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# Foreword by the ALF President

In my capacity as President of the Anna Lindh Foundation, I present with pride the Review of the first 15 years of activity of the Foundation. As the first institution of the EuroMediterranean Partnership, it has responded since its creation in 2005 to the ambitious mandate given by the Ministers of Foreign Affairs of the region to promote closer human, cultural and social relationships between the people of the region.

First and foremost, I would like to extend a warm and sincere thank you to the Member States of the EuroMed region and the European Commission that have trusted and entrusted the Anna Lindh Foundation, ensuring throughout its institutional life the needed political and financial support. I would like to recognize the value of the collaborations established with the UFM, UNESCO, League of Arab States, CMI and World Bank, the UNAOc, OCDE, OSCE, British Council, Club de Madrid, Unimed, Copeam—to name only a few of the partners who made it possible for the ALF to ensure long-term impact, reach and quality of its action.

The ALF 15-Year Review testifies this achievement, but the best testimony comes from the stories of all the beneficiaries of the Foundation's actions, many of whom, nearly a million, I have had the pleasure to meet personally throughout my mandate. I have also had the opportunity to meet with people from different cultural backgrounds in an effort to develop their skills and knowledge in relation to diversity management and intercultural communication; to conceive and implement collaboration projects within their society and across the region; to receive awards for the recognition of their efforts and commitment to dialogue work; and to support the strengthening of civil society in the different countries of the Partnership.

The Anna Lindh Foundation has developed a rich programme of activity to add value to the rich, cultural diversity of the populations of the region, taking into consideration their needs and the potential offered by the civil society Network of organisations active in the forty-two EuroMed countries.

Over the past 15 years, the Foundation has created the largest civil society Network in the region as foreseen in its statutes. Establishing a mechanism for structured dialogue at the national and regional level for representatives of civil society organisations from Europe, the Eastern Mediterranean and North Africa to regularly come together in person and virtually to coordinate their action, exchange information and learn from each other, replicating their practices at the regional level. Furthermore, every three years the ALF has successfully organized MEDForum, the largest EuroMed civil society gathering in the region.

Since its creation and since 2011, first with Young Arab Voices and then Young Mediterranean Voices, the ALF has identified young people as the main target group for its action and has worked on the empowerment of young women and men to become active members of their society, engaged for the promotion of dialogue, social cohesion and cooperation. These efforts have supported the setting up of capacity-building schemes, advocacy platforms, and exchange opportunities.

Another result to highlight is the strengthening of EuroMed cooperation via the implementation of international projects. Since its establishment, the ALF has launched its Calls for Proposal grant schemes, resulting in the financial and technical support of hundreds of initiatives implemented via national or international consortia of organisations. Through these sustained collaborations, civil society organisations and beneficiaries have practiced dialogue, increased their mutual knowledge, exchanged practices and conveyed their learning to broader audiences.

As per the most recent results of the Intercultural Trends Survey 2020, the majority of people North and South, East and West of the Mediterranean basin believe in the efficacy of dialogue measures and cooperation for the solution of many of the pressing challenges of their societies. These measures appear even more relevant since the outburst of the global Covid-19 pandemic, where physical barriers have been raised to contain the virus, but where international cooperation and solidarity are proving the best antidote.

**Mrs Elisabeth Guigou**  
President of the Anna Lindh Foundation

# Foreword by the ALF Executive Director

Speaking of intercultural dialogue across the EuroMediterranean region in 2020 is in some ways completely different from dealing with this topic fifteen years ago when the Anna Lindh Foundation was created, and at the same time so much the same in relation to the fundamental needs that the Foundation has to address.

As the Executive Director of the Anna Lindh Foundation, I feel invested with an important responsibility of ensuring the appropriate transition of the organisation to the new phase of its programming cycle, which corresponds to a new phase in the way we not only cooperate internationally but, for all of us at the personal and collective level, ways we live.

In 2020, the Coronavirus pandemic has exposed human beings to their vulnerability, in a very harsh way, but has also helped human beings to feel how we are all connected and interdependent, which is in the DNA of the Anna Lindh Foundation's mission. Our scope at the Foundation in the past fifteen years has been to make people understand, feel and live how we are similar in many aspects, how to accept our differences and how these differences can help us live in a better and more sustainable society.

At the beginning of the pandemic, emergency measures were taken in all sectors of society and the Anna Lindh Foundation took some immediate measures; however, nine months after its outburst, it is clear that we need to adapt our way of thinking and working to a situation that will last longer and whose effects might be long term.

The pandemic has made more visible the challenges related to diversity and mutual perceptions through an increase in racism, prejudice and negative stereotypes. Particular concerns refer to discrimination, hate speech, racial profiling and fake news, especially on social media.

Border closures to contain infections and social distancing have constrained the possibility for direct engagement, interaction and dialogue between people and lack of mobility opportunities is particularly frustrating for young people.

The sudden shift from face-to-face to remote learning and virtual interactions have shed light on the digital divides that exist, the difficulties to adjust to new formats and reach all target groups.

Civil society has faced difficulties to access funding, to plan within an unpredictable timeframe, and with acquiring the skills to turn planned work programmes into virtual ones.

However, the pandemic has also created some conditions that can favour dialogue work, as people had to step out of their comfort zone; there is a new space and need to rethink the way of promoting intercultural dialogue, intercultural learning and intercultural relations more broadly. We can count on the raising of solidarity initiatives and the media attention dedicated to these initiatives whose leaders are often young people, women and migrants—an important point to build the ALF message for dialogue and solidarity at the local and regional level.

The interconnection of EuroMed societies is a historic fact and a vision for the future. We are calling for institutions, national and local governments, civil society organisations and citizens of this space to believe and invest in multilateralism and cooperation. The ALF 15-Year Review will show all its achievements during the past fifteen years in this direction. Together with the Anna Lindh Foundation Virtual Marathon for Dialogue in the EuroMed region, launched in 2020 on the 25th Anniversary of the Barcelona Process, we consider advocating for more intercultural dialogue to be an essential tool for the cultural, social, human and environmental development of the EuroMed societies.

**Dr Nabil Al Sharif**  
Executive Director of the Anna Lindh Foundation





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# Overview

# MILESTONES

**1995** The Barcelona Declaration establishes the EuroMediterranean Partnership.

**2003** High-Level Group on Intercultural Dialogue recommends the creation of a EuroMediterranean Foundation.

**2004** EuroMed Ministers of Foreign Affairs agree on creating the Anna Lindh Foundation.

**2005** Creation of the ALF National Networks. International Headquarters inaugurated in Alexandria, with the first Heads of National Networks Meeting.

**2006** First ALF Call for Proposals. Launching of the EuroMed Dialogue and Journalist Awards, and Regional Education Programme.

**2007** Training for Trainers programme is rolled out across the ALF Networks, in more than 30 countries.

**2008** First Regional Campaign, '1001 Actions for Dialogue', launched for the EuroMed Year of Intercultural Dialogue.

**2009** Regional Initiative, 'Restore Trust, Rebuild Bridges', in response to the Gaza war and the impact of the economic crisis on intercultural relations.

**2010** First Anna Lindh Mediterranean Forum takes place in Barcelona, and first Anna Lindh Report on Intercultural Trends launched with Gallup.

**2011** Tunis Exchange Forum and 'Young Arab Voices' debate programme launched in response to the historic social uprisings in Arab countries.

**2012** 'Dawrak: Citizens for Dialogue' programme launched in nine Arab Mediterranean countries, with a focus on exchange and capacity-building.

**2013** Second Anna Lindh Forum takes place in Marseille with more than 1,300 civil society members and institutions from 43 countries.

**2014** The 10th Anniversary celebration event takes place in Naples. Second Anna Lindh Report on Intercultural Trends published.

ALF launches new operational phase and three-year programme from 2015.

**2015** Intercultural Dialogue in the Field programme to financially support the ALF Networks.

Young Mediterranean Voices programme launched as expansion of Young Arab Voices.

**2016** Third Anna Lindh MED Forum in Malta with the participation of 680 civil society leaders, media and institutional representatives.

**2017** 10th anniversary of the Anna Lindh Journalist Award.

Official launch of the Anna Lindh Handbook on Intercultural Citizenship Education in the EuroMed and first regional related Training for Trainers.

**2018** Establishment of consortium for piloting the Erasmus+ Virtual Exchange (EVE) programme.

**2019** Delivery of the first online course on 'EuroMed Intercultural Trends' and of the YMV Med Championship.

**2020** Launch of the Call for Proposals for Intercultural Dialogue Initiatives and Intercultural Research Projects.

Survey on the impact of Covid-19 on EuroMed Civil Society Organisations.

ALF contribution to the 25th Anniversary of the Barcelona Process: launch of the ALF Virtual Marathon for Dialogue in the EuroMed; Intercultural Trends Survey 2020 and Policy Forum on Youth and Civil Society in the EuroMed.



# KEY FIGURES

## 191,587 civil society leaders

and practitioners involved in activities organised by the ALF and its Networks

## More than 448,500

people attending cultural events and public debates by the ALF and its Networks

## 45,894 young people

participated in Young Arab and Mediterranean Voices programmes

## More than 2,700

debates, trainings and policy forums held with young people and involvement of high-level personalities

## 52,000 people

from 52 countries surveyed for four-edition Anna Lindh Report on Intercultural Trends in the EuroMed, with 400 experts and opinion leaders providing analyses

## 1,485 learners

for three editions of the Online course on Intercultural Trends in the EuroMed region, and 21 short explanatory videos with over 120 readings

## 26.7 million Euros

spent on grassroots activities through different funding schemes, including CFP, NIA, CNA, NCS

## 4,177 members

involved in 42 Anna Lindh National Civil Society Networks

## 285 common actions

and Network activities and over 564 Network meetings and capacity-building trainings developed by the ALF Network

## 18 meetings

of the Heads of National Networks

## 838 international partnerships

established through Network support

## 324 EuroMed projects

established through Network support

## 226,000 people

directly benefited from granted activities

## 3,000 references

in the international press and 220 features in TV and radio with exposure to potential audience of 10.5 million people

## Over 500 institutional events

and conferences attended by the ALF representatives

## Around 4,500 participants

from all over Europe and the Mediterranean participated in online activities since 2018

## 1,139,877 users

1,466,852 user sessions accessing 3,668,392 pages to the ALF website since 2015

## 37,000+ followers

on the ALF Facebook page; 35,000+ page likes; 510 posts published since 2015 with 494,531 total reach and 43,394 total engagement

## 10,500 followers

on the ALF Twitter page; tweets 3,805; 1,877,742 impressions since 2015

## 428 total subscribers

to ALF YouTube channel; 82,268 total views and 133.4K impressions; 2,644 LinkedIn followers





# The Anna Lindh Foundation Network

## The largest EuroMed civil society Network for the promotion of intercultural dialogue

From its very beginning, the ALF was conceived as a Network of Networks, established in each of the countries of the Union for the Mediterranean, bringing together over 4,000 civil society organisations who share the values of the Foundation. Since its establishment, the Foundation invested in the development of these Networks, organising local and regional trainings, reinforcing the capacity of members for EuroMediterranean partnership-building and project development.

At the same time, the launching of region-wide campaigns involving all the National Networks—such as ‘1001 Actions for Dialogue’, the ‘Restore Trust, Rebuild Bridges’, and ‘Dawrak: Citizens for Dialogue’ programme—demonstrated the ALF’s unique capacity to mobilise civil society in collective actions for dialogue and in response to political and economic crises with cultural dimensions; in 2020, on the occasion of the 25th Anniversary of the Barcelona Process, the ALF launched the Anna Lindh Foundation Virtual Marathon for Dialogue in the EuroMed region for advocacy, showcasing and defining operational priorities for the promotion of intercultural dialogue within a renewed context characterized by the global pandemic of Covid-19.



The Network of Networks is diverse in terms of its members, including NGOs (64%), public institutions (7%), public/private foundations (11%), local and regional authorities (2%), individuals (5%), private companies (7%) and others. The ALF ensures regular coordination of its Networks and contributes to the progressive consolidation of a



coordinated platform of member organisations which actively promote intercultural dialogue in the EuroMed region, by providing since 2008 the necessary financial support to the Heads of Network institutions for the day-to-day coordination of the members through the organisation of meetings and trainings. Further support to the ALF Heads of Network and members has been ensured with the following funding schemes: the Network Coordination Support (NCS); the Network Intercultural Action (NIA); and the Cross-Network Activities (CAN).

