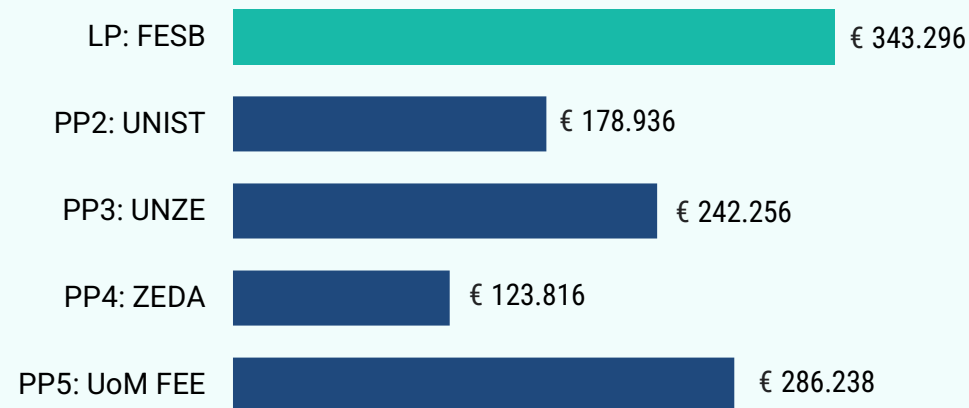
PP4: Zenica Development Agency



PP5: University of Montenegro, Faculty of Electrical Engineering



Budget Distribution per Partner



Main Objective

To develop and enhance cross-border research and innovation capacities by establishing a long-lasting and scalable regional technology transfer ecosystem that facilitates the uptake of advanced technologies, strengthens institutional cooperation, and enables a strategic shift towards Industry 5.0 through sustainable, and resilient innovation practices.

WP1 – Technology Transfer Offices



- Establishment of local TTOs
- Training programmes

WP2 – Cross-border cooperation



- Joint regional innovation strategy
- Digital collaborative platform for innovation ecosystem
- Capacity building

WP3 – Pilot initiative



- Design, implementation and evaluation of cross-border Industry 5.0 pilot model

SUBSTANTIAL EQUIPMENT & INVESTMENTS



Digital collaborative platform



Elementary equipment for TTOs
Split
Zenica
Podgorica



COOPeR 2.0

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Smart investments in research, innovation and competitive entrepreneurship

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Duration

24 Months



Total Project Budget

€1.159.151



EU Co-financing

€ 985.278

Project Partners



Lead Partner (LP): City of Mostar



PP2: Croatian Chamber of Economy



PP3: Institute for Adriatic Crops and Karst Reclamation



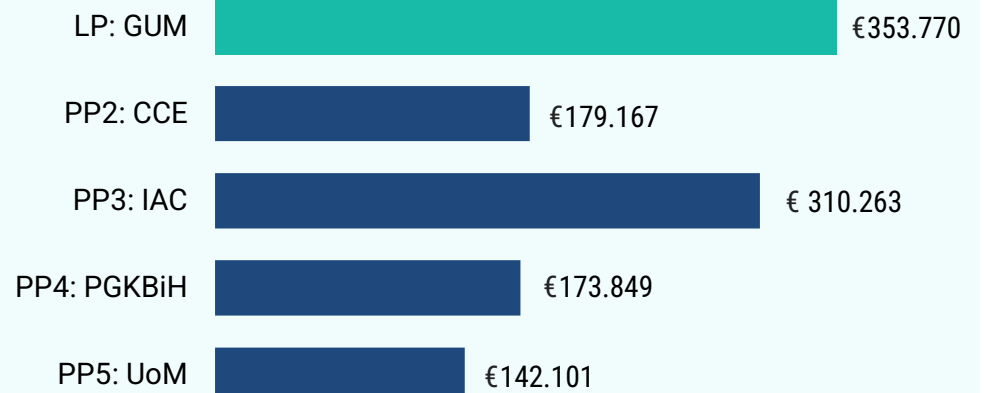
PP4: Chamber of Economy of Federation of Bosnia and Herzegovina



PP5: University of Montenegro, Biotechnical Faculty



Budget Distribution per Partner



COOPeR 2.0

Main Objective

The project's overall objective is to develop and enhance research and innovation capacities and the uptake of advanced technologies in olive production sector in CBC area. Investing in BSOs and ROs and supporting them in order to enhance the business sector in terms of improving knowledge and skills, fostering cooperation, and implementing pilot projects based on innovative technologies, by exchange of good practices and other activities is important driver for economic development.

WP1 – Olive oil production, analysis and monitoring



- Investments in olive oil plant, laboratory and greenhouse
- Monitoring system for pilot olive grove

WP2 – Testing & knowledge exchange



- Living lab for testing olive-growing innovations
- „Olive Eye” digital platform

WP3 – Education and internationalisation



- Educations for olive oil producers
- Internationalisation of olive oil producers

SUBSTANTIAL EQUIPMENT & INVESTMENTS (€270.000)



Olive oil plant
Mostar



Laboratory equipment
Mostar



Greenhouse/ nursery
Mostar



BRIDGE

BRIDGE

Boosting Regional Innovation and Development through Growth and Entrepreneurship

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Duration

24 Months



Total Project Budget

€ 868.308



EU Co-financing

€ 738.062

Project Partners



Lead Partner (LP): City of Živinice



PP2: Municipality of Bar



PP3: Development Agency of Slavonski Brod Ltd.



Budget Distribution per Partner

LP: Živinice



€453.554

PP2: Bar



€232.129

PP3: RASB



€182.624

Main Objective

Project will establish a self-sustaining cross-border innovation spine linking Živinice (BA), Slavonski Brod (HR) and Bar (ME) as three modernised, solar-powered accelerators, plus an AI “idea-match” platform offering entrepreneurs the equipping with advanced green-digital skills, accelerating their market entry, thereby directly advancing Programme SO 1.1 and boosting innovation uptake across the HR-BA-ME region.

WP1 – Infrastructure and equipment



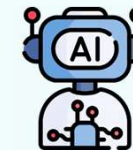
- Photovoltaic power plants
- Prototyping equipment

WP2 – Capacity building and mentoring



- Curriculum and mentor kit
- Boot camps, hackathons, mentoring clinics
- Mentor exchanges & open badges

WP3 – Digital innovations and AI



- AI „idea match” platform
- „E-grant” system
- Digital Hub

SUBSTANTIAL EQUIPMENT & INVESTMENTS (€403.880)



Solar PV power plants
Živinice
Slavonski Brod



Laboratory and prototyping equipment
Živinice
Slavonski Brod



IT, network and multimedia equipment
Živinice
Bar
Slavonski Brod



AgroSolarNet

AgroSolarNet

Cross-border pilot agrosolar network for sustainable agriculture and energy

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Duration

24 Months



Total Project Budget

€ 1.176.114



EU Co-financing

€ 999.696

Project Partners



Lead Partner (LP): Agro Technology Center Ltd.



PP2: Agricultural and Forestry School Vinkovci



PP3: Municipality od Odžak



PP4: University of Mostar Faculty of Agriculture and Food Technology



PP5: Municipality of Ulcinj



Budget Distribution per Partner



AgroSolarNet

Main Objective

The overall objective of the project is to develop and test an innovative agrosolar model at 3 pilot sites in the program area (Agricultural and Forestry School Vinkovci HR, Municipality of Odžak BIH and Municipality of Ulcinj MNE), combining food and energy production with advanced digital technologies, strengthening the capacities of 150 stakeholders to apply innovations in agriculture, and informing of general public, thereby fostering the transition to a green and digital rural economy.

