Swiss Development and Cooperation (SDC) Programs in Eastern Transition Countries

**Legend**
- Swiss Contribution to EU Enlargement
- Transition Co-operation SDC EuraD
- Transition Co-operation SDC WBA

1) Programs of State Secretariat for Economic Affairs (SECO) included in the percentage
2) Programs of the Human Security Division included in the percentage.

**Bosnia and Herzegovina 2017-2020**
- Democratic Gov. Municipal Serv. & Justice 55%
- Democratic Governance 36.8%
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**Armenia, Azerbaijan, Georgia 2017-2020**
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**Tajikistan 2017-2021**
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**Regional Central Asia 2017-2021**
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**Health**
- 18%

- Urban Infrastr. & Energy 21.7%
- Water & Climate Change Resil. 35.4%
- Infrastructure & Environment 39.5%
- Sustain. Energy & Resilient Cities 14.3%
- Sustain. Energy Mgt & Urban Dev. 33.7%

- Economic Dev. & Employment 24%
- Economy & Employment 28.3%
- Employment & Eco Dev. 21.3%
- Economy & Employment 46%
- Economy & Employment 26%
- Economy & Employment 19.7%
- Inclus. & Sustain. Eco. Dev. 64.7%

- Employment & Eco Dev. 15%
- Employment & Eco Dev. 26%
- Employment & Eco Dev. 17%

Other interventions 3%

This presentation features SDC programs only
SDC Programs in Eastern Transition Countries: EuraD States

- Ukraine
- Moldova
- Georgia
- Uzbekistan
- Kyrgyzstan
- Armenia
- Azerbaijan
- Tajikistan
SDC Democratization, Decentralization and Local Governance / Rule of Law Programs in EuraD States - Part I

Moldova
- **Promoting Inclusiveness through Civil Society Advocacy**
  - **Goal**: Strengthen civil society groups, enabling them to play a critical role in promoting and safeguarding the rights and interests of the vulnerable and excluded.
  - **2015-2021**: CHF 3.15 Mio.
- **Fostering Active Civic Engagement**
  - **Goal**: Contribute to an inclusive, peaceful and democratic Moldovan society with engaged citizens.
- **Ma Implic – Project on civic engagement in local governance**
  - **Goal**: The rural population of Moldova has equitable access to quality public service provision.
  - **2018-2023**: CHF 6 Mio.

Georgia
- **Regional and Municipal Infrastructure Development**
  - **Goal**: Strengthen municipal capacities (decentralization) for public service delivery. 150,000 rural residents will benefit directly from improved basic infrastructure.
  - **2014-2021**: CHF 5.5 Mio.
- **Fostering Regional and Local Development**
  - **Goal**: 150,000 rural residents will benefit from a stronger economic and social development. National training system for officials of regional and local authorities will be established.
  - **2017-2021**: CHF 3.7 Mio.

Ukraine
- **Support to Decentralization**
  - **Goal**: Quality of and access to selected public services are improved with the participation of local communities and authorities who are institutionally strengthened and jointly contribute to the local governance reform process at the national level.
  - **2017-2021**: CHF 7.75 Mio.
- **United Nations Human Rights Monitoring Mission**
  - **Goal**: Contribute to enhancing respect for human rights in the current conflict in Ukraine.
  - **2019-2020**: CHF 1 Mio.
- **Asset recovery and public integrity in Ukraine**
  - **Goal**: Enhance the ability of Ukrainian law enforcement agencies to apply tools and techniques to investigate and prosecute financial crime.
  - **2018-2021**: CHF 1 Mio.
- **E-Governance for Accountability and Participation (EGAP)**
  - **Goal**: Citizens (including vulnerable groups and IDPs) and businesses get better access to and make more use of public services, become less exposed to corruption, and express more trust in the authorities.
  - **2019-2023**: CHF 5.4 Mio.

Armenia
- **Improvement of the Local Self-Governance System**
  - **Goal**: Contribute to a better self-government system adapted to demographic realities and financial constraints. Accompany local self-government reforms with technical assistance.
  - **2019-2023**: CHF 7.8 Mio.