The ALF ensures a coordination meeting of the Heads or Coordinators of the National Networks at least once per year, in particular to be consulted about the annual work programme and the strategic policy orientations. Annual Meetings of the Heads of Network are hosted in different cities of the region with coordination and support provided by the Head of Network institution of the host country; since 2005, meetings have been held in Alexandria, Barcelona, Berlin, Brussels, Cairo, Gothenburg, Krakow, Naples, Nice, Nicosia, Tallinn, Tampere, Thessaloniki, Valletta, and Vilnius. In 2020, because of the Covid-19 pandemic, the meeting has been organised virtually.



# Network Surveys—Listening to the views of the Anna Lindh Foundation Network

The ALF has regularly consulted with the Heads and members of its Networks for the identification of needs, priority areas of work, potential for collaborations, feedback on resources developed and work methodologies. Among the civil society consultations addressed to the entire ALF Network, please see the below overview.

**2020** A survey on the impact of Covid-19 on EuroMed Civil Society Organisations (CSOs). Results were published on the ALF website in July 2020 (<https://www.annalindhfoundation.org/news/results-alf-survey-impact-covid-19-EuroMediterranean-civil-society-organisations-cso>)

**2014** In July 2014, on the occasion of the ALF 10th Anniversary, the ALF launched a survey to gather the opinions and suggestions of the Network members regarding their involvement in the Network life, the support received, and to receive from the ALF work methodologies for the future and their commitment to intercultural action at the local, national and regional level.

**2010** An online survey to get an overview of the status and concerns of the Network members as well as their feedback about the upcoming ALF programming phase 2011–2014. The survey provided insights on the services provided to members, the coordination with the Heads of Network institutions and how to increase Network participation in the ALF programmes.

**2008** An online survey in preparation of the Heads of Network meeting in Göteborg, Sweden (November 2009) and the Anna Lindh Forum in Barcelona, Spain (March 2010) on the status, concerns and needs of the Network members and ways to increase their participation in the ALF programmes. The survey helped the Headquarters to improve the services which it provides to the members and the coordination of the Heads of Network institutions.

**2007** A survey aiming to prepare the debate for the 6th Heads of Network Meeting, which took place from the 26th to 28th of November in Cairo on the composition, development and level of cohesion of the Network three years after the creation of the Foundation. Information gathered allowed for a better definition of the guidelines for the launch of the ALF funding 'Network Support' in 2008 tailored to the needs of the Heads and the launch of the ALF Call for Proposals.







# **The ALF in Action**

# Arts for Dialogue

In the arts sector, the ALF works with cultural operators from across the Mediterranean to promote joint South / North productions, empower local communities and support the circulation of ideas and art works through translation.

Arts for Dialogue has been a theme running through the ALF's capacity-building work with cultural leaders since 2005. These have included: the 'Cross-Border Arts Project', launched following the 2006 Lebanon War to bring together EuroMed artists using cultural creation as a means of reconciliation; the 2014 Dawrak training in Amman with 44 cultural leaders and youth workers from 10 Arab countries; the 2015 Call for Proposals dedicated to implementing intercultural artistic co-productions. The most recent has been the last Call for Proposals launched in 2020 aiming at empowering cultural practitioners and civil society organisations through the use of arts and culture as a tool for intercultural dialogue, and the ALF research work on intercultural trends.

The ALF has also been supporting the efforts of translators throughout the Mediterranean by producing its pioneering report in 2012 entitled 'A Mapping of Translation in the EuroMed Region', carried out in partnership with Transeuropéennes (France), involving a large number of partner organisations, researchers and translators. This has paved the ground for the 'Translation for Dialogue' programme that aimed at creating synergies and building a permanent EuroMed platform between different professionals in translation, and cultural and civil society actors for the promotion of translated works from/to European and Southern and Eastern Mediterranean languages. Consultation and advocacy events were held in Cairo, Ljubljana, Sofia and Tunis, with the launch of a widely endorsed manifesto for translation in the Mediterranean.

In 2020, in line with the Summit of the Two Shores final declaration, the ALF ensures its support to the selected regional cultural projects and initiatives, including Youth Cultural Mobility, LIVRE, Antic Theatres and Mediterranea Digital Platform.

The flagship cultural event for Alexandria, the host city of the ALF's headquarters, has been the 'Farah el Bahr' Festival. The event, which has had four editions since its inception in 2005, combined grassroots artistic initiatives and educational outreach activities with cultural contributions from Europe and the Mediterranean on the theme of cultural diversity. Alexandria has also played host to an innovative programme of 'Music Debate Workshops', organised as part of Dawrak and Young Arab Voices, where young people had the opportunity to voice their concerns through use of hip-hop music and debating skills.

The ALF organised a series of high-profile cultural events, among them: 'EuroMed Dialogue Night' (2008), held simultaneously across 38 countries and involving over 30,000 people in public events and debates on cross-cultural issues; 'Euro-Arab Concert



for Dialogue' (2009), broadcast from the Cairo Opera House; 'Hip-Hop Connection' (2010) with music groups from Germany, France, Turkey and Egypt; and 'Arts, Instruments and Expressions for Social Transformation' (2014) in Taroudant, Morocco, with several Anna Lindh National Networks. The ALF also contributed to the Biennale of Young Artists from Europe and the Mediterranean held in Italy, which brought together more than 700 artists, and partnered in a series of editions of the 'Babel Med Music' Festival.

In support of literature production by and for young people, since 2008 the ALF has partnered with IEMed, the Head of the Spanish ALF Network and with the engagement of other ALF Networks. In 2020, 138 stories were received by young people from 30 EuroMed countries on the topic of climate change in the Mediterranean and the 2030 agenda for sustainable development; 10 were selected for publication. In 2006, with the financial support of the Swedish International Cooperation Development Agency, the ALF launched the 'Children's Literature and Reading Regional Programme' that enabled more than 30,000 children to participate in storytelling activities, book discussions, cultural activities and local exhibitions across five focus countries: Egypt, Jordan, Syria, Palestine and Lebanon.

### **92 granted projects and 50 collaborations**

in the field of cultural creativity and exchange

### **166 intercultural artistic co-production activities**

with 10,932 direct and 478,416 indirect beneficiaries (2015–2017)

### **More than 60,000 people**

involved in the main ALF cultural events, bringing in many thousands of artists from around the EuroMed region

### **1,467 short stories**

received and 132 awarded in six editions of the 'Sea of Words' contest

Main partners: Transeuropéennes, Literature Across Frontiers, Babelmed, Heinrich Boell Foundation, Cittadellarte-Fondazione Pistoletto, IEMed, the Egyptian Ministry of Culture and Tourism, Centre International de Coopération Sud Nord (CICSN), Royal Institute for Inter-Faith Studies (RIIFS), French government

### **69 studies of translations**

in/from EuroMed languages presented and 4 consultation

### **4 co-edited texts**

published in/from Arabic and European languages in the field of social sciences



# Education

## Training and Resources for Intercultural Citizenship

The Anna Lindh Foundation develops programmes and resources for educators and youth leaders, with a focus on promoting dialogue skills and intercultural citizenship learning.

Since its launch, the ALF has pioneered and partnered in the development of new education programmes and resources. As part of its Intercultural Learning and Cities Programme, the ALF published its flagship publication, ‘The Anna Lindh Handbook on Intercultural Citizenship’, resulting from a five-year work process involving 300 educators and experts from the South and North Mediterranean. The EuroMed Handbook has led to the development of a digital complementary resource for Arab countries, and is the basis for the regional Training for Trainers (TOT) held for educators on intercultural citizenship education.

Two regional TOTs were held in Cyprus (2019) and Malta (2017), involving 58 educators in the formal and non-formal education sectors selected via the ALF National Networks, for the creation of a pool of multipliers in the use of the ALF learning resources and committed to the organisation of educational activities within their communities. Educators were supported through a mentorship scheme for the planning and implementation of their educational activities, which led to the outreach of over 1,000



beneficiaries. Through its investment in intercultural education, the ALF has also built a region-wide Network of teachers and educators in the non-formal education sector to enable a professional exchange on educational approaches for diversity management. Since the outburst of the Covid-19 pandemic, three virtual exchanges on intercultural citizenship education were organised in 2020, involving educators from the North and the Southern shores of the Mediterranean.



Since 2011, the ALF has held its annual ‘Alexandria Education Convention’, in partnership with the Swedish Institute, as an opportunity to bring together members of this community to share good practices and develop contents for new learning materials. The ALF led a series of regional training courses in its first phase on ‘cultural diversity, human rights, peace and coexistence’ taking place in several EuroMed countries. As part of the course, eight educational modules were developed in partnership with the Pestalozzi programme. The Foundation launched the manual ‘How to Cope with Diversity at Schools’ in collaboration with the Council of Europe, and the ‘Guidebook for History Textbooks Authors’ in collaboration with the League of Arab States, UNESCO, ISESCO and the Swedish Institute.

The Anna Lindh Intercultural Grants Programme resulted in a series of transnational programmes; the 2015–2017 grant scheme focused specifically on giving support to EuroMed collaborations for intercultural citizenship education projects. Financial support was provided to 17 organisations from 14 countries as lead applicants, and 60 organisations from 23 countries as partners. Pedagogical products are published through the ALF Online Intercultural Resource Centre.

## 62 granted projects

in the field of education and intercultural learning

Main partners: North-South Centre, Council of Europe, UNESCO, the League of Arab States, ISESCO, ALECSO, Swedish Institute and UN Alliance of Civilizations

## 22 regional trainings

and conventions with the involvement of more than 905 teachers and professional educators

Developed resources: Online Course on Intercultural Trends in the EuroMed; Handbook on Intercultural Citizenship Education in the EuroMed Region; Manual on Culture and Conflict Resolution; Conflict Resolution and Cultural Cooperation—Good Practices for Trainers; Manual on How to Cope with Diversity in the Classroom; Guidebook for History Textbooks Authors; Manual on Intercultural Citizenship Education in the Arab Countries

## 300 education professionals

involved in the elaboration of the education handbooks and conventions

Production of one short documentary and one trailer on Intercultural Citizenship Education entitled ‘Intercultural Citizenship Education—Journey through a regional training for trainers’

## 77 granted projects

involving 77 organisations collaborating to implement over 304 local and regional activities, with over 4,112 direct beneficiaries and 160,704 indirect beneficiaries between 2015 and 2017

## Media

# Cross-Cultural Reporting Shaping Mutual Perceptions

Engaging journalists, civil society and academia from the Mediterranean in a permanent dialogue on issues of cross-cultural reporting is at the heart of the Anna Lindh Foundation's approach to the media field.

Providing regional platforms for advocacy on media matters is a pillar of the ALF's work. The potential of a media and dialogue platform has been associated with the ALF Report on Intercultural Trends that, gathering the opinions of 52,000 people since 2010, has provided evidenced-based data and analysis on the most trusted media outlets and the role of media in shaping public perceptions and attitudes. Each study provides quantitative and qualitative analyses on the topic, and the 2010 edition developed a thematic focus on the 'impact of the media on mutual perceptions' with a 13-country study. In 2012, a first workshop on cross-cultural reporting in Palermo brought together journalists, academics and civil society representatives, followed by a regional conference in Barcelona in 2013. In 2016, the Intercultural Trends and Media Platform created a permanent space for debate, resource sharing and regular meeting on cross-cultural reporting. In 2019, in collaboration with UNIMED and the University of Jordan, the ALF organised the first regional gathering of the Platform; since then, three virtual exchanges and the pioneering Intercultural Morning Coffee have been held to discuss how Covid-19 has affected cross-cultural reporting and ways in which to move forward.

Through the Mediterranean Journalist Award, the leading regional prize for cross-cultural reporting established in partnership with the International Federation of Journalists in 2006, the ALF has consolidated a regional alumni network of more than 1,000 journalists reporting on cross-cultural issues. In addition, with the Arab Journalist Routes regional programme launched in 2013, the ALF offered opportunities for EuroMed institutions to host Arab journalist nominees and winners of the Mediterranean Journalist Award.

