

Factsheet

Strategic Programming

ODGP Open Day 2020
Council of Europe



KEY FIGURES for 2019 - beginning of 2020

12 Strategic Co-operation Frameworks:

- 7 Action Plans
- 2 Neighbourhood Partnerships
- 1 Neighbourhood Co-operation Priorities-agreement
- 2 other Co-operation Frameworks

EU/CoE Co-operation Frameworks

- Horizontal Facility for the Western Balkans and Turkey (Horizontal Facility)- Phase II May 2019 – May 2022, €41 million
- Partnership for Good Governance (PGG) – Phase II: 2019-2021, €17.5 million
- South Programme III/ South Programme IV - €3.3 million
- Regional Rule of Law programme for Central Asia: multi-annual envelope of €8.9 million
- Framework Agreements with DG REFORM (former SRSS)

KEY ACHIEVEMENTS for 2019 - beginning of 2020

- Council of Europe strategic perspective and programming in cooperation, mainly through country and regional planning (Action Plans and co-operation documents);
- Continuous co-ordination and harmonisation of co-operation activities in member states and in its neighbourhood (for example large-scale co-ordination events continuously organised, including 22 EU/CoE Facility events in 2019);
- Strategy and accountability: 13 CM high-level documents produced during 2019 (14 scheduled for 2020; GR-DEM/GR-EXT); 11 Action Plan-level reports sent to donors for the contractual deadline of 31 March 2020;
- Enabling coordinated adaptation: following the COVID-19 pandemic, workplans collectively revisited and working methods adjusted to maintain delivery as far as possible;
- Ensuring the transversal approach of a human rights organisation: including a human rights approach with gender-mainstreaming, support to UN SDGs as well as risk management are streamlined as illustrated in documents for Committee of Ministers and donors;
- New phases and agreements in cooperation: Phases II of the EU/CoE Partnership for Good Governance and Horizontal Facility launched based on previous results and lessons learned, as well as a new regional programme for Central Asia; Signature of a first Framework Agreement with DG REFORM (SRSS) (second agreement near completion);
- Channelling expertise from the Council of Europe: response mechanisms to requests for legislative expertise and policy advice (Partnership for Good Governance and Horizontal Facility working with the Venice Commission and others);
- Empowering CoE cooperation staff: gender mainstreaming and results-based reporting recently organised in Strasbourg and in the field, based on the specific cooperation methodology.



ABOUT

Office of the Directorate General of Programmes

www.coe.int/en/web/programmes

Horizontal Facility

<https://pjp-eu.coe.int/en/web/horizontal-facility>

Partnership for Good Governance

<https://pjp-eu.coe.int/en/web/pgg2>

South Programme

<https://pjp-eu.coe.int/en/web/south-programme>

Central Asia

www.coe.int/en/web/programmes/central-asia1

DG REFORM

https://ec.europa.eu/info/departments/structural-reform-support_en

(CoE pages coming soon)