South Caucasus - Armenia + Azerbaijan + Georgia
- **Strengthening the Climate Adaptation Capacities**
  - **Goal**: Reducing the population’s vulnerabilities towards climate-induced hazards and fostering regional cooperation on climate change adaptation challenges.
  - **2018-2023**: CHF 7.1 Mio.
SDC Democratization, Decentralization and Local Governance / Rule of Law Programs in EuraD States - Part II

**Tajikistan**

- **Access to Justice**
  
  **Goal:** Contribute to better access to justice for marginalized people by establishing a platform for dialogue between civil society and the Government and by enhancing the capacities of both civil society and the Government to apply rule of law reforms.

  **2016-2020:** CHF 4.2 Mio.

**Kyrgyzstan**

- **Public Services Improvement**
  
  **Goal:** Improve the efficiency and quality of the public services provided by municipalities in order to increase the quality of life of the local population.

  **2019-2023:** CHF 4.1 Mio.

- **Strengthening Voice and Accountability**
  
  **Goal:** Municipalities manage public finances in transparent and accountable mode through citizen’s participation in decision making.

  **2015-2020:** CHF 5.74 Mio.

- **Strong and Inclusive Parliamentary Democracy**
  
  **Goal:** Citizens benefit from enhanced citizen-orientation of policies resulting from increased inclusiveness of national policy-making and improved accountability of key state institutions.

  **2015-2021:** CHF 3.8 Mio.
## SDC Health Programs in EuraD States - Part I

### Moldova
- **Progressing towards Universal Health Coverage**
  - **Goal:** Access to health insurance for all and reducing out-of-pocket fees for medical services.
  - **2019-2023:** CHF 4.6 Mio.
- **Support to the Reform of Mental Health Services**
  - **Goal:** Access to an utilization of quality community-based mental health services and health education programs by the means of a nationwide-scaling-up.
  - **2018-2022:** CHF 3.2 Mio.
- **Reducing the Burden of Non-Communicable Diseases**
  - **Goal:** Health promotion at community level, improving prevention and service quality at primary level.
  - **2015-2020:** CHF 4.53 Mio.

### Ukraine
- **Mental Health for All**
  - **Goal:** Improve the quality of care and outcomes for people living with mental health disorders (including those affected by the ongoing conflict).
  - **2018-2023:** CHF 3.34 Mio.
- **Support Reforms and Good Governance in the Health System in Ukraine**
  - **Goal:** Improve the access to more efficient, accountable and patient-oriented health care for the population in selected regions. Ultimately, it will lead to better health outcomes for Ukrainian citizens.
  - **2016-2020:** CHF 2.65 Mio.
- **Supporting the Medical Education Development in Ukraine**
  - **Goal:** Improve the overall primary healthcare services provision, in order to have a positive impact on the health status of the population.
  - **2017-2022:** CHF 5.25 Mio.
- **Reducing risk-factors for Non-Communicable Diseases in Ukraine**
  - **Goal:** Improve the health and wellbeing of the Ukrainian population by reducing NCDs’ related mortality and morbidity.
  - **2019-2020:** CHF 0.2 Mio. (opening credit)
  - **2020-2029:** CHF 16.2 Mio. → planned

### Moldova
- **Contribution to cervical cancer prevention project**
  - **Goal:** Reducing incidence and mortality due to cervical cancer through better access to and use of cost-effective and quality services.
  - **2017-2020:** CHF 0.6 Mio.
- **Healthy Generation: Youth Friendly Health Services**
  - **Goal:** Young men and women in Moldova (particularly those vulnerable and most-at-risk) adopt safer behaviours and seek assistance from health services when needed.
  - **2018-2020:** CHF 1.092 Mio.
Kyrgyzstan
- **Budget Support for Implementation of National Health Reform Strategy**
  
  **Goal:** Improve the health of the population, ensure equitable access to health services and improve their quality by supporting the Government in its health sector reform.
  
  2019-2022: CHF 9.7 Mio

- **Medical Education Reforms**
  
  **Goal:** Improve the quality of medical education and better connect the formation of medical staff to rural health systems needs and practice.