Moreover, advocacy on media was implemented through the largest preparatory meeting for the 2013 Anna Lindh Mediterranean Forum that brought together more than 100 leading journalists to debate 'media facing tensions and transition in the Mediterranean'. Following the historic events of the Arab social uprisings, the ALF co-organised a global media forum at the headquarters of the League of Arab States (LAS) with the presence of the LAS Secretary-General and leading international journalists. The same year saw the organisation of the first Summit of Television Owners and Media Managers organised at the Dead Sea in Jordan with the European Broadcasting Union (EBU).

Together with the EuroMed Media Network, this approach was achieved through a programme of earlier co-organised national debates involving media, academic experts and civil society representatives from 42 countries: rapid response to intercultural crises (Athens 2008); conflict reporting (London 2009); media networking (Istanbul 2009); peace-building (Stockholm 2009); press freedom (Marrakech 2010); reporting on migration (Barcelona 2010); conflict resolution (Dublin 2010); the role of media in democratic transition (Tunis 2011); the Arab Spring and Europe's perception of Islam (Palermo 2012); media facing tensions and transitions (Barcelona 2013); and reporting on extremism with Thomson Reuters Foundation (London 2014).

Through established strategic partners, the ALF launched capacity-building training programmes on ethical reporting with Search for Common Ground and the International Centre of Journalists, and supported the first 'Young Journalist Academy' focusing on skills development for a new generation of cross-cultural reporters. It has also worked to find synergies with other media actors operating in the region, partnering in projects with CFI, BBC Media Action, COPEAM, UN Alliance for Civilizations, Arab States Broadcasting Union, Media Tenor International, Chatham House, Babel Med, the EU 'MED MEDIA' programme, and the Jordan Media Institute.

Dedication to youth was emphasised with the development of the Communications Lab, a training for young people active in the field of media and communications (2019, 2020). Previously, the ALF pioneered a network of young bloggers from the Middle East, North Africa and Europe, producing the 'Bloggers Toolkit for Dialogue and Social Participation'; social media activists have engaged in peer-to-peer, capacity-building initiatives with senior journalists and international debate platforms focused on ethical reporting. Also launched were development of training modules on 'debate in the digital sphere', in association with the YAV programme.

### **More than 1,000 journalists**

and experts involved in international media conferences organised with the EuroMed Media Network related to reporting on conflict, migration, democratic transition, press freedom

### **More than 100 journalists**

and academic experts from Europe, the Middle East and North Africa involved in the London Media Forum following the war in Gaza

Main partners: EuroMed Media Network, COPEAM Audiovisual Network, UN Alliance of Civilizations, League of Arab States, European Broadcasting Union, Arab States Broadcasting Union, Media Tenor International, Chatham House, Babel Med, BBC Media Trust, Thomson Reuters Foundation, CFI, Jordan Media Institute

### **Over 300 cross-cultural experts**

involved in the website resource 'euromedmedia.org' launched by the ALF, EU and UN Alliance of Civilizations

### **Ten editions**

of the Anna Lindh Journalist Award between 2006 and 2017

### **More than 70 participants**

in the Intercultural Trends and Media Platform since September 2019.

# Research

## Intercultural Trends for Evidence-Based Action and Advocacy

The Anna Lindh Report on Intercultural Trends and Social Change finds its origins in the 'High Level Group on Intercultural Dialogue' established in 2003 by Romano Prodi, then president of the European Commission. It is a pioneering tool for knowledge and action on cross-cultural relations in the Mediterranean region. Published every three years, the Report combines a Public Opinion Poll of the voices of thousands of people across Europe and the Southern and Eastern Mediterranean region, with a wide range of analysis by a Network of intercultural experts.

The themes explored in the Anna Lindh Report are at the heart of international public debate and include Social Change in the Mediterranean region—Differences and Similarities in Value Systems; the Religious Factor in Intercultural Relations; Human Mobility; the Role of Culture in Mediterranean Relations; and Intercultural Citizenship. Further themes explored are living in diversity; migration; radicalisation/extremism; women, youth and entrepreneurship; city development; and EuroMed cooperation. In this way, the Report is an instrument in the hands of opinion leaders and civil society actors working to advocate for positive change to the Mediterranean dialogue agenda.

The third edition of the Report was launched in 2018 at the Italian Senate on the 15th anniversary of the Prodi High Level Report. The second edition was published in 2014, with a particular emphasis on the impact of the historic events of the Arab social uprisings on trends. The first edition was launched in 2010 in Brussels by the EU Commissioner for European Neighbourhood Policy. In 2020, the ALF finalised the fourth wave of the Intercultural Trends Survey in preparation for the fourth edition of the Report, publication foreseen in 2021. In addition to qualitative analyses, this will include civil society good practices in collaboration with the ALF Heads of Network.

The four editions of the Report are based on a combination of polling carried out by Gallup (then Ipsos-MORI) with more than 52,000 citizens in 33 different EuroMed countries, and qualitative analysis by 121 experts aimed at providing a contextual interpretation of the opinion poll results. The countries have been chosen in a rotation system, which permits a gradual survey of the entire region. Some countries were polled twice, allowing comparison of data between the different poll waves and analysis of the aggregated data.

Since its launch, the Anna Lindh Report has also served as a tool for policy debate. A proactive outreach policy with opinion leaders was initiated to provide new Trends research to media practitioners, policy-makers, academic institutions, civil society and youth Networks. In collaboration with the Foundation's international partners and

National Civil Society Networks, various debate events have been organised across the region. These have ranged from the Italian Parliament in Rome with the President of the Chamber of Deputies and a national debate organised in Rabat with the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, to a conference in Krakow on cultural diversity and a BBC broadcast debate in London on reviewing national policies for social cohesion. In addition, the UN first global study on Youth, Peace and Security mandated by Resolution 2250 referred to the Report for providing ‘further evidence-base to the UN’s new long-term action plan for investment in youth-led initiatives’. An effective capitalisation of the Trends Report has been ensured within the academic community with 13 academic workshops.

In 2019, the first online course on ‘EuroMediterranean Intercultural Trends’ was produced based on the intercultural trends data and analyses in partnership with the Mediterranean Universities Union (UNIMED). To date, three editions have been offered and one face-to-face course created.

Launched in June 2020, the Intercultural Dialogue Resource Centre, among others, was conceived to be the reference point for the ALF Report, as well as other resources on intercultural dialogue in the EuroMed region. It contained the following features: Publications, Learning Activities, Audiovisual, Events, Resource People and Good Practices and are divided according to the following themes: Education, Media, Culture, Cities, Youth and Media.

## 52,000 people

from 52 EuroMed countries surveyed in the four public Opinion Polls by Gallup Europe & IPSOS-MORI

The content and main findings of the Report have formed the basis of a programme of national debates carried out in collaboration with academic partners, think tanks and the Anna Lindh National Networks, involving media practitioners and social leaders. EuroMed debates: 80 with ALF Networks (from BRU PPT), regional institutions, national governments

## 121 intercultural experts

involved in the qualitative analysis from EuroMed countries, 88 analyses and case studies on trends and perceptions in the Mediterranean

## 29 countries surveyed

Algeria, Albania, Austria, Belgium, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Egypt, France, Finland, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Ireland, Italy, Israel, Jordan, Lebanon, Mauritania, Morocco, Netherlands, Palestine, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Spain, Sweden, Syria, Tunisia, Turkey and the United Kingdom

An interactive digital version of the Anna Lindh Report published: <https://www.annalindhfoundation.org/what-we-do/intercultural-trends-report>

## 20 Dissemination events

and 6 high-level policy debates (phase 4), 13 academic workshops (last phase)

Online course: first edition: 479 learners from 39 countries; Second edition: 667 learners from 48 countries ; 20 short-video lectures produced

# Youth

## Debates, Exchanges and Participation

Young Mediterranean Voices (YMV) is the flagship debate programme connecting civil society, education and policy-makers across the South Mediterranean and Europe. The programme provides opportunities to open doors for young influencers to shape policy and media narratives.

Building on more than five years of investment in the field, as well as established Networks, pioneering methodologies and independent research, the overall objective of the YMV programme is to empower young people to enhance a culture of dialogue, to contribute to public policy and shape media discourse. It also creates a shared understanding with peers across the Mediterranean on how to address issues of common concern to their communities.



In the first two years of the programme, YMV has thus far engaged around 7,500 young people from across the EuroMed and trained over 4,000 young people in debate and dialogue skills, with an overall engagement of 58.5% of young girls in rural and peri-urban suburbs; 84.9% of engaged youth are in the age group of 18–24. The main issues of debate identified by young people ranged from quality of education, to electoral systems and political participation of marginalised groups, climate change and employability, amongst other pressing global issues. In 2020, young people were also involved in high-level policy debate with decision-makers to share their recommendations, views and impact on policy development.

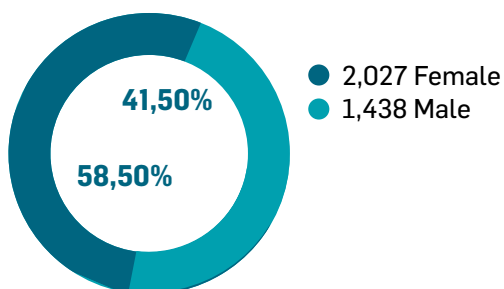
YMV has engaged partners that include the British Council (implementing partner in the South), MEDAC (Univ. of Malta), Club de Madrid–World Leadership Alliance, Friends of Europe, Soliya and the Center for Mediterranean Integration (CMI), with a 2020 partnership with Chatham House. Principle funders are the EU (DG NEAR), the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Finland, the British Council and CMI.



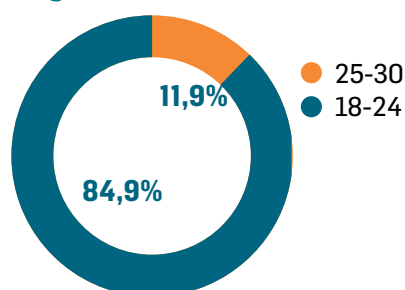
YMV was built on and grounded in the legacy of Young Arab Voices (YAV), which is a youth-focused programme launched in Alexandria in October 2011 by the Anna Lindh Foundation and the British Council. The YAV programme engaged the 18- to 25-year-old age group in learning and deploying the techniques of debating in formally structured contexts, as well as adapting the skills learned to their everyday life as students, job-seekers, teachers and civil society activists.

YAV managed to involve more than 100,000 young people in eight Arab ‘Mediterranean’ countries, either through formal training or participation in locally-organised ‘debate clubs’, or through secondary and less-structured activities derived from what is essentially a non-formal education programme.

### Gender Factor



### Age Factor



**Over 4,000  
trained debaters**

**4,063 YMV**

Broader Stakeholder  
engagement

**175 participants**

in Intercultural Dialogue  
events

**39 Debate Hubs**

**75 Cities Reached**

The Anna Lindh Foundation provided youth across Europe and the Mediterranean with a new online Advocacy Training and Debate Exchange methodology in the frame of the pilot project, 'Erasmus+ Virtual Exchange'.

Erasmus+ Virtual Exchange (EVE), launched by the European Commission between 2018 and 2020, provided an accessible, groundbreaking way for young people to engage in intercultural learning experiences online. Through a range of activities, EVE aimed to expand the scope of the Erasmus+ programme through online collaborative learning activities known as Virtual Exchanges. A consortium of eight organisations, including the ALF, implemented the pilot programme.

Working with youth organisations and universities, the project was open to any young person aged 18–30 residing in Europe and the Southern Mediterranean. EVE was composed of four different models of Virtual Exchange: online facilitated dialogue, transnational education projects, interactive online open courses and advocacy training/ debate exchange.

The ALF led the development and implementation of the Advocacy Training / Debate Exchange educational model, which was based on the practice of debate, bringing young people from different backgrounds together to develop parliamentary debating skills with the support of a Network of trained debate team leaders. The activity cycle included capacity-building training, virtual debates and intercultural dialogue sessions. A community of practice has been established across the EuroMed region,

## Erasmus+

### Virtual Exchange

*INTERCULTURAL LEARNING EXPERIENCES*

"My team members come from Netherlands, Germany & Turkey. I am discovering new cultural identities without having to travel."

