

P2P Events and Activities

Beneficiary (Single or Multi), Date, Location	Title
March 2015	
MB 12-13 March 2015, Ankara- Turkey completed	Conference: Anti-Discrimination and Equality on the way to the EU This event seeks to raise awareness on international and EU legal and policy frameworks on non-discrimination, approaches of different independent mechanisms and lobbying strategies of EU CSOs
April 2015	
SB/MK 20 April 2015 Skopje, FYROM	Follow up Event: Roma Integration
SB/TR 21 April, 2015 Ankara-Turkey	Conference: Independent Civil Monitoring of Elections and Equal Access of Vulnerable Groups to Electoral Rights This event seeks to raise awareness on EU and international standards and monitoring of vulnerable groups' access to electoral rights
MB 28-29 April 2015 Belgrade Serbia	Conference: EU Guidelines Monitoring - Year I This event seeks to share the state of play with regard to civil society capacities in the region and progress made with regard to CSF Guidelines
May 2015	
SMB/AL, MK, KO, MNE 1 st week of May, 2015 Tushemisht, Albania	Networking event: cross-border and regional cooperation for CSOs This event seeks to raise awareness on the role of the regional approach and regional programmes in the EU integration and to discuss and propose measures for better involvement and integration of CSOs.
SB/BiH 18-22 May 2015, Croatia- Slovenia-	Study Visit: EU policies and best practices in Social entrepreneurship as a tool for organizational sustainability This event seeks to enable peer to peer learning on legislation, institution settings, networking and platforms for SE in the EU, support to start up for local CSOs

Austria	
SB/TR 19-22 May 2015 Estonia	Study Visit: EU models for Improving Enabling Environment for CSOs in Turkey This event seeks to raise awareness on CSO-public cooperation models and code of conduct between Public and CSOs in Estonia as well as strengthen dialogue among key stakeholders on advancing enabling environment for CSOs in Turkey
SB/SR 26-27 May 2015 Belgrade, Serbia	Conference: CSOs and Social Service Delivery – EU Legislation and local practices This event seeks to explore current practices on local and national level in the frame of relevant legislation and EU standards and facilitate dialogue among main actors.
SB/MNE May 2015 Podgorica, Montenegro	Roundtable: Supportive Legislative Framework for Social Entrepreneurship This event seeks to enable input of CSOs into upcoming SE legislation, sharing of SE legislation models from the region/EU.
June 2015	
MB 2-3 June 2015, Belgrade, Serbia	Conference: EESC – 5th Western Balkans Civil Society Forum This event seeks to share the state of play of civil society in the region, as well as needs and possibilities for future development
SB/MK 9-11 June 2015, Brussels, Belgium	Study Visit: EU Legal Framework and Policies on Anti-Discrimination and Fundamental Rights This event seeks to explore the issues of fundamental rights and anti-discrimination from the perspective of legal frame, institutional frame and practices and harmonization with EU policies and standards
SB/BiH 23-24 June 2015, Sarajevo, BiH	Conference: EU policies and best practices in Social Entrepreneurship as a tool for organizational sustainability This event seeks to share experiences obtained and good practices observed during SE Study Visit, raising awareness on legislative frameworks supportive of SE, raising awareness of good practices for SE in organizational sustainability
SB/KO June 2015 Pristine, KO	Conference: Sports as a tool for Inclusion and Reconciliation This event seeks to share how sports can be an effective tool for building dialogue, social cohesion and reconciliation in post-conflict communities, sharing different examples for the use of sport in reconciliation and social inclusion, providing opportunities for experiential learning through practical demonstrations
SMB/AL, MK, KO June 2015 Albania	Conference and Networking event: Access to Rights and Services and anti-discrimination – the disability perspective This event seeks to raise awareness of CSOs on EU and International standards on anti-discrimination and access to rights and services for people with disabilities
September 2015	