WP1- Agrosolar systems



- Installation of pilot agrosolar systems
- Promotion of new experimental field

WP2 – Monitoring and education



- Joint IT System for monitoring pilot field results
- Education and cross-sectoral knowledge transfer

SUBSTANTIAL EQUIPMENT & INVESTMENTS (€644.000)



Agrosolar systems

Vinkovci
Odžak
Ulcinj



Irrigation systems

Vinkovci
Odžak
Ulcinj



IT system for
monitoring
experimental fields



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Specific objective 2.1.

**Energy
Efficiency**

5 Projects

Energy Efficiency





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AIdEE

Artificial Intelligence developing Energy Efficient public buildings

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Duration

24 Months



Total Project Budget

€1.610.439




EU Co-financing


€1.368.873


Project Partners

 **Lead Partner (LP):** Bar Municipality

 **PP2:** University of Zagreb, Faculty of Mechanical Engineering and Naval Architecture

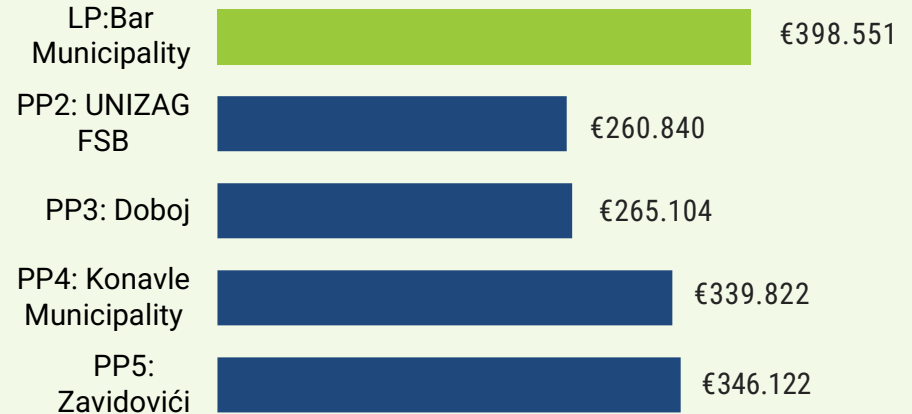
 **PP3:** City of Doboj

 **PP4:** Konavle Municipality

 **PP5:** City of Zavidovići



Budget Distribution per Partner



Main Objective

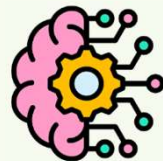
To improve Energy Efficiency (EE) in public buildings across Bar, Doboj, Konavle, and Zavidovići by implementing renewable energy measures and deploying a novel AI-driven predictive maintenance tool. This approach reduces CO2 emissions, optimizes building performance, and aligns with EU decarbonization standards.

WP1 -Planning & Mapping



- Development of tailored Energy Efficiency Plans
- Creation of an online CBC GIS database mapping public buildings.

WP2 - AI Innovation



- Development of AI-based predictive maintenance tool.
- Integration with IoT & smart metering data.
- Testing of the AI Tool on public buildings

WP3 – EE & RES Measures



- Procurement & installation of equipment.
- Pilot testing and performance optimisation in public buildings.

Equipment Investments (€ 848.000)



Heat Pumps

Doboj: 350 kW air-to-water system (Primary School).
Zavidovići: 150 kW air-to-water system (City Admin).
Konavle: 95 kW Air-to-water system (Cultural Center).



PV Systems

Zavidovići: 30 kW PV power plant.
Konavle: 15 kW PV system (~90 panels).
Doboj: 10 kW PV system.



Smart Infrastructure

All Sites: Smart metering, SCADA systems, & IoT sensors

Bar & Konavle: Energy efficient LED lighting system upgrades.



**BioWaste2
Energy**

BioWaste2Energy

Energy Transition Through Advanced Biofuels Utilisation

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Duration

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Total Project Budget

€982.687

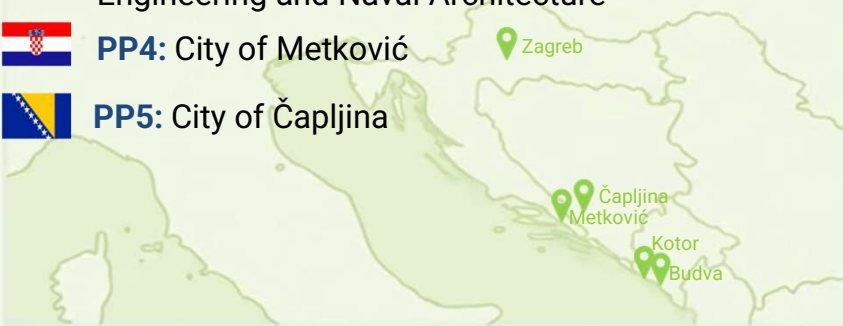


EU Co-financing






€835.284

Project Partners

-  **Lead Partner (LP):** University of Montenegro, Faculty of Maritime Studies Kotor
-  **PP2:** Public Enterprise for Coastal Zone Management of Montenegro
-  **PP3:** University of Zagreb, Faculty of Mechanical Engineering and Naval Architecture
-  **PP4:** City of Metković
-  **PP5:** City of Čapljina



Budget Distribution per Partner

LP: UoM		€296.886
PP2: JPMDCG		€121.027
PP3: UNIZAG FSB		€180.936
PP4: Metković		€213.108
PP5: Čapljina		€170.730

BioWaste2Energy

Main Objective

To accelerate the transition to a low-carbon, circular bioeconomy in HR, BA, and ME. The project establishes a cross-border model for transforming local biowaste (oils, fats, pruning) into advanced second generation biofuels (biodiesel, pyrolysis oil, bioethanol) for use in public building heating systems and maritime transport.

ANALYSIS (WP1)



- Map territorial biowaste streams (restaurants, agriculture, olive mills)
- Diagnose collection systems & select technology
- Feasibility studies for biofuel production

DEMONSTRATION (WP2)



- Setup small-scale production units (Biodiesel/Bio-heating oil)
- Test dual-fuel boilers in public buildings
- Test biofuel blends in ferry engines (Boka Bay) & fishery vessels

PROMOTION (WP3)



- Digital Platform: Connect waste generators to producers
- Capacity Building: Training for public sector & SMEs
- Create cross-border value chain model

SUBSTANTIAL EQUIPMENT & INVESTMENTS (≈€280.000)



Production Units:
Small scale demo plants for advanced biofuel production (Installed at UoM & Metković).



Heating Infrastructure: New Dual-Fuel Boilers (Installed at UoM & Čapljina School).



Maritime Upgrades:
Marine diesel engine retrofits (Ferry operated by JPMDCG).



Lab & Testing:
Equipment for chemical/physical analysis of biowaste & fuel blends.



**INNO
RESOURCE**

INNO RESOURCE

Integrated Cross-Border Solutions for Solar Energy Deployment and Public Infrastructure Optimization

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Duration

24 Months



Total Project Budget

€749.969



EU Co-financing

€637.473

Project Partners



Lead Partner (LP): Zadar County



PP2: City of Čapljina



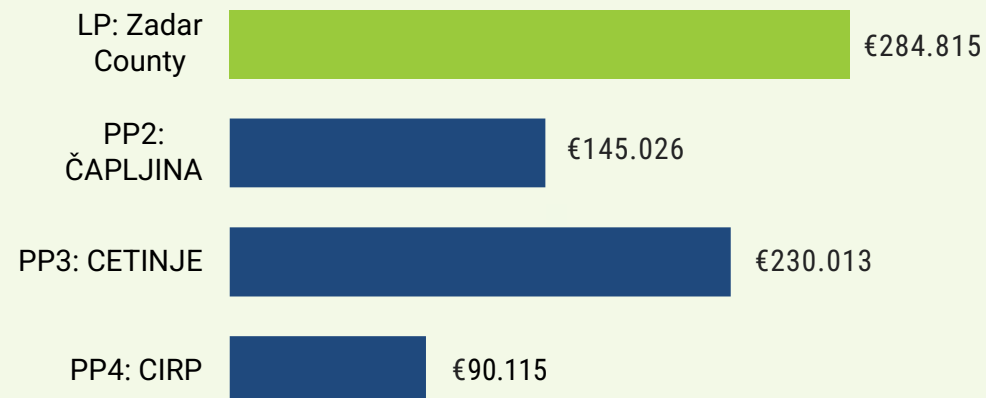
PP3: Old Royal Capital Cetinje



PP4: Center for Investments and Entrepreneurship Development



Budget Distribution per Partner



INNO RESOURCE

Main Objective

is to empower local public authorities in HR-BA-ME to enhance the energy efficiency of public infrastructure, reduce greenhouse gas emissions and build institutional capacity for long-term climate action.