**Ibrahim, Egypt**

Online Euro-Med Debate Competition





which includes master trainers, trainers, ambassadors, reporters, adjudicators, team leaders and debaters.

The ALF also led the implementation of a communication strategy focused on digital channels. The project built a recognisable brand identity attracting the interest of a wide range of stakeholders.

The ALF also supported the consortium's high-level advocacy in favour of virtual exchange. This activity has gained spectacular achievements throughout high-level EU officials; the project was positively referenced on several occasions, including being mentioned as a means to enhancing 'youth-led dialogue, media literacy and active citizenship' at the UN Security Council Open Debate on Maintenance of International Peace and Security: Youth, Peace and Security.

Based on the EVE study conducted in 2018 and 2019, 87% of EVE participants indicated being satisfied or very satisfied for this period. They perceived an increased knowledge of the relationship between societies, greater awareness of stereotypes, and built positive/meaningful relationships with peers from different countries.

The majority of participants felt they built skills and competences directly related to employability, such as confidence in working in culturally diverse settings, teamwork and problem solving, and digital competences.

### **Around 3,000 participants**

from all over Europe and the Mediterranean participated in online activities implemented by the ALF, around 55% of whom are females

### **Three regional events**

Online EuroMed Debate Competition, available on YouTube) took place, engaging around 900 young participants from 110 EuroMed teams

### **18 ALF Heads of Network**

and Network members were engaged in EVE.

### **Four Online Debates**

and 65 Debate Team Leader training sessions were implemented; more than 280 Debate and Dialogue sessions have been conducted

# Women

## Fighting Cultural and Gender Stereotyping

The Anna Lindh Foundation is committed to mainstream gender equality within its programmes as a prerequisite for a balanced and fruitful dialogue across the region. The ALF considers women as central actors for the promotion of intercultural dialogue in the EuroMed region and gender equality is promoted in all its programmes, in line with the strategy adopted by the 42 countries of the Union for the Mediterranean.

Since 2008, the ALF has been collecting empirical data on the perception of the role of women in society in the framework of the Anna Lindh Report on Intercultural Trends and Social Change in the EuroMed region. Through the previous editions of the Report (2010, 2014, 2018) and the upcoming 2021 edition, the Foundation provides quantitative and qualitative gender indicators to inform policymaking process and to identify priority areas for intervention, allowing the Foundation to integrate gender as a transversal theme in all its programmes and actions. Additionally, this contributes to the collection of reliable gender data and impact indicators as a tool for improving the participation of women in different spheres of life.



In 2019, the ALF organised the EuroMed Women for Dialogue Forum in Amman, a regional event for the promotion of multiple and renewed images of women as agents for the promotion of intercultural dialogue in the region, and to counter prevailing stereotypes which to this day continues to hamper women's full participation and potential in their societies. The Forum gathered over 100 stakeholders with 30 grassroots organisations, ensured via mobilisation of the ALF National Networks and large media coverage.

In 2020, in partnership with the Cyprus Ministry of Foreign Affairs, the ALF mobilised its civil society Network for the organisation of an online workshop on non-formal educational practices for women. Focusing on gender stereotypes and reproductive health

and rights, its scope was to empower women to make informed decisions about their rights, and build healthy relationships based on gender equality and respect.

With its regional programme for intercultural citizenship education, work on the media and the launch of the Intercultural Trends Media Platform, the ALF has been contributing to the call by EuroMed Ministers to ‘challenge cultural and social norms and eliminate sexist stereotypes, especially through education and the media’ (Cairo, 27 November 2017). The ALF also recognised and celebrated the contribution of women in the media through its Mediterranean Journalist Awards, of which 60% of recipients have been female journalists through its 10 editions.

Through the Young Mediterranean Voices programme and its work for implementation of the UN Security Council Resolution 2250, the Foundation contributes to strengthening the capacity of youth and women to debate and think critically, providing them with platforms for exchange and advocacy for their communities and the region as a whole. In addition, the ALF, in accordance with its core mandate, plays an important role as a facilitator of exchange and cooperation between civil society organisations working for the empowerment of women on both sides of the Mediterranean. The Foundation has provided funding opportunities for intercultural dialogue through workshops and projects in relation to gender issues, including education, women’s participation, entrepreneurship and empowerment, art and culture, and the role of media and women’s mobility issues on both sides of the Mediterranean. Between 2015 and 2017, the Foundation funded eight projects on the issue of gender in the areas of social entrepreneurship, education and culture.

Furthermore, MED Forum 2016, as the landmark gathering in the EuroMed region for civil society, institutions, media and youth committed to the promotion of intercultural dialogue, highlighted the urgent need to redress gender stereotypes for the full empowerment of women in line with SDG 5.

### Seven articles

on gender in the three editions of the ALF Report; two upcoming articles in 2021

### Nine media outlets

covering the EuroMed Women for Dialogue Forum; 15,607 views of the tweets posted and 391 engagements

### 60% of female journalists

awarded through the Mediterranean Journalist Award’s 10 editions (2006–2017)

### Publication of 29 stories

on combatting gender stereotypes from the EuroMed Women for Dialogue Forum

### Eight funded projects

on gender issues between 2015 and 2017

# The Anna Lindh Mediterranean Forum

## The largest civil society gathering in the EuroMed region



The Anna Lindh Mediterranean Forum is a unique gathering that brings together the region's main actors for intercultural dialogue, including CSOs, youth leaders, policymakers and experts on cross-cultural issues.

Following the successful first edition in Barcelona in 2010, the follow-up edition was launched in Marseille in 2013 under the banner 'Citizens for the Mediterranean' and the third took place in Malta in 2016. MEDForum 2020, planned in Croatia, was cancelled due to Covid-19. In 2020, to build on the preparatory work of MEDForum 2020 and to contribute to the celebration of the 25th Anniversary of the Barcelona Process, the ALF planned the launch of the Anna Lindh Foundation Virtual Marathon for Dialogue in the EuroMed.

The Forum's programme centres on two key pillars: the 'Agora', dedicated to plenary debate and workshops with experts on the achievements and challenges of social and cultural cooperation in the regional framework; and the 'Medina', which brings together members of the ALF Networks and regional partners to foster ideas and build new partnerships and initiatives. The Forum is developed through a participatory process involving thematic meetings with civil society to the South and North of the Mediterranean. It has also been the unique platform to bring together the main bodies of the ALF, including its Board of Governors, the Heads of Network and Advisory Council members.

The Barcelona Forum (4–7 March, 2010) was the first time since the launch of the Union for the Mediterranean (UfM) that over 1,000 civil society representatives from all 43 countries of the Union gathered together for intercultural dialogue. The Forum conclusions directly impacted the Foundation's regional programme development, in particular the emphasis on the importance of intercultural citizenship learning, investment in capacity-building in the Southern Mediterranean, and responding to the impact of the global economic crisis on social cohesion.

The follow-up Forum in Marseille, France (4–7 April, 2013) went a step further in terms of scale. Firstly, it mobilised more than 3,500 civil society leaders during its preparation process, increasing significantly the participation from the Southern and Eastern Mediterranean region. Secondly, it secured a significant impact through the mainstream press and digital media in Europe and the Southern Mediterranean region. The Marseille Forum was also successfully built on the creation of a steering group involving for the first time all the EuroMed institutions (the ALF, UfM Parliamentary Assembly, UfM



Secretariat), the Arab League and EU agencies. Taking place in the aftermath of 2011's Arab social uprisings, the Forum's conclusions underlined the role of Mediterranean cooperation in supporting civil society's work for open and pluralistic societies, and the emphasis on the contribution of citizens to building a shared Mediterranean space.

The third edition of MEDForum took place from 23–25 October, 2016 in Valletta, Malta, with EU support and in collaboration with a far-reaching coalition of institutional partners and civil society networks. A mechanism of Inter-institutional working group meeting was set up at the start of 2015 to build a relevant institutional infrastructure, assess the FORUM outcomes and embed the results into the Foundation, with the participation of the Maltese Ministry of Foreign Affairs, representatives of EuroMed Ministries of Foreign Affairs (MFA), the headquarters of the ALF; the European Union (EEAS, DG NEAR); the headquarters of the League of Arab States (LAS); the UfM; and the Mediterranean Academy of Diplomatic Studies (MEDAC). In addition, the Foundation organised a cross-sectorial preparatory meeting gathering representatives of the Heads of Network and experts associated to its field of action in order to define the priority areas and develop an interactive result-oriented methodology for the organisation of the third edition of the Anna Lindh Forum.

The programme of the Forum included high-level plenary debates on the role of intercultural dialogue in the face of today's global issues; eight evidence-led strategic sessions built on pioneering research and innovative practice; the launch of 'Young Mediterranean Voices'; partner- and delegate-led sessions to present and exchange proposals for scaling-up existing innovative practice (based on 500+ good practices generated through the Forum calls for participation); and a 'Counter-narrative' training involving Youth Sector representatives delivered through a pioneering partnership with Facebook HQ.

### **680 participants**

from 50 countries, including civil society leaders, international media, policymakers, and high-officials of the Foundation's main institutional partners (United Nations, EU institutions, LAS)

### **73% of MEDForum participants**

considered it an excellent opportunity for networking and 90% established new partnerships

### **6 inter-institutional Steering Group**

or committee meetings held in Malta, Belgium, Egypt and Estonia)

### **5 Expert papers**

on combatting gender stereotypes from the EuroMed Women for Dialogue Forum

### **2,805,141 Twitter accounts**

reached and 12,375,744 unique impressions (potential reads) with #MedForum2016

### **1374 participants**

registered for the Marseille Forum, representing 46 countries; 48 sessions and debates over 140 hours; 200 institutional partners involved; 64 good practices and project ideas presented, 99 stands of civil society and the ALF partners at the Intercultural Fair



# Campaigns

## Mobilising Civil Society for Dialogue

### **THE ALF VIRTUAL MARATHON FOR DIALOGUE**

Launched by the ALF on 30 September 2020 as its contribution to the 25th Anniversary of the Barcelona Process, the Anna Lindh Foundation Virtual Marathon for Dialogue in the EuroMed region aims to offer a platform to analyse the orientations for the future within the current context. Additionally, it works to make even more visible the little-known work for dialogue performed at the institutional and grassroots level. The Marathon includes a series of cultural activities, weekly webinars on main issues for the promotion of EuroMed cultural cooperation, virtual trainings, seminars, exhibitions, debates led by the ALF Networks and partners, and building on all the work the ALF had done in preparation of MED Forum 2020.

### **MANIFESTO FOR TRANSLATION—A CALL TO SUPPORT TRANSLATION ACROSS THE MEDITERRANEAN**

Within a new policy for a dynamic and ambitious EuroMed cultural agenda, translation is one of the keys to our shared identities. As an outcome of the first high-level conference on translation in the Mediterranean which took place in Piran/Portoroz in 2016, in cooperation with the government of Slovenia, the ALF led a coalition to call for the mobilisation in favour of a concrete policy supporting translation and cultural works in the Mediterranean. The call led to the gathering of over 500 signatories to the Manifesto.

### **DAWRAK—CITIZENS FOR DIALOGUE**

Dawrak ('Your Turn' in Arabic) is a programme focused on providing civil society leaders with skills for participating in public life and contributing to building open and pluralistic societies. Launched in 2012, the programme has been rolled-out across ten Arab Mediterranean countries: Mauritania, Morocco, Algeria, Tunisia, Libya, Egypt, Palestine, Lebanon and Jordan. It centres on three main components: 'Exchange'; 'Spaces'; and 'Capacity-building'. The culmination of all the Dawrak activities was the first 'Moltaqa' ('Encounter' in Arabic), a major civil society gathering in Alexandria, Egypt, timed on the occasion of the ALF's 10th anniversary and aimed at disseminating the tools, practices and methodologies developed for practitioners in the field, and to debate on the potential follow-up with adaptation to the emerging regional realities.