  2017-2021: CHF 3.54 Mio.

- **Effective management and prevention of Non-Communicable Diseases (NCDs)**
  
  **Goal:** Improve the well-being of the Kyrgyz population in rural areas through better control and management of NCDs at primary health care level.


Tajikistan
- **Enhancing Primary Health Care Services**
  
  **Goal:** Men, women and children benefit from better health thanks to improved primary health care services and health promotion activities in rural communities.

  2017-2021: CHF 4.2 Mio.

- **Integrated Health and Habitat Improvement in the Rasht Valley**
  
  **Goal:** People benefit from basic public services in a peaceful and equitable society allowing them to improve their quality of life.

  2018-2021: CHF 7.05 Mio.
Tajikistan

- **Water Supply and Sanitation**
  
  **Goal:** Sustainable provision of safe drinking water and sanitation services and improved hygiene behavior in the Khatlon region and Rudaki district.
  
  **2018-2022:** CHF 3.1 Mio.

- **Safe Drinking Water and Sanitation Management**
  
  **Goal:** Improve access to and quality of drinking water and sanitation for 150'000 people living in isolated mountainous areas of Eastern Tajikistan (GBAO).
  
  **2017-2021:** CHF 5.3 Mio.

- **Integrated Health and Habitat Improvement, Rasht Valley**
  
  **Goal:** Improve access to basic social services (water and health). Enhance participation of local communities to local development (decision-making and effective management of resources).
  
  **2018-2021:** CHF 7.1 Mio.
SDC Integrated Water Resource Management, Arts & Culture and Migration & Development Programs in EuraD States

**South Caucasus - Armenia + Azerbaijan + Georgia**

**Regional Arts and Culture Programme**

**Goal:** Promote contemporary arts as an open and interactive platform for society to display new social perspectives. This in turn shall foster socio-cultural diversity and cooperation in and between the countries of the South Caucasus.

**2017-2021:** CHF 0.8 Mio.

**Central Asia – Kyrgyzstan + Tajikistan + Uzbekistan**

**Water accountability in transboundary Chu and Talas River Basins**

**Goal:** Introduction of a modern, Multi-Level distributed Water Information System to provide stakeholder’s gateways for judicious and sustainable water resources management.

**2016-2020:** CHF 2.3 Mio.

**Strengthening of the Institutional Framework for Integrated Water Resources Management**

**Goal:** Improve regional water governance by strengthening the Regional Institutional Framework for Integrated Water Resources Management

**2017-2020:** CHF 1.2 Mio.

**Moldova**

**Making the Most of Migration**

**Goal:** Support Moldova in creating a favorable environment for leveraging migrants human and financial capital for the development of their home country.

**2019-2022:** CHF 7 Mio.

**Moldova**

**Strengthening the Institutional Framework in the Water and Sanitation Sector**

**Goal:** Improve the steering and management of the water sector as well as the performance of key sector institutions, through working directly with the national institutions on sector capacity development, integrated water resource management, and a comprehensive water information system.

**2014-2020:** CHF 4.18 Mio.

**Tajikistan**

**National Water Resources Management**

**Goal:** Improve rural livelihoods through inclusive and integrated management of water resources in the Tajik Darya Basin.

**2018-2022:** CHF 4.99 Mio.
SDC Economic Development and Employment Programs in EuraD States – Part I

**Kyrgyzstan**

- **Small and Medium Enterprises Development in the Southern Provinces of Alai and Chon Alai**
  
  **Goal:** Promote the private sector, create new jobs and businesses.
  
  **2018-2022:** CHF 3.1 Mio.

- **Promotion of Sustainable Economic Development**
  
  **Goal:** Achieve economic growth and job creation through a strengthened private sector. Further access of businesses to national and international markets and improve the local business environment.
  
  **2015-2020:** CHF 4.54 Mio.

**Moldova**

- **Job Creation and Skills Development**
  
  **Goal:** Promote improved employment and opportunities to generate income for women and men, significantly benefitting excluded groups (rural youth, returning migrants, ethnic minorities).
  
