

Programmatic Cooperation Framework for Armenia, Azerbaijan, Georgia, Republic of Moldova, Ukraine and Belarus

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Strengthening capacities to fight and prevent corruption in the Azerbaijani administration

Who will benefit?

- ▶ Commission for Combating Corruption of the Republic of Azerbaijan;
- ▶ Civil Service Commission of the Republic of Azerbaijan;
- ▶ Office of the Prosecutor General of Azerbaijan;
- ▶ Law enforcement authorities, including the Financial Monitoring Service and the Chamber of Auditors
- ▶ Ministry of Education, Azerbaijan universities, and students
- ▶ public service training centres; and
- ▶ Civil Society.

The aims of the project

- ▶ Strengthening of institutional capacities aimed at fighting and preventing corruption in the public sector through policy support and specialised knowledge and skills development programs;
- ▶ Strengthened training capacities of the Commission for Combating Corruption and the Civil Service Commission;
- ▶ Reinforced law enforcement capacities of the Anti-Corruption Department of the General Prosecutor;
- ▶ Support the preparation of the new National Anti-Corruption Action Plan; and
- ▶ Anti-Corruption training is introduced into the public service and the education sector.

How will the project work?

- ▶ Through tailored made actions on prevention, enforcement, and strategic development aimed at achieving each of the stated Project aims;

Project activities

- ▶ Development of the anti-corruption and ethics training curricula and set of trainers for the Commission for Combating Corruption and the Civil Service Commission;
- ▶ Specialised training courses for criminal justice authorities on topics including corporate criminal liability, international cooperation in economic crime investigations, and money laundering and terrorist financing investigations.
- ▶ Facilitating public discussion on the National Anti-Corruption Action Plan (2016 – 2019), expert advice, and development of an implementation monitoring tool;
- ▶ Development of an anti-corruption and ethics course for universities and public service training centres.

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How much will it cost?

- ▶ The total budget for the project is 1,000,000 Euros

Length of project

- ▶ the Project is running from 1 January 2015 to 31 December 2017

Who is responsible for the project?

- ▶ The Project is implemented by the Council of Europe Action against Crime Department through its Economic Crime and Cooperation Unit (ECCU).

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