### **RESTORE TRUST, REBUILD BRIDGES CAMPAIGN**

Launched by the ALF and the UN Alliance of Civilizations in February 2009 in the aftermath of the war on Gaza, as well as other political and economic crises affecting the region, 'Restore Trust, Rebuild Bridges' was a call for civil society action in favour of dialogue and restoring trust in social, political and cultural dialogue as the only effective way to solve tensions and conflicts in the EuroMed space. The Foundation supported

civil society organisations and members of the National Networks in implementing a diversity of actions that took place during a specific time in order to increase the visibility of the initiative.

## 1001 ACTIONS FOR DIALOGUE

In 2008, the EU Year of Intercultural Dialogue, the ALF launched the ‘1001 Actions for Dialogue’ programme. Building on the ALF’s unique role as a network of networks (the Networks) of civil society organisations, the campaign mobilised people and groups across the region to implement activities under one common banner for the promotion of dialogue. Over 1001 actions for dialogue were implemented and labelled; on 21 May 2008, Dialogue Night was organised simultaneously in all the countries of the region as a common public celebration for dialogue. A publication was produced as a testimony of all the actions mobilised.

## BIG JUMP DAY

In July 2007, the ALF organized a EuroMed ‘Big Jump Day’, where thousands of people from eight EuroMed countries joined to claim the right of all EuroMed citizens to have access to clean water; to develop a common feeling of belonging; and to tackle fundamental challenges such as building mutual respect, sharing resources peacefully or fighting climate change as a common responsibility. Water was chosen to symbolise the role it plays in uniting people. Environmental agencies from Egypt, Jordan, Israel, Palestine, Italy, France, Spain, Morocco and Greece were involved.

## DIALOGUE 21 CAMPAIGN

At the peak of the ‘cartoon protests’, in February 2006 the ALF and EuroMed Youth Platform launched Dialogue 21, a six-month, Internet-based dialogue campaign. Young people between 18 and 25 years old were invited to raise their most burning questions, to be answered by those of the same age from the other side of the Mediterranean, and to make proposals for improving the dialogue between North and South. Out of 1,783 entries from 34 EMP countries, 388 were matched; 40 (from 28 countries) were invited to a concluding workshop in Alexandria, organised by the ALF, EYP and Goethe-Institut Alexandria.



# Partnerships and Awards

## Creating Synergies

To ensure significant and long-term impact, the Anna Lindh Foundation invested in partnerships by working with the region's leading institutions to scale up the visibility, impact and sustainability of its actions, and to contribute to increased strategic synergy in the domain of Mediterranean cooperation.

For this reason, the Foundation has worked to establish collaborations with international and regional institutions, among them the UfM Secretariat as a central partner for the Foundation, UNESCO, League of Arab States, Council of Europe, OCDE, OSCE, and the UNAoC. In order to define the specific operational scope of the collaborations, a series of cooperation agreements were adopted in the framework of the Board-approved strategy towards 2025, among them: World Bank Group/CMI, OSCE, League of Arab States, Club de Madrid, Bibliotheca Alexandrina, Friends of Europe, UNESCO, IAI/New-Med, MEDAC, UNIMED, COPEAM, EUNIC Global, and the British Council. Synergies have also been enhanced with ENI regional programmes (Open Neighbourhood, Med Media) and with EEAS Strats. Comms. Task-Force South.

As an example of the way agreements became operational, within the Memorandum of Understanding concluded with UNESCO in 2019 the ALF-UNESCO organized the first annual joint activity, the EuroMed Women for Dialogue Forum in Amman. The ALF institutional dialogue engagement in the EuroMed region was recognized by the Marseille Declaration of 23 June 2019, where Foreign Ministers of the Summit underlined political commitment to the Foundation as a “central platform for strengthening the partnership between the European Union and all countries around the Mediterranean”. The ALF partnership approach is coherent with the ALF's unique role as a ‘Network of Networks’, and the ALF has also been keen to engage with Heads of Networks for specific initiatives such as the literary award competition, ‘A Sea of Words’. The result of a long-term partnership with the Spanish Head of Network institution, IEMed, it aims at encouraging the production of short stories that portray the different realities of the EuroMed region from the point of view of young people. Furthermore, in 2006 the ALF founded, in partnership with Fondazione Mediterraneo, the Mediterranean Award for the Dialogue between Cultures which aimed at recognizing the achievements of individuals and organisations that have been at the forefront of promoting dialogue, building on diversity, tackling intolerance and stereotypes, and promoting mutual respect amongst EuroMed societies.

Since 2018, another cooperation area considered crucial for the sustainability of impact and programming expansion relates to local partnerships. Examples include the collaboration with the municipality of Thessaloniki that has established a leadership role at the EuroMed level in the domain of youth and resilient cities, and the national youth agency of Malta that has led the basis for the support of the Ministry for Education to develop a Debate Academy for Young Mediterranean Voices with the ALF.



Through the Mediterranean Journalist Award, the leading regional prize for cross-cultural reporting, the Foundation has consolidated a EuroMed network of journalists reporting on cultural diversity, and has engaged them in the analysis of trends and perceptions (Media Forum, Brussels, 6 December 2017). Media partnerships for dialogue have been secured with leading media platforms such as BBC, Al Arabiya, Deutsche Welle, COPEAM, EBU, Thomson Reuters Foundation, Jordan Media Institute, Ashraq Al-Awsat, and EuroMed Media Network. A special partnership established with COPEAM was the signing of an agreement in 2019 to institutionalise the long-term collaboration established in the framework of the Mediterranean Journalist Award and the ‘Debate to Action’ campaign. The agreement underlines the mutual interest in fostering their relationship in the framework of the EuroMediterranean Partnership by working together to develop innovative approaches to promote intercultural dialogue through the media sector and develop common media activities, communication campaigns and awards.



Strategic partnerships with media have led to a significant increase in Op-Eds in leading media outlets highlighting positive trends in the region. Examples include: The Irish Times (‘Culture unites more than divides Europe and Mediterranean’); AnsaMed (‘Euromed: trend interculturali, c’è ancora fiducia nel futuro’); Al Ghad Jordan (‘86% of Jordanians think that education and youth programmes are efficient at dealing with the challenges of radicalisation’); and Times of Malta (‘Migration is an issue, but not the most important’). With the United Nations Alliance of Civilizations (UNAOC), the ALF established a collaboration in 2009 for the PLURAL+ Video Festival. A joint initiative of UNAOC and the International Organization for Migration with the ALF and other partners, the festival empowers young people to speak about what they think of migration, diversity and identity, and be heard by others all over the world on these themes. Within the Festival, the ALF bestowed the ‘PLURAL+ Anna Lindh EuroMed Award’.

Through external assessment, the Foundation reinforced its successful partner-led funding model by leveraging its strategic partnerships to secure complementary funding via joint bids and tenders (as in the case of ‘Young Mediterranean Voices’ that secured 20% complementary programme funding for 2018-2020). The partner-led model is at the centre of a business development strategy to be consolidated by the Foundation with the support of external expertise. This area of work is key to addressing the lack of diversification in funding sources and building a sustainable institution for dialogue.

# Funding Schemes

## Supporting International Collaborations

One of the most important ways the Anna Lindh Foundation fulfils its mission is by providing grants to civil society organisations through various funding schemes.

### CALL FOR PROPOSALS

The ALF funding schemes are focused on its priority fields, granting financial support for international projects developed by civil society and NGOs across the two shores of the Mediterranean. For this reason, all the financed projects have involved one or more civil society partners from the South and the North. During a period of fifteen years, projects and programmes granted have addressed issues of common interest in the EuroMed region, generating effective impact at the institutional and grassroots levels, fostering cross-cultural dialogue, encouraging communities in the region to know each other better and associating different types of stakeholders to develop integrated approaches.

The grants have covered seminars, roundtable meetings, training initiatives, photo exhibitions, video production, books, musical events, theatre productions, festivals, and academic research initiatives, which add value to the main fields of the Foundation and its core strategies. Globally the projects have reached thousands of the ALF's main target groups, including youth, women and migrants, in the North and South, and in small towns and communities, confirming the outreach ability of the Foundation. The grants allowed concrete interaction with the grassroots civil society groups, promoting the pivotal role of intercultural dialogue in dealing with the different aspects of civil societies.

The first CFP scheme was launched in 2006 and the latest in 2020, with one having a total financial envelope of 1,710,000 Euro for grants ranging between 35,000 and 50,000 Euro, and another to pilot intercultural research projects with a total financial envelope of 90,000 Euro for grants ranging between 20,000 and 30,000 Euro.

**12,050,000 Euro**

Total financial envelope  
(2006–2020)

**285 projects  
awarded**

**226,000  
beneficiaries**

(not including 2020 CFP)

## MANAGEMENT SUPPORT TO HEADS OF NETWORKS

Designed in 2008, the Network Coordination Support (NCS) ensures the regular coordination of the Networks and the progressive consolidation of a coordinated platform of member organisations which actively promote intercultural dialogue in the EuroMed region. It further provides financial support to the Heads of Networks (HoNs) for day-to-day coordination of the Networks through the organisation of meetings and trainings.

In 2019, the Management Support negotiated a contracting procedure designed as a substitute for the NCS grant scheme. It aims to support the ALF HoNs to coordinate, enhance the capacities and mobilise their national networks while promoting the ALF programmes activities. It also aims to ensure enhanced coherence between the Foundation's Network-led activities and its regional programmes.

**6,544 Euro**

Total financial envelope  
(2008–2020)

**312 Network  
meetings**

(2012-2017)

**207 Capacity  
building**

(2012-2017)

## NETWORK INTERCULTURAL ACTION

The NIA was conceived to reinforce the mission of the Foundation at the national level and to ensure the visibility and coherence of the National Network intercultural actions; it aims to tackle intercultural challenges related to the social and cultural diversity specific to each country. Grants awarded ranged between 9,000 Euro and 21,500 Euro.

**575,000 Euro**

Total financial envelope  
(2015–2017)

**157 initiatives  
implemented**

(2012-2017)

**24,189 direct  
beneficiaries**

**169,933 indirect  
beneficiaries**

## CROSS-NETWORK ACTIONS

The CNA was conceived to capitalise on the ALF Network members' knowledge and experience in addressing challenges related to intercultural dialogue at the regional and sub-regional level; to promote intercultural dialogue competences among member organisations of the Networks to contribute to a culture of dialogue. Funded projects required creation of a consortium of Network members led by a Head of Network institution.

**570,000 Euro**

Total financial envelope  
(2015–2017)

**30 initiatives  
implemented**

**2,997 direct  
beneficiaries**

**41,210 indirect  
beneficiaries**

## EUROMED EXCHANGE PROGRAMME FOR INTERCULTURAL COOPERATION

This programme was developed to capitalize on the ALF previous EuroMed Exchange Programmes as a key tool for sustainable human and organizational development with the aim of supporting civil society organisations to exchange technical and intercultural skills and knowledge, and support intercultural cooperation at the regional level.

Launched in 2012 in the framework of the Dawrak programme, it was further expanded in 2015 as a key tool for sustainable human and organizational development. Its aim is to support civil society organisations in the exchange of technical and intercultural skills and knowledge, and to support intercultural cooperation at the regional level. The programme funded medium-term residencies of civil society representatives in another country of the region according to a twinning exchange scheme between organisation.

**134**

Sending and host  
organisations

**99 young  
members**

direct beneficiaries  
of civil society  
organisations and 11  
journalists as part of a  
dedicated component of  
the programme

**80%  
of participants**

developed new project  
ideas and collaborations

# Resources and Publications

## Debates, Exchanges and Participation

The Anna Lindh Foundation has produced a range of new publications focused on intercultural learning, managing cultural diversity, sharing good practices on intercultural dialogue, and presenting analysis on cross-cultural trends and values. Considered as a pioneering tool for knowledge and action on cross-cultural relations in the EuroMed region, the Anna Lindh Report on ‘Intercultural Trends and Social Change’, published every three years since 2010, combines a public opinion poll gathering over 50,000 voices across Europe and the Southern and Eastern Mediterranean region, with a wide range of analyses by a network of intercultural experts.

In the framework of the Erasmus+ Virtual Exchange, the ALF produced in 2020 the ‘Debate Exchange Team Leaders Manual’ as a guide and support tool for debate team leaders working with youth organisations and universities.