  **2017-2021:** CHF 5.35 Mio.
SDC Economic Development and Employment Programs in EuraD States – Part II

Georgia
- Modernization of the Vocational Education and Training System related to Agriculture
  Goal: Increase productivity, incomes and (self-) employment of male and female farmers.
- Alliances Caucasus Programme
  Goal: Enable livestock market systems to function more efficiently and inclusively for small-scale livestock producers (SSLP). This shall result in improved incomes through increased productivity and employment opportunities and resilience to livelihood shocks.
  2017-2021: CHF 7.9 Mio.

Armenia
- Livestock Development in the South
  Goal: Increase economic opportunities and incomes of male and female farmers involved in animal husbandry in Syunik and Vayots Dzor provinces.
- Livestock Development expanding from South to North
  Goal: Increase economic opportunities and incomes of male and female farmers and strengthen regional links and access to regional markets of animal and animal products.

South Caucasus - Armenia + Azerbaijan + Georgia
- Support to the Establishment of National Animal Identification and Traceability Systems
  Goal: Improve food safety and animal health, fostering better access to international and regional markets of live animal and animal products to increase agriculture’s competitiveness.
- Women’s Economic Empowerment
  Goal: Women, particularly poor and socially excluded, in Armenia, Azerbaijan and Georgia are economically empowered and participate in relevant decision-making processes.
SDC Programs in Eastern Transition Countries: Western Balkans

- Bosnia and Herzegovina
- Serbia
- Kosovo
- North Macedonia
- Albania
SDC Cooperation in the Western Balkans (Domains)

Bosnia and Herzegovina
- Democratic Governance, Municipal Services and Justice
- Economy and Employment
- Health

Serbia
- Governance
- Economic Development
- Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy (SECO)
2018-2021: CHF 97.7 Mio. (36 Mio. SECO)

Kosovo
- Democratic Governance and Human Security
- Economy and Employment
- Water and Climate Change Resilience
- Health
2017-2020: CHF 78 Mio. (18 Mio. SECO; 4 Mio. HSD)

North Macedonia
- Democratic Governance
- Employment & Economic Development
- Infrastructure & Environment
2017-2020: CHF 46.4 Mio. (26 Mio. SECO)

Albania
- Democratisation, Decentralisation and Local Governance
- Economic Development
- Urban Infrastructure and Energy
- Health
2018-2021: CHF 106 Mio. (38 Mio. SECO)

Regional
- Support to Regional Cooperation Council: 2017-2019
- Regional Housing Programme (RHP): 2012-2021

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Bosnia and Herzegovina

- Integrated Local Development Project: 2017-2021, CHF 6.05 Mio.; Beneficiaries: All 10 Cantons, entity planning institutions, civil society; End beneficiaries: 1’000’000 citizens
- Strengthening the Role of Local Communities (Mjesna Zajednice): 2013-2020, CHF 4.8 Mio.; Beneficiaries: 20 municipalities; End beneficiaries: 300’000 citizens
- Strengthening Associations of Municipalities and Cities in BiH: 2018-2021, CHF 2.06 Mio.; Beneficiaries: The 2 entity associations of Municipalities and Cities, 144 municipalities
- Support to the Judiciary - Strengthening Prosecutors in the Criminal Justice System: 2020-2023, CHF 2.8 Mio.; Beneficiaries: 20 Prosecutors’ Offices, law-enforcement officials, Training centres, NGOs

Serbia

- Municipal Development in South and South West Serbia (PROGRES): 2018-2021, CHF 7 Mio.; Beneficiaries: Local authorities, citizens
- Municipal Economic Development in Eastern Serbia: 2017-2021, CHF 6 Mio.; Beneficiaries: 40 local governments, 145 Serbian municipalities covering 2.5 Mio. inhabitants
- Global Credit for Cooperation Office: 2019-2021, 0.7 Mio.; Beneficiaries: Government, civil society, private sector, Multilateral organizations
- Coordination and society-wide dialogue on implementing the 2030 Agenda in Serbia – SDGs for All: 2019-2022, CHF 3 Mio.; Beneficiaries: Governmental institutions coordinating the implementation of the 2030 Agenda, all citizens of Serbia and groups which are at risk of being left behind
- For an Active Civil Society Together – ACT: 2019-2023, CHF 5.5 Mio.; Beneficiaries: Civil Society Organizations

