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Newsletter

Community-led Urban Strategies in Historic Towns (COMUS)

State of play

Chiatura (GE)

Project phase has been concluded
Consolidation phase is in progress
Technical documents are finalised

Dusheti (GE)

Project phase has been concluded
Consolidation phase is in progress
Technical documents are finalised

Goris (AM)

Project phase has been concluded
Consolidation phase is in progress
Technical documents are finalised

Gyumri (AM)

Project phase has been concluded
Consolidation phase is in progress
Technical documents are finalised

Lutsk (UA)

Project phase has been concluded
Consolidation phase is in progress
Technical documents are being reviewed

Mstislav (BL)

Project phase has been concluded
Consolidation phase is in progress
PTAs and FS are being finalised

Pryluky (UA)

Project phase has been concluded
Consolidation phase is in progress
Technical documents are being reviewed

Soroca (MD)

Project phase has been concluded
Consolidation phase is in progress
Technical documents are finalised

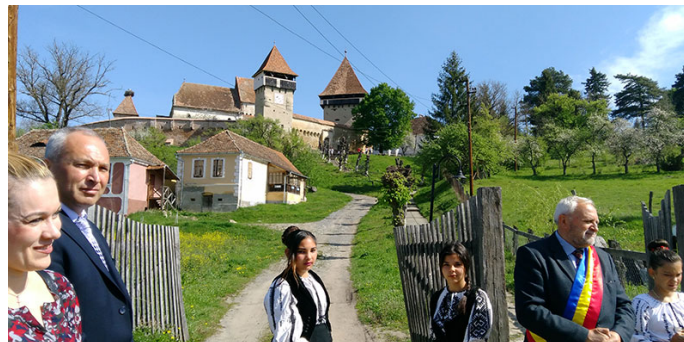
Zhovka (UA)

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Highlights



The COMUS Consolidation Phase is in progress, as the project activities will be concluding at the end of June 2017. The promotional films and technical documents including Feasibility Studies are being finalised to be translated and uploaded onto the COMUS website.



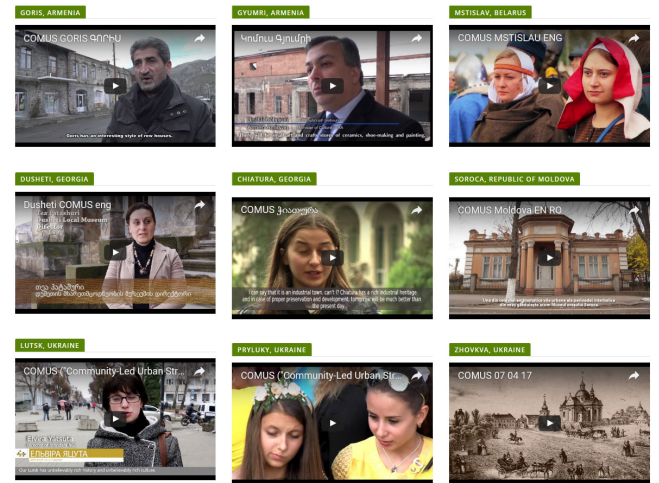
The sixth COMUS Regional workshop – Scenarios on Housing Rehabilitation and Funding Possibilities in Community-Led Urban Strategies, was held in Sibiu (Romania) on 26-27 April 2017. The workshop provided the participants with good examples of community based actions with limited funding opportunities, and generated vivid discussions on the possibilities in heritage-led local economic development. The Study visit to Alma Vii village was inspiring for many to see community enthusiasm in this small rural village.



The COMUS final publication is being drafted and will be available at the final event in June.



COMUS promotional films for each COMUS town can be viewed on the [web](#).



Self-evaluation / reflection process took place in each COMUS country involving communities, project teams, local stakeholders groups and national stakeholders groups where all had the opportunity to reflect on the project implementation and its implications for their respective involvement. The results of these sessions were compiled in a report for each country and will be included in their portfolios. The practice is considered an essential step in the COMUS process to take account on what happened and what is planned beyond the COMUS project.



International expert visits and workshops on Feasibility Study took place in Belarus and Ukraine.
Lead expert visit to Ukraine in order to support the consolidation phase activities.

Next steps



[COMUS final event](#)
28 June 2017, Strasbourg

Consolidation of portfolios for each COMUS town

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