WP1 -Planning & Education



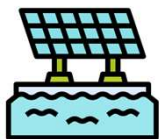
- Development of Renewable Energy Action Plan for Zadar County, Čapljina and Cetinje
- Training handbook
- 3 national training workshops

WP2 - solar power plant technology



- Photo Voltaic systems: floating (Zadar County) and rooftop (Cetinje and Čapljina)
- real-time monitoring and forecasting via a Digital Twin platform
- InnoResource Replication Toolkit

SUBSTANTIAL EQUIPMENT (€278.850)



Floating Solar Power Plant

Location: Lake Vlačine, Zadar County (HR)



Rooftop PV System

Location: Entrepreneurship Centre, Cetinje (ME)



Rooftop PV System

Location: Kindergarten building, Čapljina (BA)



**NEAT AND
GREEN**

NEAT AND GREEN

Cross-border partnership for structured energy management and GHG emission reduction

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Duration

24 Months



Total Project Budget

€1.421.940



EU Co-financing

€1.208.649

Project Partners



Lead Partner (LP): City of Laktaši



PP2: City of Požega



PP3: City of Gradiška



PP4: LLC Environmental Protection Fund



PP5: Public institution Local Development Agency Požega



Budget Distribution per Partner

LP: LAKTAŠI	€504.660
PP2: POŽEGA	€180.180
PP3: GRADIŠKA	€333.900
PP4: EKO	€237.510
PP5: LDA POŽEGA	€165.690

NEAT AND GREEN

Main Objective

to empower municipalities in the programme area to plan and implement sustainable energy measures more effectively by introducing pilot investments, shared digital tools and long-term institutional learning mechanisms, resulting in improved energy performance, increased local capacity, and more engaged communities

WP1 – Plan and energy efficiency measures



- 6 Sustainable Energy and Climate Action Plans (SECAPs),
- Local Building Typologies
- Pilot energy efficiency measures in public infrastructure

WP2 – Education & Planning



- Trainings on SECAP tools and energy management in the public sector
- Regional "EE Academy"
- Study visits
- Risk Management and Sustainability Protocol

WP – Digital platform and tool



- EE platform with integrated CO2 and Energy Calculator
- "Green stations" – 4 info points for EE advice and measuring energy consumption
- „Be Green" campaign EE clubs, EE Days

SUBSTANTIAL EQUIPMENT (€714.500)



Heat Pumps

Laktaši: water-to-water system heating capacity total 860 kW and cooling 796 kW, (Sports Hall)
Gradiška: Air-to-water system 2x65 kW (2 kindergartens).



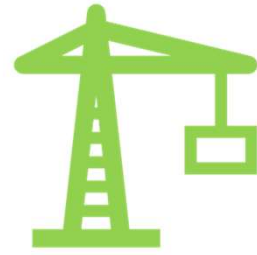
PV Systems

Požega: 45 kW PV power plant, 2 charging stations for electric vehicles, installation of urban equipment, greening of the building's environment (Business incubator Požega)



Smart Infrastructure

Laktaši, Podgorica, Gradiška: EE info Green point equipment, energy consumption meters and basic IT
Požega: Green point and Green corner



ReNewSpace

ReNewSpace

Cross-border innovative model for circular renovation of buildings and neighbourhoods

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Duration

24 Months



Total Project Budget


€1.123.404




EU Co-financing


€954.893


Project Partners

 **Lead Partner (LP):** North-West Croatia Regional Energy and Climate Agency

 **PP2:** City of Karlovac

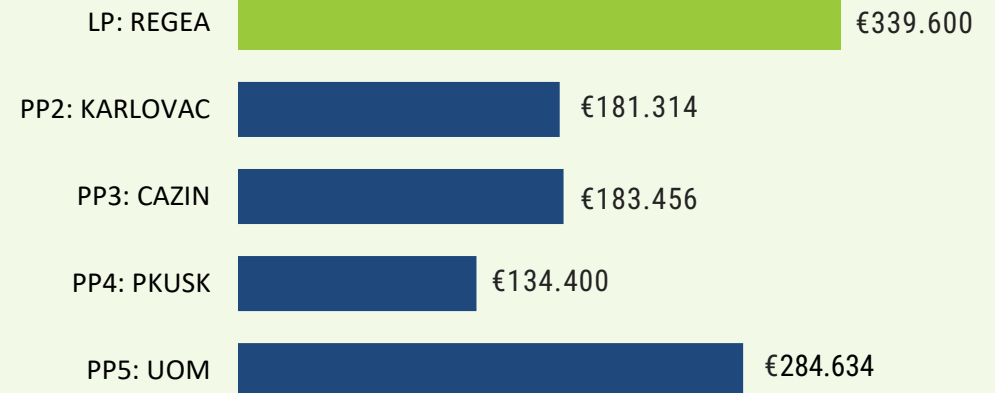
 **PP3:** City of Cazin

 **PP4:** Chamber of Commerce of Una-Sana Canton

 **PP5:** University of Montenegro, Faculty of Economics



Budget Distribution per Partner



ReNewSpace

Main Objective

to promote energy efficiency and accelerate the transition towards a low-carbon, climate-resilient building sector in the cross-border region of HR, BA, ME by piloting and scaling innovative, circular renovation models and tools for buildings and urban neighbourhoods.



WP1: Models & Tools for Renovation

- Smart database for urban stock mapping
- Development of 'Green Neighbourhood' model
- Building Assessment & Ranking Tool



WP2: Implementing Renovation Strategies

- Deep renovation pilots (3 public buildings: HR, BA, ME)
- Digital design tools (BIM) application
- Technical Handbook for Circular Building



WP3: Sustainability

- Financial Simulation & Risk Assessment Tool
- 'Circular Building' training
- Twinning missions & Policy Action Plans

Main Outputs

Smart Urban Database

Building Ranking Tool

Financial Simulation Tool

Digital Twin/BIM Models (3 Pilots)

Renovation Technical Documentation



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Specific objective 2.6.

**Circular
Economy**

6 Projects

Circular Economy





NETLOOP

NETLOOP

Boosting Circular Economy Solutions for Fishing Nets
Collection, Recycling and Re-Usage in the Adriatic Region

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Duration

24 Months



Total Project Budget

€578.937




EU Co-financing


€492.096

Project Partners

 **Lead Partner (LP):** University of Zagreb, Faculty of Transport and Traffic Sciences

 **PP2:** Municipality of Neum

 **PP3:** University of Dubrovnik

 **PP4:** University of Montenegro



Budget Distribution per Partner



Main Objective

To develop new solution for end-of-life fishing nets waste mitigation (collection, recycling, reuse), to boost the more sustainable and responsible approach to fishing nets waste management, to support transition to a circular and resource-efficient economy and to increase competences/skills of key stakeholders in circular economy. Development of new Tool and jointly implementing principles of CE, respond to territorial challenges and opportunities for transition of fishing nets into value-added.