Albania

- Decentralisation and Local Development Project (DLP): 2018-2020, CHF 1.5 Mio.; Beneficiaries: All municipalities, citizens
- Local Democracy Promotion Programme (Leviz Albania): 2019-2023, CHF 7 Mio.; Beneficiaries: Civil society actors, citizens
- Strong Municipalities (Bashki te Forta): 2018-2022, CHF 12.8 Mio.; Beneficiaries: Municipal administrations, municipal councils, citizens

Bosnia and Herzegovina

- Support to Juvenile Justice Reform: 2018-2021, CHF 2.5 Mio.; Beneficiaries: Professional in charge of justice and protection for children in BiH
- Strengthening of National Mine Action Capacities: 2018-2020, CHF 0.95 Mio. Beneficiaries: Mine affected communities, Demining Battalion, Civil Protection Units
- Disaster Risk Reduction for sustainable development, 2018-2022, CHF 2.5 mio. Beneficiaries: 10 local governments, 50’000 vulnerable people, rural population and with disabilities.
Kosovo

- Decentralisation and Municipal Support (DEMOS): 2018-2021, CHF 12.8 Mio.; Beneficiaries: All 38 municipalities of Kosovo, indirectly benefitting the entire population
- Support to Anti-Corruption Efforts: 2016-2020, CHF 2.86 Mio.; Beneficiaries: Anti-corruption institutions, public institutions, municipalities, citizens, (especially vulnerable and marginalised)
- Democratic Society Promotion (DSP): 2019-2023, CHF 2.6 Mio; Beneficiaries: Civil Society Organizations

North Macedonia

- Civil Society Support Facility: 2019-2022, CHF 6 Mio.; Beneficiaries: Civil society organisations
- Promoting Gender Responsive Policies and Budgets: 2018-2022, CHF 2 Mio.: Beneficiaries: Municipalities, Ministry of Finance, women and socially excluded

Regional

- Anti Corruption Research Centre: 2018-2021, CHF 1.25 Mio.; Beneficiaries: Partner agencies, domestic stakeholders
- Institutional Support to Network of Associations of Local Authorities in South East Europe (NALAS): 2018-2022, CHF 1.3 Mio.; Beneficiaries: 14 member LGAs from 12 countries, 9000 Local Governments in 12 countries
- Contribution to the Institute for Democracy and Electoral Assistance (IDEA): 2019-2022, CHF 3.5 Mio; Beneficiaries: National and subnational governments, Parliaments
Bosnia and Herzegovina
- Mental Health Project (MHP): 2018-2022, CHF 5.37 Mio.; Beneficiaries: Around 700 Mental Health professionals, health authorities and associations of service users. End beneficiaries: Persons with mental health disorders and those at risk of developing mental health problems
- Strengthening Nursing: 2017-2021, CHF 5.13 Mio.; Beneficiaries: Nurses (around 20,000), patients
- Promoting Healthy Lifestyles and Gender Equitable Attitudes among Young Men and Women: 2017-2020, CHF 0.72 Mio.; Beneficiaries: Entity and cantonal ministries responsible for youth, education and health, educational professionals/teachers in 30 secondary schools and 3 primary schools, youth aged 13-26 and parents

Kosovo
- Improving Financial Protection and Quality of Care (Support to a World Bank Hybrid Trust Fund): 2013-2020, CHF 2.24 Mio.; Beneficiaries: Ministry of Health, citizens

Albania
- Support to Health Reform for Inclusive Access and Better Quality of Services: 2013-2020, CHF 10 Mio.; Beneficiaries: Health care professionals, citizens, primary health care centres in Dibër and Fier
- Health for all: 2019-2021, CHF 6 Mio.; Beneficiaries: Albanian population, MoHSP and other health entities, academic institutions, health service operators and municipalities
Kosovo
- Rural Water and Sanitation Support Programme: 2018-2020, CHF 7.1 Mio.; Beneficiaries: Citizens in rural areas (including in minority and Serb communities), 7 regional water companies, National Institute of Public Health and Water & Wastewater Regulatory Office

