

# **TRAINING MODULE 2**

## **Climate change and policy**

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# Environment and Climate Forum – 4 main tasks

- Task 1.1.1 NGOs selection and engagement
  - 21 core ECF NGOs/wider engagement/Information hubs and dissemination
- Task 1.1.2 Design and implementation of NGO capacity building programme
  - Active involvement of NGOs into ECRAN trainings and workshops
  - Survey-Training Plan-Modules outline-Evaluation
- Task 1.1.3 Preparatory meetings and wider consultations
  - 1<sup>st</sup> round accomplishes in 2014, 2<sup>nd</sup> round in progress
- Task 1.1.4 Organisation of annual meetings
  - 1<sup>st</sup> in Nov 2014, 2<sup>nd</sup> AM Under preparation



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Albania	Co-PLAN Institute for Habitat Development
	EDEN Center
	Eco Movement Group Albania
BiH	Center for Environment
	Center for ecology and energy
	LIR Evolution
Croatia	Friends of the Earth Croatia
Kosovo*	ATRC
	Instituti i Kosoves per Politika Zhvillimore
Montenegro	NGO Green Home
	NGO Center for Protection and Research of Birds of Montenegro
	Association of Young Ecologists of Niksic
FYROM	MACEDONIAN GREEN CENTER
	Milieukontakt Macedonia
	Center for environmental research and information Eco-sense
	Center for Climate Change - Skopje
Serbia	CEKOR
	Environmental Ambassadors for Sustainable Development
	Young Researchers of Serbia
Turkey	KADOS Kadikoyu Friends of Science Culture and Art Association
	TEMA



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# Key objectives of the meeting

- (i) To explain and provide holistic picture on the EU climate change policies and practice, discuss role and responsibilities of the key actors;
- (iii) To improve the knowledge, know-how and skill of the civil society representatives in technical aspects of climate change negotiations, key policies and steps;
- (iv) To support better implementation of legislation, better information sharing and public involvement through professional non-state actors participation in process.



# DAY 1



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Start	Finish	Topic	Speaker	Sub topic/Content
<b>08:30</b>	<b>09:00</b>	<b>Registration</b>		
09.00	09.15	Introduction	Richard FILCAK, ECRAN Croatian MoE representative (TBC)	Rationale, goals and objectives of the meeting
09.15	10.00	Climate science – current state of knowledge	Alexandra Kardas, Poland	Summary of the main findings of IPCC AR5 on climate scenarios their implications for mitigation and the likely climate impacts for the SEE region
10.00	10.45	International framework of negotiations on climate change I.	Jozsef Feiler/ECRAN	Historic overview of international climate negotiation process from Rio till Warsaw  Negotiating groups in the process  Main issues and their background in the negotiations
10.45	11.00	<b>Coffee Break</b>		
11.00	11.45	International framework of negotiations on climate change II.	Anja Kollmuss, CAN Europe	Detailed account of the current negotiating process from Warsaw to Paris and beyond  Analysis of the current situation and the main elements of the negotiating text  INDC process



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14.00	14.45	New Climate Economy report	Tomasz TERLECKI, European Climate Foundation	
14.45	15.15	What does ECRAN do on climate policy?	József FEILER	
15.15	15.30	<b><i>Coffee Break/Screening of short documentary Climate Change in Albania</i></b>		
15.30	17.00	Challenges regarding climate change for beneficiaries	Group work in 3 breakout groups	Questions to be discussed:  - main challenges, opportunities for the ECRAN beneficiaries on climate policy  - capacity needs for the NGOs regarding climate policy
17:00	17:10	Wrap up of the day	Jozsef Feiler	





# DAY 2



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Start	Finish	Topic	Speaker	Sub topic/Content
<b>08:30</b>	<b>09:00</b>	<b>Registration</b>		
9.00	10.00	Main elements of the EU climate policy and legislation 1.	Anja Kollmuss, CAN Europe	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• overview 2020 climate and energy package</li> <li>• overview 2030 council conclusion</li> <li>• ETS</li> <li>• ESD</li> </ul>
10.00	10.30	Main elements of the EU climate policy and legislation 2.	Imre CSIKÓS, ECRAN	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Renewables</li> <li>• Energy efficiency Directive</li> <li>• EU Transport policies (with climate relevance)</li> </ul>
10.30	10.45	<b>Coffee Break</b>		
10.45	11.15	Campaigning on climate policy in the EU – case 1. Croatia	Toni Vidan/FoE Croatia	NGO campaigning and experience sharing
11.15	11.45	Campaigning on climate policy leaving fossil fuels underground in developing countries– case 2. Ecuador	Lavinia Warnars, Netherlands	
11.45	12.30	Campaigning on climate policy in the EU – case 3.	Pippa Gallop, CEE Bankwatch Network	New Members Dates experience
13.00	14.00	<b>Lunch Break</b>		
14.00	15.30	Agenda building on climate change	Facilitated group work	Identifying priorities for NGOs in beneficiary countries -- how to effectively develop policy work and build campaigns.
15.30	15.45	<b>Coffee Break</b>		



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