MB 11-12 September, 2015 Tirana, Albania	Conference: OGP Regional Summit for Western Balkans This event seeks to share experiences and good practices of governments and CSO representatives in OGP, sharing innovation in open data activities, peer to peer learning from OGP training CSOs, influencing regional authorities that could benefit from open government and implement concrete change
MB September 2015 Tbd	Conference: CSR and Philanthropy and Image of CSOs This event seeks to explore the role of CSR and Philanthropy in supporting CSOs, models for building relationships and collaboration, how to align goals and keep integrity, how to develop and sustain an “image” that evokes trust and support
MB Q3 2015, Brussels, Belgium	Conference: Speak Up! 3 on Freedom of Expression and the Media in WB and Turkey (tbd) This event seeks to discuss challenges and developments in relation to Freedom of Expression which is a priority in EU accession, to monitor developments in relation to Guidelines for Support to Media Freedom and results framework
SMB September 2015, Belgrade, Serbia	Conference: Civil society voice heard- Best practices (SECO Mechanism, EU Convent) This event seeks to provide an opportunity for key CSOs and government actors from the Western Balkans to examine the SECO mechanism model and to explore ways in which the model can be applied to their localities.
SMB/SB (tbd) September 2015 Pristine, Kosovo	Conference: Role of Civil Society in Public Administration Reform – EU standards and Practice This event seeks to examine standards and good practices of CSO participation in public administration reform in the EU, share experiences from the region, share results of research on current state of play in region, develop proposals for improvement
October 2015	
SMB October 2015 Skopje, FYROM	Conference: CSOs role in the cross-border and regional cooperation This event seeks to raise awareness on the role of the regional approach and regional programmes in the EU integration and to discuss and propose measures for better involvement and integration of CSOs in the cross-border and regional programmes.
SB/BIH October 2015, Sarajevo BiH	Partnership Forum: CSOs and Private Sector This event seeks to complete the support to SE environment in BiH by presenting 10 best start-up projects (CSO SE proposals selected by TACSO BiH with assistance of 2 experts) to business, media, government institutions, and SE organisations in BiH and the region.
SB/MK October/ November 2015 Skopje, MK	Conference: Open Government Partnership – Progress with the second action plan This event seeks to share the findings of the mid-term self-assessment of the second OGP Action Plan with CSOs, to discuss challenges and to develop recommendations in view of good practices and lessons learnt from the region (in regards to participatory policy making and openness on local level)
November 2015	
MB 4 November 2015, Skopje	CSO Strategy event: Humanizing Borders: mainstreaming human rights for migrants and refugees This event seeks to provide an opportunity for CSOs working in the fields of migration, asylum support, human rights and humanitarian assistance to meet EU counterparts and key actors in field of human rights and migration

FYROM	
MB 5-6 November 2015, Skopje, FYROM	Conference: Humanizing borders: mainstreaming human rights policies for migrants and refugees This event seeks to share the legal framework and state of play with regard to migration and human rights as well as bring key issues to the forefront of the political agenda.
SB/MK November 2015, Skopje, FYROM	Conference: EU Legal Framework and Policies on Anti-Discrimination and Fundamental Rights This event seeks to explore the issues of fundamental rights and anti-discrimination from the perspective of legal frame, institutional frame and practices and harmonization with EU policies and standards
SB/TR November 2015 Ankara, Turkey	Conference: EU Standards and models for an Enabling Financial Framework This event seeks to raise awareness and stipulate cross sectorial discussion on several issues related to financially enabling environment for CSOs; namely public benefit status, regulations on collecting aid and donations, applicable tax regulations for CSOs in different countries and public funding for Civil society organisations in EU and IPA models.
SMB November 2015 Podgorica, MNE	Roundtable: Volunteering and Legislative Framework – EU standards and good practices This event seeks to explore the standards and enabling legislative framework for volunteering in the EU and member states, to examine good practices, developing proposals for legislative framework for participating countries
MB November 2015, tbd	Conference: CSOs and Constituency-Building This event seeks to share good examples in communication for constituency mobilization from the EU and IPA region
December 2015	
SB/MNE December 2015, Podgorica, Montenegro	Conference: Media Freedom This event is a follow up to the Speak Up! Conference
SB/SER December 2015, Belgrade, Serbia	Conference: Media, Freedom of Expression and Freedom of Speech This event is a follow up to the Speak Up! Conference
January 2016	
SB/MK January 2016 Skopje, FYROM	Conference: Freedom of Expression and Freedom of Speech This event is a follow up to the Speak Up! Conference

February 2016	
MB February 2016, Tbd	Conference: Access to education and social Inclusion: Good practices and models of the use of Arts from the EU and the Western Balkans and Turkey This event seeks to share good practices and models for the use of arts/culture in promoting social inclusion in the field of education
SB/SR February 2016, Serbia	Conference: EU Legal Framework and Policies on Fundamental Rights protection This event seeks to explore the issues of fundamental rights and anti-discrimination from the perspective of legal frame, institutional frame, national and regional practices and harmonization with EU policies.
March 2016	
SMB March 2016 Pristine, Kosovo	Networking Conference: Building national and regional CSO networks for advocacy and action This event seeks to share information and experience on the work of regional/EU/International networks effective in the thematic areas, providing opportunity for developing communication and collaboration within and between networks, strengthening CSO capacities to engage in and manage networks
SMB March 2016 Sarajevo, Bosnia	Conference: Transparent Allocation of Public Funds – EU good practices and Models This event seeks to examine good models for ensuring transparency of public funding for civil society, sharing mechanisms for implementation and monitoring
April 2016	
May 2016	
MB May 2016 Tbd	Conference: EU Guidelines Monitoring event – Year II This event will look at the state of play with regard to civil society capacities in the region and progress made with regard to CSF Guidelines
June 2016	
SB June 2016 Pristine, Kosovo	Conference: Volunteering and Youth Empowerment This event seeks to examine the role of volunteering in youth empowerment and social inclusion, sharing models of support to volunteering, developing input for government support to youth volunteering
MB June 2016 Tbd	Conference: Human Rights – New Tactics This event seeks to examine the state of play of human rights struggle in the region, to share and discover new ways of working for human rights, good practices from the EU on human rights campaigning and policy change

July 2016	
August 2016	
September 2016	
October 2016	
November 2016	
SB/SMB (tbd) November 2016 Pristine, Kosovo	Conference: Access to Education for Roma Ashkali and Egyptians This event seeks to share good practices with regard to RAE Access to Education, especially learning centers,
December 2016	