North Macedonia
- Nature Conservation Programme: 2017-2021, CHF 4.32 Mio.; Beneficiaries: 15 municipalities, approx. 200'000 citizens
- Improving Resilience to Floods: 2017-2021, CHF 3.3 Mio.; Beneficiaries: Citizens of the flood-prone Polog region
- Restoration of the Strumica river and improvement of the quality of Ecosystem: 2014-2021, CHF 8.8 Mio.; Beneficiaries: 5 municipalities and citizens of Strumica river basin
SDC Programs focusing on Roma and Social Inclusion Population in the Western Balkans

Serbia
• Support to Strengthening Social Inclusion in Serbia (SIPRU): 2018-2021, CHF 4.55 Mio.; Beneficiaries: Deputy Prime Minister, Cabinet for European Integration, socially excluded citizens

Albania
• Leave No One Behind: 2017-2021, CHF 8 Mio.; Beneficiaries: Vulnerable population of Albania, primarily Roma and people with disabilities, 61 municipalities, NGOs and other local government institutions

North Macedonia
• Creating Job Opportunities for All: 2017-2022, CHF 5.45 Mio.; Beneficiaries: Unemployed population of Macedonia, with a special focus on Roma and people with disabilities

Regional
• Support to the International Roma Education Fund (REF): 2015-2020, CHF 6.4 Mio.; Beneficiaries: Children, students, adults from Western Balkan countries
SDC Migration Partnerships and Migration & Development Programs in the Western Balkans

Bosnia and Herzegovina

Bilateral MoU on Migration Partnership
1 Migration-Discussion meetings per year

Programmes:
• Diaspora for Development – Mainstreaming the Concept of M&D into Strategies, Policies and Actions: 2016-2020, CHF 4.83 Mio. (SDC-WBD)
• SEM financed programmes

Serbia

Bilateral MoU on Migration Partnership: 1 Migration-Discussion meeting per year

Programmes:
• Mainstreaming migration into development planning: 2016-2020, CHF 1.75 Mio. (SDC-GPMD)
• SEM financed programs

Kosovo - Bilateral MoU on Migration Partnership: 1 Migration-Discussion meeting per year

Programmes:
• SEM financed programmes

Regional

• Strengthen Regional Cooperation on Migration in the Western Balkans: 2020-2027, CHF 8 Mio. (SDC-GPMD)
• Regional Housing Programme: 2012-2022, CHF 6 Mio. (SEM and SDC funds)
SDC Employment and Income Programs in the Western Balkans

**Bosnia and Herzegovina**
- Youth Employment Project (YEP): 2016-2020, CHF 4.8 Mio.; Beneficiaries: Unemployed youth (aged 18-30), especially disadvantaged young people
- Youth for Change: 2019-2023, CHF 4.5 Mio.; Beneficiaries: Youth in BiH
- Strengthening Vocational Education and Training (SVET): 2019-2029, CHF 10 Mio.; Beneficiaries: Youth in BiH

**Serbia**
- Private Sector Development in South-West Serbia: 2017-2022, CHF 5.5 Mio.; Beneficiaries: Unemployed youth and women, SME’s and small farmers and producers in 100 municipalities
- Private Sector Development in South Serbia: 2017-2022, CHF 5.5 Mio.; Beneficiaries: Municipalities in South Serbia and their population
- From Education to Employability (E2E): 2020-2023, CHF 8 Mio.; Beneficiaries: Ministries, private sector, unemployed youth
- Policy VET : 2018-2021, CHF 0.95 Mio.; Beneficiaries: Schools and companies in VET system and pupils

**Kosovo**
- Enhancing Youth Employment (EYE): 2017-2020, CHF 7.57 Mio.; Beneficiaries: Young job-seekers aged 15-34, with a special focus on women and minority groups
- Promoting Private Sector Employment (PPSE): 2017-2021, CHF 7.32 Mio.; Beneficiaries: SME’s, young citizens