WP1 - ASSESMENT



- Analysis of current collection of responsibilities and disposal practices
- Analysis of fishing nets volumes
- Exploring and observing sea and finding EOL fishing net

WP2 - DEVELOPMENT



- Development of a tool for EOL fishing nets
- Co-implementing pilot activities
- Monitoring and evaluating pilot actions

WP3 - TRAINING



- Training activities
- Raising Awareness

EQUIPMENT INVESTMENTS (142.800€)



Underwater equipment

- Marine robotics and sonar
- Underwater cameras



Waste collection and recycling equipment:

- Collection facility for EOL fishing net waste
- Collection facility for plastics waste
- 3D printer and filament



GreenSoil+

GreenSoil+

Improving Biowaste Management through Composting and Technosol Production in Cross-Border Communities

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Duration

24 Months



Total Project Budget

1.545.240 €



EU Co-financing

1.313.454 €

Project Partners



Lead Partner (LP): VG Čistoća Ltd. for the maintenance of cleanliness (VGČ)



PP2: University of Applied Sciences Velika Gorica (VVG)



PP3: Public Utility Service Ltd. Tomislavgrad (JKPT)



PP4: Public Utility Company Kotor (KKD)



Budget Distribution per Partner

LP: VGČ



€662.570

PP2: VVG



€281.400

PP3: JKPT



€384.550

PP4: KKD



€216.720

Main Objective

The project aims to establish and pilot circular biowaste management systems in three cross-border municipalities, converting biowaste and sewage sludge into compost and technosol for climate-resilient urban greening. It targets local utility companies and communities in HR, BA and ME, improving resource efficiency and reducing landfill waste. The project will result in tested circular and resource efficient waste management models ready for broader replication.

WP1 - DEVELOPMENT



- Assessments of waste composition, waste flow and utility companies' capacity for waste management
- Establishment of pilot composting systems
- Design and development of a dedicated mixer for biowaste, sewage sludge and soil

WP2 - IMPLEMENTATION



- Using technosol produced from waste materials
- Selection and restoration of degraded urban site
- Evaluation of ecosystem services and climate adaptation benefits of biowaste-based technosol

WP3 - KNOWLEDGE TRANSFER



- Development of comparative study of waste management practices
- Development of training programs
- pilot educational workshops and training sessions

EQUIPMENT INVESTMENTS (737.199€)



Composting & Processing Equipment:

- Prototype Mixing Device for Compost
- Bio-based Odor Control
- Control Agent Containing Beneficial Bacteria
- Microbial Composting Augmentation Agent
- PE-HD Container
- Home Composters



Waste Handling Equipment:

- Backhoe Loader
- Metal Roll-Of Container
- Two-chamber Bale Press
- ID Tags Reader for the Waste Collection Truck
- Tractor with Full Set of attachments



**ECO-ALLY
CITIES**

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Duration

24 Months



Total Project Budget

1.647.405€



EU Co-financing

1.400.294€

Project Partners



Lead Partner (LP): City of Srebrenik



PP2: Public Utility Company Županja Ltd (CZ)



PP3: Utility company „Čistoća” LLC (CHN)



Budget Distribution per Partner



ECO-ALLY CITIES

Main Objective

The ECO-ALLY CITIES project aims to advance the circular economy by promoting responsible consumption and enhancing recycling and reuse initiatives in participatory way through strengthen the capacity of businesses and civil society to adopt sustainable economic models, support the digitalization of local waste management practices, and advocate for policy reforms and increased institutional support within the Programme area.

WP1 - Infrastructure and Equipment



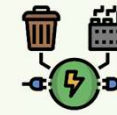
- Procurement of Waste Management Equipment
- Installation of Smart Waste Separation Containers
- Distribution of Composting and Biowaste Equipment

WP2 - Capacity Building



- Employee Training Scheme
- Community Workshops
- Youth Engagement Programs
- Development of Digital Educational Materials

WP3 - Waste Management



- Launch of a Mobile App
- Waste Reuse Centers
- Action Plan Development

EQUIPMENT INVESTMENTS (1.097.250€)



Transport Equipment Waste Processing:

- Waste collection vehicle
- Automatic baling press



Waste Collection & Separation Infrastructure:

- Smart waste separation containers
- Home composting kits



Re-use center set up



FICHO

FICHO

From Inefficient Consumption to Heritage Optimization

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Duration

24 Months



Total Project Budget


€1.700.568




EU Co-financing


€1.445.482


Project Partners


 **Lead Partner (LP):** Energy Institute Hrvoje Požar

 **PP2:** The association EKO ZH

 **PP3:** City of Šibenik

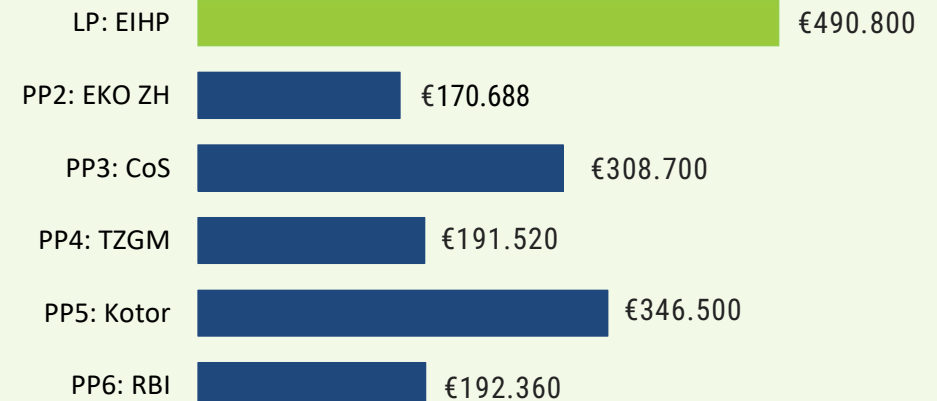
 **PP4:** Tourist board City of Mostar

 **PP5:** Municipality of Kotor

 **PP6:** Ruđer Bošković Institute



Budget Distribution per Partner



Main Objective

To accelerate the transition to a circular and resource-efficient economy in UNESCO urban areas of Croatia, Bosnia and Herzegovina, and Montenegro by jointly developing and implementing heritage-sensitive circular economy models, tools, and pilot actions that reduce waste, valorize resources, and foster sustainable consumption while preserving cultural and environmental assets.

Sustainable Waste Mgmt (WP1)



- Waste Impact Assessment
- Waste Valorisation Model
- Pilot Actions Implementation

Circular Planning Tools (WP2)



- Eco Labs in UNESCO Sites
- Resource Efficiency & Climate Proofing
- Zero Waste Toolkit & Roadmap

Behaviour Change (WP3)



- Circular economy workshops in schools
- Zero Waste App for students
- Joint workshop methodology & educational materials

SUBSTANTIAL EQUIPMENT (405.000) & INVESTMENTS (€65.000)



Electric vehicles for waste collection

Šibenik: 2 vehicles
Kotor: 1 vehicle

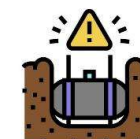


Solar-powered triple smart bins

Šibenik: 3 triple smart bins
Kotor: bins + Fill-Level Sensors for 10 bins



Food waste composter in Mostar



Semi-Underground Waste Stations in Kotor



CIRCULAR
lakes

CIRCULARlakes

Circular economy in rural areas on the shores of lakes affected by a large number of tourists

