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Project: The Cultural Renaissance from Skadar Lake to Kosovo (TIME TRAVEL)

PROJECT INFORMATION SHEET

Name of Project	The Cultural Renaissance from Skadar Lake to Kosovo – TIME TRAVEL
Location of project	Municipalities of National Park “Accursed Mountains”, Decan/Decan, Peje/Pec and Kline/Klina
Overall budget	404,235.73 EUR
EU Contribution	343,730.33 EUR
Applicants contribution	60,505.40 EUR
Project Duration	24 months (01 March 2023 – 01 February 2025)
Organization Name	Community Development Fund (CDF) Kosovo – Lead Organization
Partner (s)	CSTI (NGO in Montenegro), NTO in Montenegro, Municipalities of National Parks (Kosovo, Decan and Peja), Skadar Lake, Biogradska Gora and Prokletije including Rožaje, Petnjica and Ulcinj
Overall Objective	Overall objective (i.e. impacts): To contribute to improvement of the quality and diversification of the tourism offer building on natural and cultural heritage at cross-border rural areas of KOS and MNE
Specific Objectives	Specific objective(s) (i.e. outcome(s)): To develop a know-how model for preserving, valorizing, interpreting and integrating heritage sites along nature trails into comprehensive natural and cultural tourism offer, and to jointly promote them.”
Specific Objectives	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) R1 Cross-border tourist cluster formed with the aim to create a recognizable thematic tourist offer "TIME TRAVEL" which connect 5 key heritage sites in KOS to 5 heritage sites in MNE 2) R2 Light visitor and access infrastructure arranged to support the development of key products (sign posting and heritage interpretation routes for tourism purposes); 3) R3 Built capacity of target groups regarding development and management of identified heritage assets and its potential to spill off and improve economic and social environment of CB area 4) R4 Joint marketing campaign implemented
Target Groups	Regional, local and central authorities; Tourism Boards (TB)/departments and their employees; National Parks, Institutions for the management of natural and cultural heritage; Private operators in tourism; Rural households and unemployed persons; Cultural and folk associations and institutions and other civil society organizations working on heritage.
End beneficiaries	Local population (Municipalities of National parks Skadar Lake, Biogradska Gora and Prokletije including Rožaje, Petnjica and Ulcinj in MNE (approx. 115.000 inhabitants) and Municipalities of National Park “Accursed Mountains”, Decan /Decan (approx. 40,019 inhabitants); Peje/Pec (approx. 115.000) inhabitants and Kline/Klina (approx. 44,000 inhabitants) in KOS and approx. 10.000 visitors.



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<p>Core Project Activities:</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Project management, monitoring and evaluation (R1-4) Activity 2. Mapping, identification and interpretation of joint tourism offer <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 2.1 Detailed assessment and analysis of tourism assets in project target area /mapping • 2.2 Development of joint tourism itineraries • 2.3 Joint thematic routes interpretation and valorization 3 Activity Installation of light visitor infrastructure and small-scale works <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 3.1 Development of cultural thematic routes in KOS and MNE 3.2 Small scale interventions along nature trails which connects sites of interests and thematic routes 4. Activity 3: Educational activities and workshops. <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 4.1 Training for guides interpreting cultural heritage sites. 4.2 Training in sustainable management of cultural/nature.` 5. Activity 5. Joint media campaign and visibility actions (R1-4)
<p>Coordination & Interaction</p>	<p>Kosovo, Ministry of Culture, Institution for Cultural Heritage, Bjeshket e Nemuna, Municipalities of Klina, Deçan, and Peja, National Park Management Office, Civil Society Organizations and Private Businesses (tour operators, tourist sellers, etc.).</p>



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