



Call for Interest

Coordinators for a Society Wide Dialogue Platform

SDGs for all

The Deutsche Gesellschaft für Internationale Zusammenarbeit (GIZ) GmbH requests all concerned Civil Society Organisations in Serbia **to express their interest** in participating in the establishment of a society wide dialogue platform on implementing the global 2030 Agenda in Serbia.

In a joint endeavour German and Swiss Development Cooperation aim to establish a **platform to foster a society wide dialogue on the internationally agreed 2030 Agenda** and its Sustainable Development Goals in Serbia. The platform shall:

- Raising awareness for the SDGs in the Serbian society and establishing a structured and evidence-based society-wide dialogue on the implementation of the 2030 Agenda;
- Providing room for discussion of priorities of sustainable development of different actors in the society and support consent building among them;
- Providing room for discussion and consent building with state actors on different levels and engaging in dialogue with Government on inclusive policy formulation aligned with the SDGs;
- Strengthening the role of non-state actors (e.g. CSOs, businesses, professional associations, research organisations) on all levels in implementing the SDGs by facilitating mutual learning;
- Work in close cooperation with other development partners, first and foremost the UN Organisations in Serbia.
- Supporting monitoring and accountability by collecting and providing data on SDG implementation.

It is foreseen that the platform will be structured according to the **three dimensions of sustainable development** (Ecologic, Economic, Social) and will thus be organised in three pillars. For each pillar a Civil Society Organisation will take over responsibility as a coordinator. The work of the coordinators will be supported financially by Swiss and German Development Cooperation through GIZ by up to 100.000 EUR for each pillar for the first year. Following successful implementation, grants per pillar coordinator can cumulate to up to 400.000 EUR over 34 months.

This call for interest is the first step in the process of identifying these three pillar coordinators. In the second step all preselected CSOs will be requested to submit a concept for the coordination of their pillar.



The following minimum criteria apply for the participation in the call for interest:

- Registered as CSO in Serbia with a non-profit status
- At least 3 years of working experience
- At least 5 permanently employed staff
- Previous working relationship with international donors
- Successful previous administration of financial grants of more than 200.000 EUR
- Previous experience in moderating networks

Please use the application form and send your expression of interest not later than **24 August 2019** via e-mail or mail in English language to the following address:

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