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Duration

24 Months



Total Project Budget


€1.259.557




EU Co-financing


€1.070.623


Project Partners

 **Lead Partner (LP):** Association LINK Entrepreneurial Centre

 **PP2:** Zero Waste Montenegro

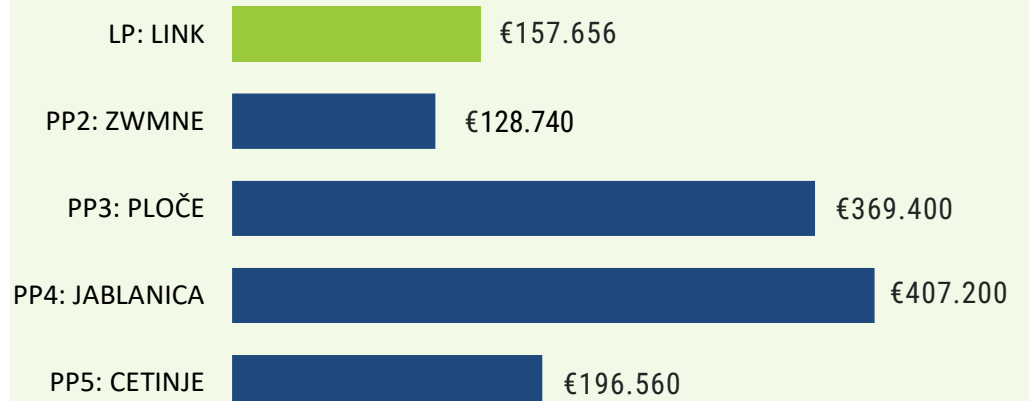
 **PP3:** City of Ploče

 **PP4:** Municipality of Jablanica

 **PP5:** Municipality of Cetinje



Budget Distribution per Partner



CIRCULARlakes

Main Objective

To foster sustainable, circular economy-based waste management and tourism practices in lake regions of Skadar, Jablanica, and Baćina by developing and implementing smart, community-driven, and AI-enhanced models that protect natural resources, improve quality of life, and create new economic opportunities.

POLICIES & MODELS (WP1)



- Policy & Waste Analysis
- Capacity Building & Knowledge Transfer
- CE Models & Promotion

PILOT (WP2)



- Equipment Procurement
- Waste Management Improvement
- CE Model Testing

PROMOTION (WP3)



- Media & Social Campaigns
- Awareness & Community Actions
- Visual Materials & Signage

AI for CIRCULARlakes (WP4)



- AI Monitoring Tools (cameras & drones)
- Data-Driven CE Strategies
- AI Waste Management App

SUBSTANTIAL EQUIPMENT (€468.000) - all PP

Waste Collection Vehicles (3)



Regular (60) and smart (30) Waste Bins



Bio-waste Shredders (6)



Waste Scales (12)



Small Composters (30)



AI Surveillance Cameras (10)





**ALIEN2
VALUE**

ALIEN2VALUE

Transforming alien marine species (AMS) into economic and environmental value through cross-border circular innovation

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Duration

24 Months



Total Project Budget

€1.153.611



EU Co-financing

€980.569

Project Partners



Lead Partner (LP): City of Ploče



PP2: Fisheries Local Action Group "Small Town"



PP3: University of Mostar, Faculty of Agriculture and food technology



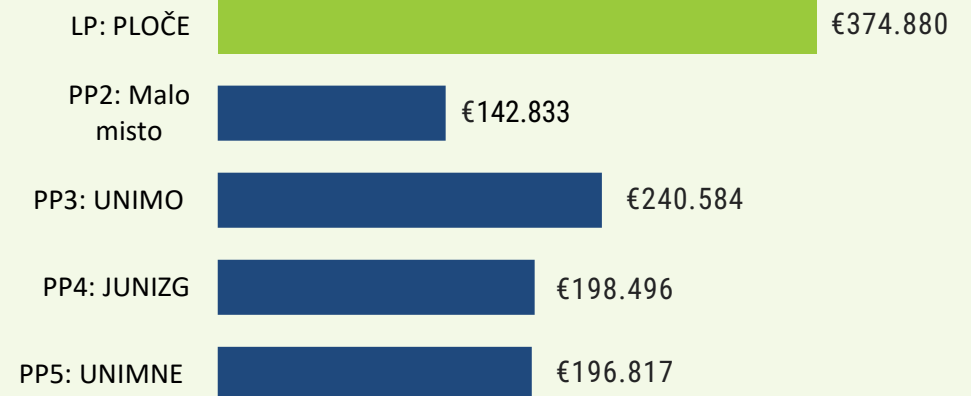
PP4: University of Zagreb Faculty of Agriculture



PP5: Public institution University of Montenegro-Institute of Marine Biology



Budget Distribution per Partner



ALIEN2VALUE

Main Objective

To promote sustainable food production and waste processing into economically viable products (pharmaceutical, food, cosmetic industries, etc.), and to preserve employment in the cross-border area of Herzegovina-Neretva canton, Dubrovnik-Neretva, Split-Dalmatia county, and the littoral part of Montenegro.

AMS Zero-Waste Chain (WP1)



- AMS Facility Setup
- Market Strategy & Branding
- Training & Knowledge Transfer
- Culinary Research & Promotion

Sustainable Fisheries (WP2)



- Selective AMS Catch Equipment
- Fishermen Training
- Study Trip
- Joint AMS Guidelines / Action Plan
- AMS Monitoring & Data Exchange
- EU-Level Dissemination

SUBSTANTIAL EQUIPMENT (315.940) & INVESTMENTS (€50.000)

Processing & Storage Equipment - Ploče



Laboratory Analytical Equipment - Mostar



Interior construction and finishing works- Ploče - interior fit-out and hygienic flooring works

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Specific objective 4.5.

**Accessible and resilient
health services**

4 Projects

Accessible and resilient health services





ICARE

ICARE

Improving Prevention, Diagnostics, and Community Care in Rural Cross-border Regions

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Duration

24 Months



Total Project Budget

€1.477.128



EU Co-financing

€1.255.558

Project Partners



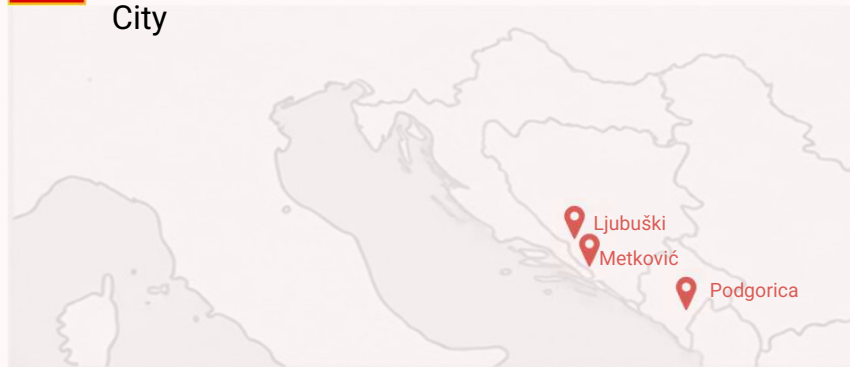
LP: Healthcare Center Metković



PP2: Public Institution Healthcare Center Ljubuški



PP3: Primary Healthcare Centre of the Capital City



Budget Distribution per Partner

LP: HCM



€524.568

PP2: HCLJ



€535.374

PP3: HCP



€417.186

Main Objective

To improve the quality, accessibility, and effectiveness of preventive and early diagnostic healthcare services through modernization of facilities and equipment, digital innovation, strengthened preventive programs, enhanced home care, and improved medical expertise.

Improving Prevention & Care (WP1)



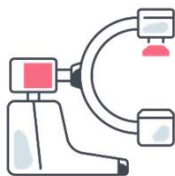
- Modernization of Medical Equipment
- Expansion of Home-Based Care Services
- Preventive and Diagnostic Examinations
- Educational and Communication Activities

Healthcare Capacity Building (WP2)



- Training on Developmental Disabilities
- Healthcare Staff Capacity Building:
- Medical Equipment Training
- Certified Professional Trainings
- Study Visits and Good Practice Exchange
- International Knowledge Exchange

SUBSTANTIAL EQUIPMENT (1.080.000 €)



Radiology & Diagnostic Equipment (9)



Gynecology & Prenatal Equipment (6)



Vehicles - Patronage & Home Healthcare (4)

A conceptual image for diabetes awareness. It features a light blue ribbon, a white and grey glucose meter, and the word 'DIABETES' spelled out with white letter tiles on a dark grey background. The word 'DIABEYES' is overlaid in large white text.