In 2020, the ALF created the ‘Intercultural Dialogue Resource Centre’ as the product of a long-term EuroMed mapping of resources and to be the reference point for resources on intercultural dialogue in the EuroMed region, including publications, learning activities, audiovisual, events, resource people and good practices to respond to the needs of journalists, civil society, researchers, students, policymakers and to the general public as a whole.

In 2019, the online course on ‘Intercultural Trends in the EuroMed’ was published as a video-based and interactive resource to allow participants to deepen knowledge and skills on intercultural relations and values in the region and discuss the content and the main course messages with peers from around the Mediterranean.

Since 2019, the ALF has initiated the regular publication of the ALF e-quarterly magazine, a review of the ALF, its Network and partners, and the main activities and opportunities existing in the field of intercultural dialogue in the region.

A major resource for non-formal and formal educators has been developed: ‘The Anna Lindh Handbook on Intercultural Citizenship Education in the EuroMed Region’, resulting from a five-year work process involving 300 educators and experts from the South and North Mediterranean, was published in 2017. It has led to the development of digital complementary resources for Arab countries, in addition to the production of a ‘Guide to Implement Virtual Exchange to Intercultural Learning Programmes’ in 2020.

To encourage literary production by and for young people, since 2008 the ALF has partnered with IEMed, the Head of the Spanish ALF Network, for the production of 'A Sea of Words' an anthology of essays on major issues for EuroMed relations and selected through an international competition.

For the EuroMed Year of Dialogue between Cultures, the ALF launched the book 'Dialogue in Action' in Athens on the occasion of the first EuroMed 'Ministerial on Intercultural Dialogue' (2008), containing more than 1,000 local and transnational dialogue case studies.

The ALF's first publication, 'Unity in Diversity' (2005), involved intercultural experts in analysing the challenges of intercultural dialogue in the region, and in 2006, the ALF prepared the book 'Communication and Misperceptions' for the first EuroMed Ministerial meeting on gender, held in Istanbul. For educators and learners, the ALF launched the pedagogical manual 'How to cope with diversity at schools' (2007), which supports students in discovering diverse cultures and beliefs. The ALF also collaborated on the production of the 'Guidebook for History Textbooks Authors' (2011).

Recognising the increasing role of social media activists in intercultural dialogue work, the ALF supported a network of leading young bloggers in pioneering the first EuroMed 'Bloggers for Dialogue' (2011) toolkit, containing a range of training resources and access to online tools.

For NGO leaders in the field of peace culture and conflict resolution, the ALF created the toolkit on 'Conflict Resolution and Cultural Cooperation' (2007), with good practices for trainers; and the 'Restore Trust, Rebuild Bridges' booklet, with case studies on local and regional peace initiatives (2009). For cultural leaders, the ALF's publication 'The Potential of Arts for Intercultural Dialogue' (2007) provided examples of art-based approaches to dialogue and in the media field. A 'Mapping of Translation in the EuroMediterranean' (2011) was developed in partnership with Transeuropéennes (France) and involved a variety of publishing and translation institutions; as a result, a new ALF translation programme has been created in partnership with the French government.

'Dawrak: Guidebook on Youth in Local Dialogue' is an online mapping initiative on the different typologies of youth involvement in diverse aspects of local dialogue in their communities. The Guidebook was the outcome of two Dawrak trainings, held in Morocco (Maghreb region) and Lebanon (Mashreq region).



**The ALF  
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# Albania

*Network is currently coordinated by: Albanian Media Institute*

*The Albanian Network efforts are focused on intercultural dialogue across the fields of human rights, media, research, diversity and education.*

Since the beginning of 2020, efforts have been made to revitalise and reactivate the Network which had been silent for some years, resulting in 45 active members coming from different backgrounds; 30 are based in the Tirana district (both in urban and rural areas) and 15 are based in the Durres, Shkodra, Fier, Pogradec and Vlora districts. All have expertise in several sectors.

The Albanian Network was part of the ‘Kimiyya, Women Actresses of Dialogue’ (2017) Cross-Network Activity conference that gathered 150 representatives from 12 National Networks of the ALF (Albania, Algeria, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Spain, France, Italy, Malta, Mauritania, Czech Republic, Lithuania, Slovenia and Tunisia). The conference took place in the Museum of Peace in Naples, and focused on supporting the training, education and access to new technologies for women so that they can fully facilitate intercultural dialogue and mitigate the causes of conflict in the region.

The initiative ‘Open Forum’ (2014) explored issues of cultural identity of Albanian migrants in EuroMed countries. In 2012, members were involved in ‘Mediterranean Network: Step One Lampedusa’, which included research on issues of Albanian immigrants in Italy. ‘Play for Peace’ was launched by members in the framework of the ALF ‘Restore Trust, Rebuild Bridges’ (2009) campaign, involving several schools in Tirana and using sporting activities as a way to foster dialogue between youth from different marginalised groups, such as Roma and orphan children.

The same year, the ALF’s regional meeting on ‘Prospects for Inter-religious Coexistence’, officially inaugurated by the President of the Republic of Albania, was co-organised by the Head of Network in Tirana. The Albanian Network members have also launched the publication entitled ‘Women and Religion’ on the role of women in the three major religious communities and socio-political life, along with the campaign ‘Cultures Talk’.

52 civil society organisations in the Albanian Network

Italy, Egypt and Lebanon the countries that most partnered with Albanian CSOs through the ALF grant scheme

14 CSOs represented at the ALF EuroMed Forums (Valletta (2016) / Marseille (2013))



13 projects mobilised by the ALF through the '1001 Actions for Dialogue' campaign

250 children and teenagers from several schools of Tirana brought together for the 'Play for Peace' project as part of the 'Restore Trust, Rebuild Bridges' Initiative

Albania is one of the 29 countries surveyed for the Report on Intercultural Trends

The ALF Advisory Council Member:  
Besnik Mustafaj,  
President of AFALC  
(until 2015)

## Partnerships Established through Anna Lindh Grants

Bosnia	2	Israel	1	Morocco	1
Cyprus	1	Italy	2	Palestine	1
Czech Republic	1	Jordan	2	Slovenia	1
Egypt	1	Lebanon	1	Tunisia	2
Finland	1	Lithuania	1	Turkey	1
France	1	Luxembourg	1		
Greece	1	Malta	1		

## ALF Network in Albania

### Main Projects with Albanian Civil Society Organisations

Projects	Albanian Organisation	Partner Countries
Be My Voice, 2020*	Albanian Centre "YMCA Tirana" - partner	Luxembourg, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Egypt, Finland, Greece, Jordan, Lebanon, Lithuania, Morocco, Palestine, Slovenia, Tunisia, Turkey
Ecotourism-Heritage-Education (EHE): A partnership for intercultural citizenship in three conflict zones, 2015	Cultural Heritage without Borders (CHwB) - partner	Israel, Jordan

### Main Actions Organised by Albanian Network

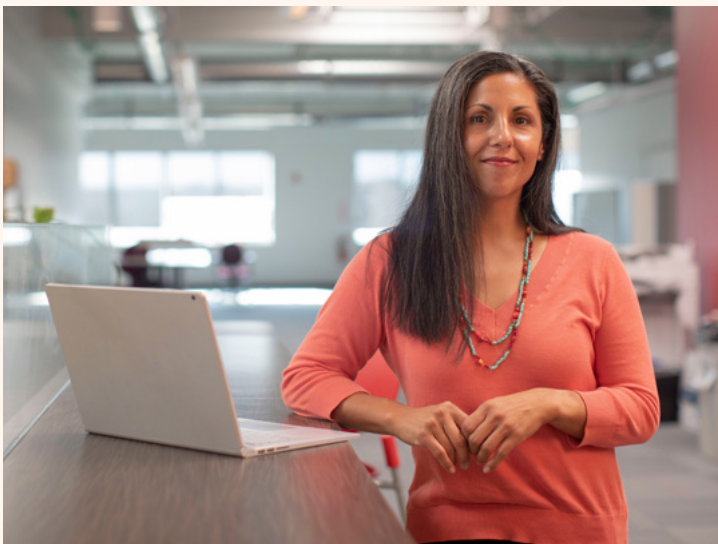
Activity	Organisation in Charge	Location	Involved Countries
Kimiyya. Les Femmes actrices du Dialogue, 2017	Albanian Forum for the Alliance of Civilizations - partner	France, Tunisia Algeria, Malta, Albania, Bosnia, Italy	France, Tunisia Algeria, Malta, Albania, Bosnia, Italy
Artisan Women, Network Intercultural Actions, 2015	Albanian Forum for the Alliance of Civilizations	Shkodra and Tirana	Albania
Open Forum, 2014	Albanian Forum for the Alliance of Civilizations	Lunder	Albania
Mediterranean Networking: Step One Lampedusa, 2012	Albanian Forum for the Alliance of Civilizations	Tirana and Lampedusa	Albania and Italy



*Currently the Network is coordinated by: 'Association Etoile Culturelle d'Akbou'  
The Algerian ALF Network works in the promotion of intercultural dialogue in the fields of culture, youth, migration, education and media.*

Five Algerian Network Members participated in the Cross-Network Activity, 'Non-formal and Intercultural Education in the Mediterranean' (2016), led by the Spanish European Institute of the Mediterranean. In total, 11 National Networks of the Foundation partnered to promote non-formal and intercultural education and exchange experiences on how non-formal and intercultural education is understood and fostered in several parts of the Mediterranean. The Algerian Network coordinated the workshop 'Economic Empowerment of Young Women' as part of the Cross-Network Activity 'Kimiyya, Women Actresses of Dialogue' (2017), led by the Italian Network.

More than 50 Network Members were involved in a EuroMed Meeting organised with the Ministry of Culture in 2014 to prepare a Guidebook on 'Youth in Local Dialogue'. During this period, the Network also launched national actions with the ALF support on 'Awareness-raising activities on children's rights' and 'Capacity-building for Algerian associations'. Forty participants from Algeria, Belgium, Italy, Morocco and Poland were involved in a debate on 'Participation in Public Life' (2012) organised by the ALF; the Algerian Network was involved in Young Arab Voices, with an established national debating hub, and 'Dawrak: Citizens for Dialogue'.



Network Members actively participated in the ALF's '1001 Actions for Dialogue' (2008) campaign for the EuroMed Year of Intercultural Dialogue, including launching the 'Sahara Nights' local initiative. The main partnerships developed through the ALF Grants Scheme have been with CSOs in France, Italy and Morocco. The results of the 'Algiers Declaration for a Common Vision of the Future' (2006) were based on the 'North-South Mediterranean Dialogue' conference, organised by the ALF in partnership with the International European Movement and the Bibliotheca Alexandrina.

