

Grant Application Form Summary

Title of the joint Action and acronym	Clean Rivers - Clean Sea! NGOs actions for environmental protection within Black Sea area (CRCS)
Priority and Measure	<p>Priority 2: Sharing resources and competencies for environmental protection and conservation</p> <p>Measure 2.1 Strengthening the joint knowledge and information base needed to address common challenges in the environmental protection of river and maritime systems</p>
Applicant	ECCG, Eco Counselling Centre Galati, Romania, Galati
Partner no 1	ECCC, Eco Counselling Centre Cahul, R. Moldova
Partner no 2	REC Moldova, Regional Environmental Centre Moldova
Partner no 3	BSNN, Black Sea NGO Network, Bulgaria
Partner no 4:	REC Caucasus, Regional Environmental Centre for the Caucasus, Georgia
Partner no 5	Society of Natural and Wildlife Conservation Turkey - DYKD-IPA
Partner no 6	Rize Provincial Special Administration Turkey
Locations of the joint Action	Galati -Romania, Black Sea Region-Turkey, Cahul- Republic of Moldova, Varna-Bulgaria, South Caucasus- Georgia
Total duration of the joint Action	24 months
Objectives of the joint Action	<p>Overall Objectives:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • is to contribute to the effectiveness of the measures taken by different stakeholders to address the issue of water pollution, as common challenge in the environmental protection of the Black Sea area. <p>Specific Objectives:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • to develop cooperation partnership among NGOs and other stakeholders in order to share experiences on fighting against pollution as common challenge; • to increase the capacity of the NGOs in supporting local and regional authorities in the field of water management; • to raise public awareness and strengthen public participation

	<p>by promoting the protection of ecosystem and advocacy for pollution control in Black Sea Basin, especially the tributaries rivers.</p>
Target groups	<p>The target groups are representatives and volunteers of NGOs, young people and citizens within the regions covered by the joint Action.</p> <p>Representatives and volunteers of NGOs have to manage a various lists of issues and they need to develop their skills on specific subjects and advocacy and lobbying.</p> <p>The representatives of NGOS will be involved within activities of this joint Action.</p>
Final beneficiaries	<p>The final beneficiarries are people working for the NGOs involved within the activities of this joint Action as well as the young people and citizens living in the Black Sea area.</p>
Estimated results	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • improved and comprehensive knowledge on water management and pollution control status within project regions; • better outlining of possible NGOs role in environmental issue; partnership tools created; • increased experience - exchange on water management and pollution control; • improved information on potential partners; better dissemination of project information and results among different stakeholders; • improved conditions for NGOs cooperation; increased level of qualification and information on water management and pollution combating among NGOs; • increased level of cooperation between public and private stakeholders; • increased knowledge on public participation and increased awareness of public on water management and pollution control.
Main activities	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Creating the framework for a better cooperation among NGOs and the other stakeholders in the field of water management and pollution combating; • Strengthening NGO cooperation capacity; • Increasing public participation into water management.