**North Macedonia**
- Increasing Market Employability: 2019-2023, CHF 5.8 Mio.; Beneficiaries: Young job-seekers, SME’s
- Regional Economic Development: 2015-2021, CHF 4.26 Mio.; Beneficiaries: National and regional councils, municipalities, citizens

**Albania**
- Making Labour Market work for Young People in Albania: RiSi (Innovation) Albania: 2017-2021, CHF 8.15 Mio.; Beneficiaries: SMEs, Young people aged 15-29
- Skills for Jobs Albania (S4J): 2019-2023, CHF 9.6 Mio.; Beneficiaries: Multifunctional education centres, unemployed youth, private sector
SDC Programs in Eastern Europe (EU-13): Swiss Enlargement Contribution

Legend
Swiss Contribution to EU Enlargement Countries
Active Programmes since July 2017 in ROU, BUL, HR

- **Romania**
  - CHF 91.17 Mio.

- **Bulgaria**
  - CHF 41.35 Mio.

- **Croatia**
**Bulgaria**
Implementation of a Dual Vocational Education and Training (VET) System in Bulgaria. Linking vocational education tightly to the demand of the business.

**Beneficiaries:** Apprentices, young employees, employers, secondary VET schools and experts.

**2014-2019:** CHF 3.00 Mio. (SDC)

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**Romania**
Job Orientation Training in Businesses and Schools (JOBS): Improved competences of students for the decision-making processes in their transition from school to professional career.

**Beneficiaries:** Students of the last compulsory year. Teachers, businesses and vocational training schools.

**2012-2019:** CHF 2.12 Mio. (SDC)

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**Croatia**
Modernisation of Vocational Education and Training Programmes (VET)

**Beneficiaries:** Ministry of Science and Education, VET students, teachers of VET schools for crafts

**2017-2020:** 2.00 Mio. (SDC)

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**Bulgaria**
Linking biodiversity conservation and rural development by sustainable income generation and reinforced public participation in high-nature-value territories and products.

**Beneficiaries:** Private Business, farmers and food processors; Local Authorities, NGOs, State Institutions.

**2012-2017:** CHF 4.20 Mio. (SDC)

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**Bulgaria**
Improving social dialogue and working conditions for workers by encouraging and supporting partnerships between social partners as well as strengthening the framework for socially responsible behaviour of business organizations.

**Beneficiaries:** Government and social partners, employers and trade unions.

**2012-2017:** CHF 430'000 (SDC)
SDC Social Security (Health) Programs in Eastern Europe (EU Enlargement),

Bulgaria
Home nursing is provided in 4 districts of Vratsa increasing access to integrated social and medical care for elderly persons. Based on the project experiences, the home nursing system has been established at the national level.

Beneficiaries: Bulgarians, including members of the Roma community, aged over 65 with chronic illnesses or disabilities and living in the region of Vratsa.


Romania
Thematic Fund linked to Health Reforms.
4 programs in Integrated Community Health and Social Services, Pediatric Intensive Care, Pre-Hospital and Hospital Emergency Services and Emergency Services and Air Rescue.

Beneficiaries: entire population.
2011-2019: CHF 8.50 Mio. (SDC)
SDC Programs focusing on Social Security (Roma Population) in Eastern Europe (EU Enlargement)

**Romania**
Reform Fund linked to the Inclusion of Roma and other vulnerable groups.

**Beneficiaries:** Improve the living conditions of Roma and other vulnerable minorities particularly in health and education and contribute to the economic empowerment of the same group.

**2012-2019:** CHF 14.00 Mio. (SDC)

**Bulgaria**
Integrated approach for inclusion of Roma and other vulnerable Groups in 6 municipalities.

**Beneficiaries:** Roma and other vulnerable groups benefit from better access to education and healthcare services. Their living conditions and their rights are improved. Acceptance of these vulnerable groups is strengthened.

**2015-2019:** CHF 6.8 Mio. (SDC)