157 civil society organisations are involved in the Algerian Network

42 CSOs represented at the ALF EuroMed Forums (Valletta (2016) / Marseille (2013))

France, Italy and Morocco are the countries that Algerian CSOs most partnered with through the Anna Lindh Grants Programme

12 projects mobilised by the ALF through the '1001 Actions for Dialogue' campaign

Algerian journalist Mekioussa Chekir received the Anna Lindh Journalist Award 2011

400 participants attended the congress 'North-South Mediterranean Dialogue' in Algeria organised by the ALF in cooperation with the International European Movement, the Algeria Committee and the Bibliotheca Alexandrina

Algeria is one of the 29 countries surveyed for the Report on Intercultural Trends

The ALF Advisory Council Members: Ghania Mokhtari (since 2015); Malek Chebel (2005-2008); Aïcha Kassoul (2008-2011); Sabria Boukadoum (2012-2014)

## Partnerships Established through Anna Lindh Grants

Albania	1	Finland	1	Lithuania	1	Slovenia	1
Belgium	7	France	18	Malta	1	Spain	9
Bosnia	1	Greece	5	Morocco	15	Sweden	2
Bulgaria	3	Ireland	2	Palestine	3	Netherlands	4
Denmark	1	Israel	1	Poland	2	Tunisia	8
Egypt	6	Italy	16	Portugal	2	Turkey	3
Estonia	1	Jordan	8	Romania	3	United Kingdom	3
		Latvia	1				
		Lebanon	4				

## ALF Network in Algeria

### Main Projects with Algerian Civil Society Organisations

Projects	Algerian Organisation	Partner Countries
Voix de Femmes, 2020*	Association Djazairouna des familles victimes du terrorisme islamiste - partner	Morocco, France, Spain, Tunisia
Antigona 2.0, 2020*	Le Petit Lecteur - partner	Spain, Montenegro, Morocco
EUROMED Education Without Borders, 2015	Association Club Scientifique de la Faculte des Sciences Medicales(Club scientific association of the faculty of Medical sciences) - partner	Egypt, Latvia, Sweden, Estonia, Tunisia, Italy, United Kingdom, Spain, Morocco

The Life of The Others, 2013	Institution of Artists - partner	Greece, Malta, Morocco, Palestine
La Semaine Franco-Algerienne des Fennes (39 double), 2012	Association Djazairouna - leader	France
Mémoire de l'émigration Algérienne à Marseille, Film-Documentaire, 2010	AJIE - partner	France
Cities Cultural Policies in the Context of Immigrant-Related Diversity, 2010	Université d'Oran - partner	Spain, Israel, Portugal
Lettres sans Frontières, 2010	Le Petit Lecteur - leader	France
Travail Autour de la Communication non Violente et de l'inter Culturalité, 2009	Association Etoile Culturelle d'Akbou -leader	Belgium
Peace Bag for EuroMed Youth, 2009	Association Étoile d'Akbou - partner	Spain, Bulgaria, Egypt, Greece, Italy, Jordan, Palestine
JAM: Jeunesse Artistique de la Méditerranée, L'Art Comme Moyen Pour la Paix, 2009	Devèloppement Échanges Sans Frontières - partner	Italy, Jordan, Spain, Turkey, Morocco
Les Ondes pour la Méditerranée, 2009	Radio Algérienne - partner	Tunisia, France, Italy, Morocco
Traduction, entre Langues et Cultures, du Dictionnaire Critique de la Méditerranée-2009	CRASC - partner	France, Morocco, United Kingdom
Mare Nostrum, Les Aventures de Juha, 2009	Collège Benchemeb - partner	France, Morocco, Italy
L'Odyssée du Danube, 2007	Theatre Regional de Bejaia - partner	France, Bulgaria, Italy, Morocco, Romania, Spain
FUNDUQ, Héritage, Recherche et Création, 2007	Association Musicale Limma - partner	Belgium, Italy, Tunisia
EuroMed Cafe, 2007	Femmes en Communication - partner	Belgium, Denmark, Egypt, Greece, Italy, Lebanon
Femmes Architectes en Europe et Méditerranée, 2007	Polytechnique d'Architecture et d'Urbanisme - partner	France, Belgium, Morocco
Le Verbe au Féminin, 2006	Associations Femmes en Communication - partner	France, Morocco, Greece
EuroMed Public Administration Researchers	Universite d'Alger - partner	Belgium, Lebanon, Spain

## Main Actions Organised by Algerian Network

Activity	Organisation in Charge	Location	Involved Countries
Expression artistique interculturelle en zones fragiles, 2017	Association Etoile Culturelle d'Akbou - partner	Tunisia	Algeria, Finland, France, Greece, Ireland, Lebanon, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Tunisia, Morocco, UK
Kimiyya. Les Femmes actrices du Dialogue, 2017	Association Etoile Culturelle d'Akbou - partner	France, Tunisia, Algeria, Malta, Albania, Bosnia, Italy	France, Tunisia, Algeria, Malta, Albania, Bosnia, Italy
Education Non Formelle et Interculturelle en Méditerranée, 2016	Association Etoile Culturelle d'Akbou - partner	Spain	Morocco, Algeria, France, Ireland, Jordan, Lebanon, Lithuania, Palestine, Portugal, Tunisia, Belgium
Législation et Renforcement des Capacités des Cadres Associatifs Algériens, 2014	Association Etoile Culturelle d'Akbou	Bejaia, Alger, Tizi Ouzou, Oran, Annaba	Algeria
Apprendre à Exércer les Libertés, les Droits des Enfants, 2013	Centre Culturel d'Akbou d'Akbou - partner"	Bejaia and Alger	Algeria



*Network is currently coordinated by: Austrian Institute for International Affairs (oiip)  
The Austrian ALF Network includes think tanks, foundations, media bodies, academic and education institutions. Its main objective is to bring civil society organisations together, establishing a visible platform for intercultural exchange and dialogue in Austria and raising awareness about xenophobia and right wing populism. It has focused in the last years on increasing the geographic outreach, reaching out to youth and youth organisations, and including young people and diaspora organisations in the activities of the Network.*

In 2020, the Head of Network organised the Forum ‘Power to the Youth! Youth and Resistance’ (2020) in Vienna, providing space for around 30 persons, mainly young representatives of CSOs, political parties, educational institutions and social movements, but also citizens to discuss issues of concern and to be heard. The workshops entitled ‘Intercultural Dialogue in the light of rising polarization—still possible?’ (2017) and ‘Intercultural Competences’ (2015) aimed at discussing how xenophobia can be targeted and intercultural dialogue can be achieved. The public Forums, ‘R.E.S.P.E.K.T! We negotiate diversity: cultural differences—how much “otherness” is allowed?’ (2016) and ‘R.E.S.P.E.K.T! We negotiate diversity: intercultural learning—where are chances and limits to diversity?’ (2016) dealt with how diversity can be ensured.

The Network has pioneered a number of Common Actions, such as ‘Unrest, Protest and Revolution: Sea Change in the Mediterranean’ (2013) that focused on an exchange between women and youth



activists in the SouthMed and those in Austria. The ‘Contest for the Public Space Building’ centred on a series of public events with migrant communities and youth. Network member Intermedia 21 Association, for the promotion of media diversity and global issues launched with ALF the project called ‘It’s all in the Headline’, which trained 62 participants on how to become critical media consumers as part of the ALF’s ‘Restore Trust, Rebuild Bridges’ (2009) campaign.

The same year, the Regional ALF Training Seminar on ‘Reinforcing projects development capacity’ (2009), which gathered 30 participants from 12 EuroMed countries, was organised in cooperation with the Network. In the framework of the ALF’s first region-wide campaign ‘1001 Actions for Dialogue’ (2008), the Network led new actions, including ‘Dialogue in Practice’, which was organised by the World Public Forum on Dialogue of Civilizations and consisted of debates on cross-cultural issues such as religion and its relationship to politics.

58 civil society organisations are involved in the Austrian Network

12 new projects mobilised by the ALF through the '1001 Actions for Dialogue' campaign

Austria is one of the 29 countries surveyed for the Report on Intercultural Trends

25 CSOs represented at the ALF EuroMed Forums (Valletta (2016) / Marseille (2013))

Martin Traxl, Austrian journalist, received the Anna Lindh Journalist Award in 2009

The ALF Advisory Council Member: Heidi Dumreicher (former)

Israel, Netherlands and Denmark are among the countries that the Austrian Network most partnered with through the Anna Lindh Grant Programme

### Partnerships Established through Anna Lindh Grants

Denmark	5	Malta	2
France	1	Palestine	2
Germany	2	Netherlands	6
Hungary	4	Turkey	2
Israel	7		
Jordan	3		
Lebanon	3		

## ALF Network in Austria

### Main Projects with Austrian Civil Society Organisations

Projects	Austrian Organisation	Partner Countries
Start to listen – gender equality from the perspective of young people, 2020*	Grenzenlos Interkultureller Austausch - leader	Israel, Greece, Lebanon
Learning from Europe to Improve Intercultural Relations in Israel, 2020*	Austrian Study Centre for Peace and Conflict Resolution (ASPR) - partner	Israel, Italy
I Can Move Community Dance Palestine, 2013	Yante - Youth, Art and Levante - leader	Palestine
Intercultural Approach for CSO Advocacy Skills on Public Policies	Institute for Intercultural and Comparative Research - partner	Palestine, Egypt, Sweden, Tunisia, Turkey
Sounding Jerusalem, 2009	A.M.U.S.E. - leader	Palestine
ARTiculating Values: Youngsters Act in EuroMed, 2009	Interkulturelles Zentrum - leader	Denmark, Hungary, Israel, Netherlands, Turkey
Social Transformation in Inter-Cultural Conflict - Israel and Palestine, 2009	IICP - partner	Palestine, Germany, Israel
Brothers in Arms. Overcoming Violence Impact of the Civil War, 2009	Institute for Intercultural Research - partner	Palestine



ARTiculating Values: Youngsters Act in EuroMed, 2009	Austrian National Commission of UNESCO - partner	Denmark, Hungary, Israel, Netherlands, Turkey
EMSF: Dialogue Meetings & Knowledge Management, 2007	Interkulturelles Zentrum - leader	Denmark, Hungary, Israel, Jordan, Lebanon, Netherland
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EuroMediterranean School Forum 'Intercultural Dialogue', 2006	Interkulturelles Zentrum - leader	Lebanon, Denmark, Israel
MozartFest: Reaching Youth through Music, 2006	Werkstadt Graz - partner	Malta, Palestine, Germany, Israel
Prix RMC MO MUSIQUE, 2006	International Music and Media Centre - partner	France, Palestine, Jordan



## Main Actions Organised by Austrian Network

Activity	Organisation in Charge	Location	Involved Countries
R.E.S.P.E.K.T! – Negotiating diversity, 2015	Austrian Institute for International Affairs-oiip	Graz and Vienna	Austria
Democracy! But how?, 2014	Austrian Institute for International Affairs-oiip	Vienna	Austria
Unrest, Protest and Revolution: Sea Change in the Mediterranean, 2013	Austrian Institute for International Affairs-oiip	Vienna	Austria





*Currently the Network is coordinated by: Les Nouveaux Disparus*

*The ALF Belgian Network brings together organisations active in the areas of co-existence, education, art, culture, migration, youth, human rights and international relations. The Network considers that culture is not only an elitist domain and should be democratized as it is a vector of change. It arouses reflection and encounters, and it promotes social rapprochement. That is the message that the Network is carrying loud and clear through all of the projects.*

In 2020, various projects took place online. In particular, the Network launched the ‘Citizen Cafes’ that are focusing on the themes of racism and social interactions among young people during periods of confinement. ‘How to discover your city differently?’ (2016) was a project in which several Network members of the Belgian Network created ballads in different regions to make the public discover unusual places. ‘Walk to Meet Diversity’ was a guided journey to discover five neighborhoods in different Belgian cities, inviting people to better understand the living conditions of others.



The Belgium Network participated in the Cross-Network Activity ‘Non-formal and Intercultural Education in the Mediterranean’ (2016) in Tarragona; 108 associations from 12 European and Arab countries discussed and put into practice innovative ways of understanding and promoting non-formal education in EuroMed countries to acquire knowledge, skills and new approaches. The

bestowing ceremony of the 10th edition of the EuroMed Dialogue Award 2015 that involved 250 CSOs from the region and highlighted the importance of challenging misperceptions and overcoming stereotypes in the region took place in Brussels.

In 2014, the Network organised a panel discussion in the Belgian Parliament about the dialogue of cultures in the EuroMed region. The same year, the Belgian Network participated in a large gathering on the theme ‘Art, Instrument & Expression of Social Transformations’ in Taroudant, Morocco (2014), providing spaces for exchange of ideas and opinions. Through discussions, workshops in schools, spaces for dialogue, street performances and art exhibitions, representatives of seven EuroMed countries shared their thoughts and best practices on art and social change. During 2012 and 2013, members of the Network developed the project ‘We Tube, Smash shots in a clip!’, a video competition for young people between 15 and 20 years old who aimed at breaking down prejudices and cultural stereotypes by making video clips. Youngsters produced a number of videos, humorous and sometimes provocative, about issues of cultural diversity.