DIABEYES

D I A B E T E S

DIABEYES

Diabetes Prevention and Eye Health Through Community-Based Early Screening and Nutrition Support (DIABEYES)

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24 Months





Total Project Budget
1.216.504€




EU Co-financing
1.034.028€

Project Partners

 **Lead Partner (LP):** Institute Of Public Health Zadar

 **PP2:** Pharmaceutical chamber of Federation of Bosnia and Herzegovina

 **PP3:** Institute of Public Health Montenegro

 **PP4:** University of Zadar, Department of Health Studies

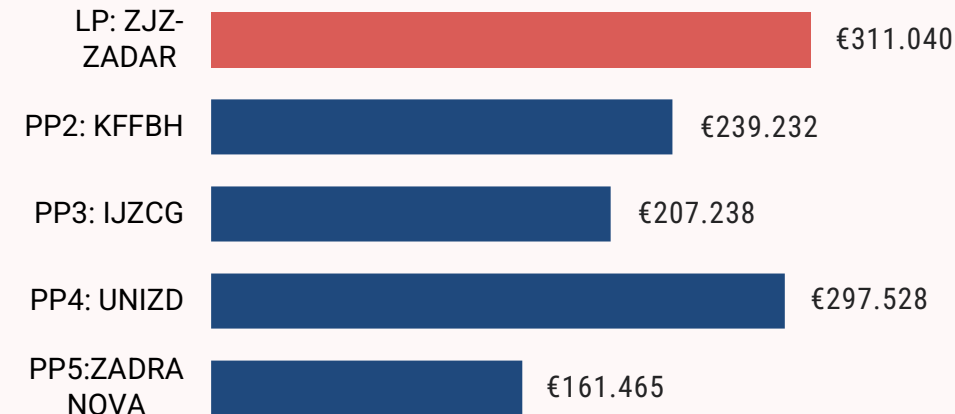
 **PP5:** ZADRA NOVA

Zadar

Sarajevo

Podgorica

Budget Distribution per Partner



DIABEYES

Main Objective

The goal of the DIABEYES project is to improve early detection and prevention of diabetes and its complications in the cross-border area through the establishment of mobile teams, joint training, and digital screening tools. By sharing knowledge, harmonising protocols and deploying community-based interventions, the project aims to strengthen access to preventive care in rural and hard-to-reach areas of Croatia, Bosnia and Herzegovina, and Montenegro.

WP1 - Mobile Health Teams



- Formation and coordination of mobile health screening teams
- Training and protocol harmonization
- Health screenings implementation in rural and underserved areas
- Public awareness events

WP2 - Digitalisation of health service



- Development of digital risk-assessment application
- Screening protocol for community-based diabetes risk assessment
- Advanced training programme for public health professionals and institutional staff

EQUIPMENT INVESTMENTS (153.462€)



Field vehicle
for screening
team



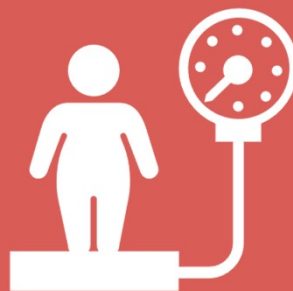
Medical
equipment



Statistical
software
license



IT
equipment



HealthySteps

HealthySteps

Healthy steps – preventing disease through movement and nutrition

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Duration

24 Months



Total Project Budget

1.381.973€



EU Co-financing

1.174.677€

Project Partners



Lead Partner (LP): Municipality of Kotor



PP2: The city of Lipik



PP3: Toplice Lipik - Special hospital for medical rehabilitation



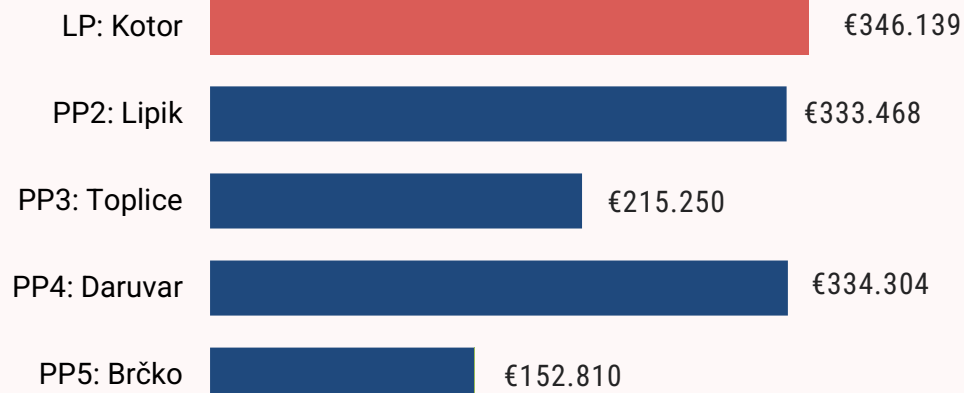
PP4: The city of Daruvar



PP5: Government of Brčko District of Bosnia and Herzegovina



Budget Distribution per Partner

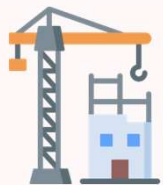


HealthySteps

Main Objective

The overall objective is to implement a joint cross-border Pilot community-based actions for obesity prevention and to establish the Healthy Steps digital platform and obesity prevention plan. The goal is to promote healthy lifestyles, active ageing, and disease prevention by increasing physical activity, improving nutrition, and reducing obesity rates among citizens in the HR-BA-ME cross-border area. Results will be available for local communities, schools, hospitals, CSOs, and the public.

WP1- Infrastructure investments



- Establishment of cardiovascular trails
- Establishment of sports infrastructure and procurement of sports equipment
- Organisation of events on physical activity and healthy nutrition related to the obesity prevention

WP2- Tools for obesity prevention



- Development of the Healthy Steps digital platform
- Preparation and publication of the joint obesity prevention plan
- Local assessments of dietary and health habits

SUBSTANTIAL EQUIPMENT & INVESTMENTS (850.236€)



Infrastructure investments (total 657.182,50 EUR)

- Outdoor saltwater swimming pool in Kotor
- Pumptrack and Volleyball Court – SC Lipik
- Renovation of the Sokol Sports Centre – Daruvar
- Cardiovascular trail works – Brčko



Equipment procurement (total 193.054,00 EUR)

- Body composition analyzers and sports equipment (LP, PP4, PP5)
- food preparation equipment
- procurement of climbing wall





MEDIRADAR

MEDIRADAR

Cross-Border System for Early Mediastinal Cancer Detection and Remote Medical Consultation

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Duration

24 Months



Total Project Budget

1.647.962€



EU Co-financing

1.400.768€

Project Partners



Lead Partner (LP): Public Institution
Cantonal Hospital "Dr. Safet Mujić"
Mostar (BA)



PP2: General Hospital Dubrovnik (HR)



Budget Distribution per Partner

LP: JUKBM



€845.468,88

PP2: OBD



€802.494

Main Objective

The overall objective is to improve equal access to early diagnostics of breast and mediastinal cancers by building on existing cross-border medical knowledge and diagnostic practices. Through investments in specialized equipment, professional training, and standardized teleconsultation models, the project strengthens healthcare services and contributes to more resilient and inclusive health systems in the border area.

WP1- Innovative diagnostic technologies and training



- Acquisition of innovative diagnostic technologies
- Joint training scheme of medical professionals
 - Study visit-best example of successful cancer-fighting and preventive actions in the neighbouring European countries

WP2- Innovative AI system and joint cooperation model



- Innovative AI-supported digital data-exchange system introduction
- Creation of a standardized joint model of cooperation
- Communication strategy

EQUIPMENT INVESTMENTS (1.040.983€)



- Diagnostic equipment** (total 434.483,25 EUR)
- Set for Endobronchial Ultrasound (EBUS)
 - Real-time device for automated molecular diagnostics
 - Vacuum-assisted breast biopsy device



- Diagnostic equipment** (total 606.500,00 EUR)
- Digital pathology system-AI-assisted biomarker quantification and improved accuracy and efficiency in cancer diagnostics and cross-border teleconsultations

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Specific objective 4.6.

Culture and
sustainable tourism

6 Projects



Culture and sustainable tourism





HOT CHAI

HOT CHAI

Heritage Oriented Tourism preparing for Challenges of AI driven era

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Duration

24 Months



Total Project Budget

€2.241.828



EU Co-financing

€1.905.554

Project Partners



Lead Partner (LP): Public Cultural Institution Fortress of Culture Šibenik



PP2: Agency for Cultural, Historical and Natural Heritage and Development of Tourism Potential of Jajce



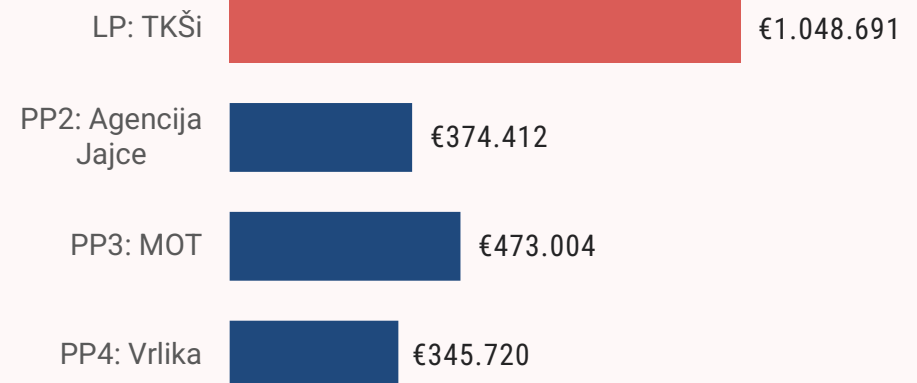
PP3: Municipality of Tivat



PP4: Town of Vrlika



Budget Distribution per Partner



HOT CHAI

Main Objective

To enhance sustainable and inclusive cultural tourism development in the Programme area by investing in the physical improvement, accessibility, and sustainability of four cultural tourism sites in Šibenik, Jajce, Tivat, and Vrlika, and by strengthening the capacities of project partners to apply AI-powered tools for innovative and interactive tourism services.

Development of tourism offer (WP1)



- Investing in physical improvement and contents at cultural tourism sites
- Increasing social inclusiveness
- Cooperating and planning for sustainable tourism development

Capacity building & promotion (WP2)



- Capacity-building in AI and integration of AI tools into partners' services
- Development of internal action plans for AI-driven transformation
- Promotion of the new tourism offer

SUBSTANTIAL INVESTMENTS & EQUIPMENT (€1.201.921)



Investments:

St. Michael's Fortress in **Šibenik** – reconstruction of NW tower, arrangement of entrance areas, LED lighting along the promenade (LP)

Medieval Royal Fortress in **Jajce** - LED accent illumination of the outer walls, roof reconstruction of the Gunpowder Magazine (PP2)



Equipment:

Multimedia equipment, museum showcases and furniture for the Gunpowder Magazine in **Jajce** (PP2), Museum and Gallery in **Tivat** (PP3), and Traditional Vrlika House (PP4).



FRANCISCANA

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Cultural Heritage Guardians Route - FRANCISCANA

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Duration

24 Months



Total Project Budget


€1.595.852



EU Co-financing


€1.356.474


Project Partners

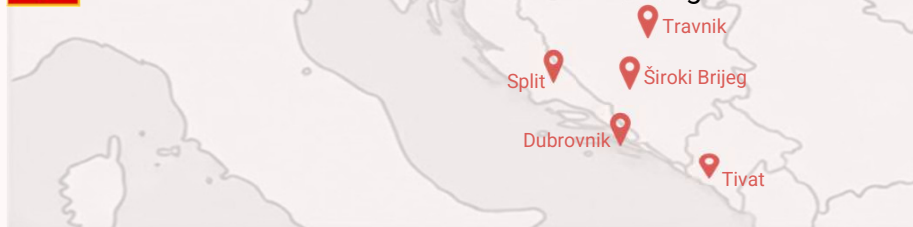
 **Lead Partner (LP):** Office for European Integration of West Herzegovina Canton

 **PP2:** RDA Dubrovnik-Neretva County - DUNEA

 **PP3:** Public Institution RERA S.D. for coordination and development of the Split-Dalmatia County

 **PP4:** Ministry of Education, Science, Youth, Culture and Sport of the Canton Central Bosnia

 **PP5:** Croatian National Council of Montenegro



Budget Distribution per Partner

LP: EUI ŽZH €484.154

PP2: DUNEA €256.788

PP3: RERA SD €256.410

PP4: MOZMKS
SBK €340.956

PP5: HNV €257.544

FRANCISCANA

Main Objective

To preserve and valorize joint Franciscan cultural heritage through sustainable cultural and active tourism in the cross-border regions of Croatia, Bosnia and Herzegovina and Montenegro

Design of the Franciscana cultural route content (WP1)



- Stakeholder engagement and capacity building
- Cultural route design and thematic structuring
- Developing a strategic framework for COE Cultural Route application

Digital content creation & promotion (WP2)



- Digital interpretation centres - development and equipping
- Franciscana branding and multimedia resources
- Promotional campaign and promo events

EQUIPMENT INVESTMENT (€549.000)



Equipment:

VR/AR sets, digital totems and banners, interactive screens, audio and light systems, outdoor exhibition stands and museum showcases.



Cultural sites:

Franciscan Heritage House in **Široki Brijeg** & Humac Museum **Ljubuški** (LP)

Franciscan Monasteries in **Slano** (PP2) and **Sinj** (PP3)

Museum within the Franciscan Monastery **Guča Gora** (PP4)

Library within the Franciscan Monastery in **Kotor** (PP5)





ROMANICA

ROMANICA

ROMan Heritage in the Cross-border Region: Connecting Past and Present

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Duration

24 Months



Total Project Budget

€1.976.279



EU Co-financing

€1.679.837

Project Partners



Lead Partner (LP): University of Zadar



PP2: City of Biograd na Moru



PP3: International Centre for Underwater Archaeology in Zadar



PP4: Franciscan Museum Tomislavgrad



PP5: University of Montenegro



PP6: Municipality of Budva



Budget Distribution per Partner

LP: UNIZD	€364.806
PP2: GBNM	€368.134
PP3: ICUA ZADAR	€296.141
PP4: FKTB	€246.905
PP5: UOM	€370.045
PP6: MB	€330.246

ROMANICA

Main Objective

To enhance the preservation, interpretation, and sustainable tourism valorisation of Roman cultural heritage in selected cross-border areas of Croatia, Bosnia and Herzegovina, and Montenegro.

Heritage-based site research (WP1)



- Digital mapping and scanning of terrestrial and underwater Roman sites
- Small-scale archaeological interventions
- Interpretive content development

Development of tourism infrastructure (WP2)



- Revitalization of Roman cultural sites in Biograd, Budva and Tomislavgrad
- Equipping Roman Interpretation Centres

Education & promotion (WP3)



- Workshops for children
- Community engagement in cultural heritage
- Promotional campaign and promo events

SUBSTANTIAL INVESTMENTS & EQUIPMENT (€994.150)



Investments:

Biograd - revitalization of the Roman Heritage Educational and Interpretation Center

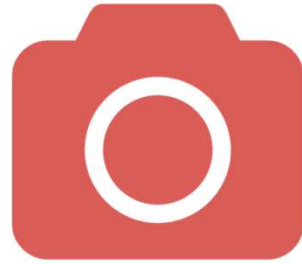
Tomislavgrad - Development of the Roman educational and recreational trail Stržanj

Budva - Roman Baths conservation and revitalisation



Equipment:

Archeological research equipment - magnetometer, LIDAR technology, laser with optical probe (LP), digital interpretation equipment (PP2, PP4 and PP6), Multibeam Echo Sounder (PP3), diving equipment (PP5)



AV CONNECT

AV CONNECT

Discovering and CONNECTing the potential of tourism heritage through AudioVisual creativity between urban and rural communities

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Duration

24 Months



Total Project Budget

€1.206.291



EU Co-financing

€1.025.347

Project Partners



Lead Partner (LP): Institution for the development of competence, innovation and specialization of Zadar county



PP2: National museum Zadar



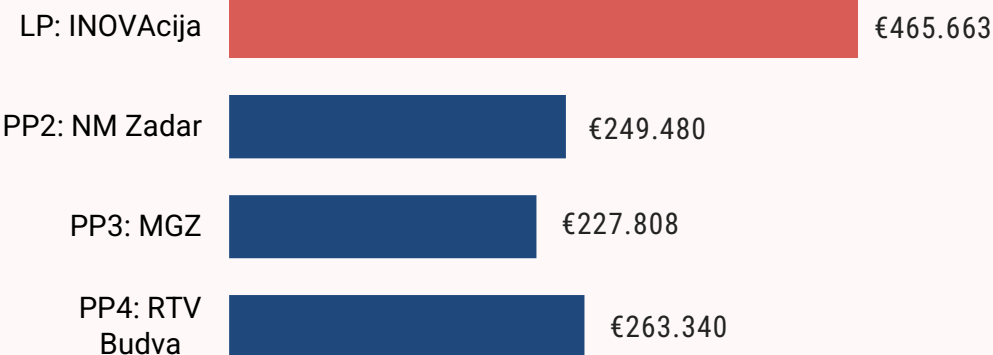
PP3: Zenica City Museum



PP4: RTV Budva



Budget Distribution per Partner



AV CONNECT

Main Objective

To use film and audiovisual storytelling to promote lesser-known heritage and support economic development across borders, while exploring film tourism as a sustainable and inclusive model.

WP1 – Research & capacity building



- Scouting tourist attractions
- Cross-sectoral networking

WP2 – Working LABs



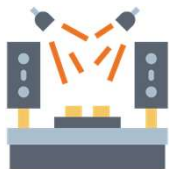
- Establishment of a digital animation atelier
- Creation of digital audiovisual content
- CB film tourism strategy

WP3 - CB audiovisual route

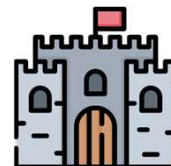


- AV route content design
- Digital heritage catalogue
- Show-off of project results

SUBSTANTIAL EQUIPMENT (€295.350)



Equipment: multimedia, digital and touristic - cameras, video walls, touch screens, digital animation devices, lights and audio equipment, visitor counters.



Tourist sites: Church of St. Dominic in Zadar, the Benkovac Heritage Museum, the medieval fortresses of Vranduk and Tešanj, the Zenica City Museum, the Stranjevići Monastery near Budva, Budva Old Town.



InHeRT

InHeRT

Interregional Heritage of Rhythm and Tradition

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24 Months



Total Project Budget

€2.265.310



EU Co-financing

€1.925.513

Project Partners

 Lead Partner (LP): City of Pleternica

 PP2: KIC Tomislavgrad

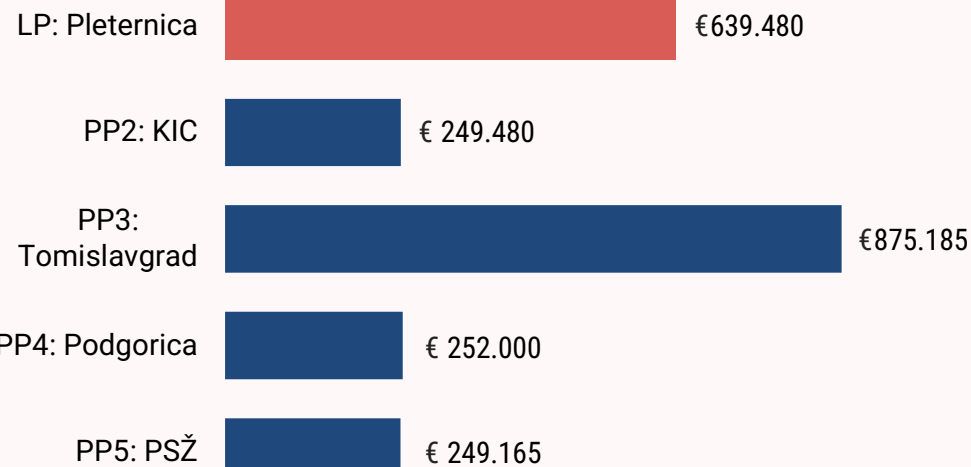
 PP3: Municipality of Tomislavgrad

 PP4: Museums and Galleries of Podgorica

 PP5: Požega-Slavonia County



Budget Distribution per Partner



Main Objective

To turn shared intangible cultural heritage, including traditional music and folk costumes, into contemporary, easy-to-access, and environmentally responsible tourism products.

WP1 – Conserving cultural heritage sites



- Adaptation, equipping, promotion of museums and galleries (BA and ME)
- Development of thematic heritage trails and recreational zones (HR)
- Joint manifestation

WP2 – Building cultural heritage network



- Organisation of scientific conference
- Joint PR strategy on sustainable and inclusive tourism

SUBSTANTIAL EQUIPMENT & INVESTMENTS (€1.334.000)

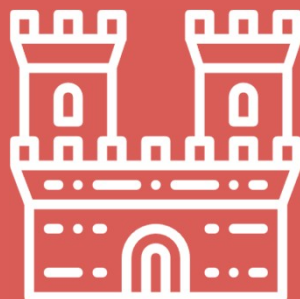


Investments:

Pleternica - heritage trails and recreational zones of Bećarac rest camp.
Tomislavgrad - adaptation of Museum of Ganga.



Equipment: visitors counter, electric bicycles, video booths, touch screens and monitors, exhibition equipment and audio guides.



HERITAGE

HERITAGE

Heritage Enhancement and Revitalization through Innovative Tourism Approaches for Growth and Engagement

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Duration

24 Months



Total Project Budget

€2.349.174



EU Co-financing

€1.996.797

Project Partners



Lead Partner (LP): Municipality of Andrijaševci



PP2: City of Novi Travnik



PP3: Tourist Organization of Podgorica



Budget Distribution per Partner

LP: MoA

€1.878.060

PP2: CoNT

€235.746

PP3: TOP

€235.368

HERITAGE

Main Objective

To revitalize the shared medieval heritage as a catalyst for regional growth, turning renewed heritage sites into a seamless, smart tourism experience that strengthens cooperation, boosts local economies, and fosters social inclusion across communities.

WP1 – Cultural asset revitalization



- Establishing cultural heritage innovation platform
- Revitalization and digitalization of cultural heritage
- Capacity building

WP2 – Promotion of cultural tourism and CB heritage



- Implementation of series of cultural events
- Developing CB heritage tourism package
- Digital and international promotion

SUBSTANTIAL EQUIPMENT & INVESTMENTS (€1.726.100)



Investment:

Vukovar-Srijem County - restoration of Rokovačke Zidine
Novi Travnik - modernization of Culture Centre.



Equipment: VR glasses, projectors, software application, interactive devices, audiovisual equipment and iron model of fortress.

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