109 civil society organisations are involved in the Belgian Network

31 CSOs represented at the ALF EuroMed Forums (Valletta (2016) / Barcelona (2010))

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Jamila Zekhnini and Hugues Dorzée received the Anna Lindh Journalist Award in 2008

Leonce Bekemans is one of the key members of the team who took part in writing the "Intercultural Citizenship Handbook"

Belgium is one of the 29 countries surveyed for the Report on Intercultural Trends

The ALF Advisory Council Member: Marie Claire Foblets (former)

### Partnerships Established through Anna Lindh Grants

Algeria	7	Israel	2	Poland	2
Denmark	1	Italy	3	Portugal	1
Egypt	10	Jordan	10	Romania	1
France	6	Lebanon	4	Spain	1
Germany	3	Lithuania	1	Syria	1
Greece	2	Morocco	9	Tunisia	5
Ireland	1	Palestine	6	Turkey	2

## ALF Network in Belgium

### Main Projects with Belgian Civil Society Organisations

Projects	Belgian Organisation	Partner Countries
Christmas Souk, 2020*	Les Nouveaux Disparus Asbl - leader and New Disappeared Asbl - partner	Tunisia, Luxembourg, Mauritania
Anna Lindh Virtual Academy, 2020*	System and Generation International Association AISBL -partner	Morocco, Germany, Turkey, United Kingdom, Ireland
Anna Lindh Virtual Academy, 2020*	Coordonnées des Nouveaux Disparus -partner	Morocco, Germany, Turkey, United Kingdom, Ireland
Interculture dialogue to combat hate speech, 2020*	La Compagnie des Nouveaux Disparus - partner	Latvia, Luxembourg, Spain, Egypt
ÉDUQUER DANS LA DIVERSITÉ, CONSTRUIRE LA CITOYENNETÉ, 2020*	La Compagnie des Nouveaux Disparus asbl	Spain, Morocco
MEDIMAGES: Apprendre aux Jeunes par le Cinéma, 2013	Association Artistique Espèces d`Espace	Egypt, Jordan, Morocco
Le Parlement des Enfants, 2012	Le Monde des Possibles	Palestine
Meeting Points 6, Flashpoint I, 2010	Young Arab Theatre Fund aisbl - leader	Jordan, Lebanon, Syria

Reconciling Religion and Gender in Migration - 2010	CEJI - leader	Turkey
The Role of Interfaith Cooperation in Immigrants' Integration, 2010	URI Europe Belgium - partner	Jordan, Israel, Morocco, Romania
PASS 2009, 2009	Koninklijke Vlaamse Schouwburg (KVS) - leader	Palestine
Festival Voix de Femmes EuroMed, 2009	Mediana - leader	France, Morocco, Tunisia
Travail Autour de la Communication non Violente et de l'inter Culturalité, 2009	Université de Paix - partner	Algeria
EuroMediterranean Abrahamic Forum, 2009	Via dialoog, Flemish Centre for Culture and Diversity - partner	Israel, Jordan, Palestine, Poland
Fananat, 2009	Voix de Femmes - partner	France, Morocco, Tunisia
Intercultural Understanding Every Day, ICU Everyday, 2009	South East European Youth Network SEEYN - partner	Turkey, France, Germany, Italy, Montenegro, Palestine, Sweden
FUNDUQ, Héritage, Recherche et Création, 2007	TALIA Association Sans But Lucratif - leader	Algeria, Italy, Tunisia
EuroMed Cafe, 2007	Association Artistique Espèce d'Espace - leader	Algeria, Denmark, Egypt, Greece, Italy, Lebanon
Trapeze, 2007	Young Arab Theatre Fund a.i.s.b.l - leader	Egypt, Germany, Jordan
EuroMed Public Administration Researchers Network (EUMEPAR-Network), 2006	K.U.Leuven - leader	Lebanon, Spain, Algeria
Med-Youth Creating a Sustainable Med-Future, 2006	VZW Meisjeshuis - Jeugdhuis Kaarderij - partner	Greece, Turkey, Italy, Egypt, Poland, Jordan, Palestine
EuroMed Journalism Students Spring School, 2006	Institut Hautes Etudes Communication Sociale	France, Morocco, Egypt

## Main Actions Organised by Belgian Network

Activity	Organisation in Charge	Location	Involved Countries
Education Non Formelle et Interculturelle en Méditerranée, 2016	MEDEA - partner	Spain	Morocco, Algeria, France, Ireland, Jordan, Lebanon, Lithuania, Palestine, Portugal, Tunisia, Belgium
Ballades à la rencontre de la diversité culturelle, 2015	MEDEA	Brussels, Gand, Liège and Anvers	Belgium
We Tube, Smash Clichés in a Clip, 2012 - 2014	European Institute for Research on Mediterranean and Euro-Arab Cooperation	Bruxelles, Anvers, Gand	Belgium, Morocco
L'art Instrument et Expression des Transformations Sociales, 2014	Moroccan Network	Taroudant	Belgium, Morocco, Tunisia, Sweden, Ireland, Spain, Luxemburg
Conférence-débat sur le dialogue des cultures euro-méditerranéenne, 2014	MEDEA	Bruxelles	Belgium



*Currently the Network is coordinated by: Youth Resource Centre (ORC) Tuzla*  
*The Bosnian ALF Network objective is the empowerment of their CSO members through capacity-building activities and long-term partnerships on the national as well as regional level. They have been focusing on intercultural dialogue across the fields of media, arts, gender, heritage, human rights, innovation, religion, youth and education.*

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At the beginning of the Covid-19 pandemic, the Head of Network launched the #Stay Home—Team of Tuzla Volunteers (2020) with the aim of helping the elderly citizens and citizens at risk. The Network implemented the EU-funded media and youth projects, ‘Strengthening Civil Society in Bosnia and Herzegovina to Identify and Monitor Online Threats on Social Media’ (2020) and ‘Even salt looks like sugar’ (2020). ‘Women, health and science’ was the workshop coordinated by the Network of Bosnia and Herzegovina as part of the Cross-Network Activity Kimiyya (2017) that aimed at strengthening the role of women in EuroMed civil society as actors of dialogue and to increase their participation in decision-making. Seven Networks participated in this activity in Naples, Italy.

The three-day conference entitled ‘The ALF B&H Forum’ in 2014 brought together members with the ALF Head of Network from the Mediterranean region and local NGOs and political leaders. The workshops centred on media and public opinion, gender equality, and local civic activism. The ALF-granted project, Intercultural Understanding Every Day, ICU Every Day (2009/10), took place in Turkey and Bosnia and Herzegovina, with Network member SEEYN playing a leading role as a main partner. The project, which focused on promoting cross-cultural relations through youth work, involved 40 NGOs through a series of seminars. The Network launched an awareness campaign with the ALF Network support entitled ‘Youth: Responsible—Tolerant’ (2009) that focused on promoting anti-discrimination among local communities in 20 cities.

The same year, the Network promoted ‘10 Open Cities in BiH’ (2009) in the fields of coexistence and multiculturalism. Ten members of the Network in the cities of Banja Luka, Bratunac, Bosanski Petrovac, Brčko, Derventa, Jablanica, Milići, Priboj, Prijedor and Tuzla organised public debates attended by representatives of the authorities, national minority associations and citizens. The Head of Network organisation was one of the main partners in the international project ‘Caravan Without Borders’, in the implementation of the DRAFT Theatre in Tuzla.

46 civil society organisations are involved in the Bosnia and Herzegovina Network

Turkey, Montenegro, Italy and Slovenia are among the countries that the Network most partnered with through the Anna Lindh Grant Programme

10 CSOs represented at the ALF EuroMed Forums (Valletta (2016) / Barcelona (2010))

The action 'Increase Knowledge-Celebrate Diversity' was carried out within the country's two entities of Federation of BiH and Republic of Srpska in 2012

Bosnia and Herzegovina is one of the 29 countries surveyed for the Report on Intercultural Trends

20 cities across the country involved in the awareness campaign entitled 'Youth: Responsible-Tolerant' to promote tolerance, mutual work and anti-discrimination among local communities

## Partnerships Established through Anna Lindh Grants

Albania	1	France	2	Montenegro	3	Tunisia	1
Algeria	1	Germany	1	Morocco	1	Turkey	8
Bulgaria	2	Italy	3	Palestine	1	UK	1
Cyprus	1	Lebanon	1	Slovenia	3		
Egypt	1	Malta	1	Sweden	1		

## ALF Network in Bosnia and Herzegovina

### Main Projects with Bosnian and Herzegovian Civil Society Organisations

Projects	Bosnian & Herzegovian Organisation	Partner Countries
Mitigating Online Radicalisation and Hate Speech, 2020*	Foundation Humanity in Action Bosnia and Herzegovina	Lebanon, Slovak Republic
Intercultural cities, 2020*	Youth Resource Center (ORC) Tuzla - partner	Sweden, Slovenia, Israel, Czech Republic, Hungary, Finland
WATERanean, building an interculture of water in MED area, 2015	Women association "Priroda" Bratunac and Oxfam Italia in Bosnia and Herzegovina - partners	Lebanon, Italy
Learning indeed, 2015	Youth Club "Under the Same Sun" - partner	Turkey
Culture of Diversity, 2013	PRONI Center for Youth Development - leader	Cyprus, Egypt
Festival of EuroMed Contemporary Arts Culture Versus Crisis, 2012	Draft Theatre - partner	Bulgaria, Turkey
Theatre Caravan without Borders, 2010	Youth Resource Centre (ORC) Tuzla - partner	Bulgaria, Montenegro, Slovenia, Turkey
Theatre Caravan without Borders, 2010	Theatre Caravan without Borders - leader	Bulgaria, Montenegro, Slovenia, Turkey
Intercultural Understanding Every Day, ICU Everyday, 2009	South East European Youth Network SEEYN - partner	Turkey, France, Germany, Italy, Montenegro, Palestine, Sweden

## Main Actions Organised by Bosnian & Herzegovian Network

Activity	Organisation in Charge	Location	Involved Countries
3.S for Intercultural Citizenship Education, 2017	Youth Resource Center (ORC) Tuzla - partner	Italy, Morocco, Turkey	Slovenia, Bosnia and Herzegovina, UK, Morocco, Turkey
Kimiyya. Les Femmes actrices du Dialogue, 2017	Youth Resource Center (ORC) Tuzla - partner	France, Tunisia Algeria, Malta, Albania, Bosnia, Italy	France, Tunisia Algeria, Malta, Albania, Bosnia, Italy
Kermis of Culture, 2015	DIS Youth Theatre	Vitez and Tuzla	Bosnia
ALF Bosnia and Herzegovina Forum, 2014	Youth Resource Center (ORC) Tuzla	Tuzla, Sarajevo, Banja Luka	Bosnia and Herzegovina
Increase Knowledge Celebrate Diversity, 2012	Draft Theatre	Brčko and Tuzla	Bosnia and Herzegovina

*Currently the Network is coordinated by: Association International Initiatives for Cooperation The Bulgarian Network aims at promoting participation of local communities in the local governance decision-making process, and social and economic development of the country. Members are mainly working on ethnic integration, conflict resolution and environmental protection.*

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In 2020, the Head of Network published the Community Work Guide of the ‘COOL Project’. Over a period of three years, the Network collected good practices on topics such as non-formal education at schools, activities with the elderly, team building and intercultural nights to support the work of CSOs within their local community. The ‘Translation Collider’ project of Network member Next Page Foundation gathered translators and writers for a workshop and residency stay in Sofia (Bulgaria) in 2017. At the end of the project, a catalogue of author profiles and sample translations into Arabic was offered to publishers, readers and organisations.

The National Network launched the ‘Back to Back: EuroMediterranean Web-Radio’ communication platform for member activities in 2012/2013. The online radio station involved youth and civil society groups in media programming with the support of trained journalists, broadcasting at a local and international level. The Network also carried out a selection of activities for the ALF’s ‘Restore Trust, Rebuild Bridges’ (2009) initiative. The ‘Lessons for Peace’ project gathered 12 specialists (teachers, psychologists, intercultural trainers) for the production of a booklet on teaching peace methods in schools; the UNESCO Club-Bulgaria presented the project ‘To be a Day, To be Peace’. The Bulgarian Network mobilised several actions, and partnered with other National Networks on common initiatives as part of the ALF’s ‘1001 Actions for Dialogue’ (2008) campaign.

109 civil society organisations are involved in the Bulgarian Network

Turkey, Jordan and Egypt are among the main countries that Bulgaria cooperated with through the Anna Lindh Grant Programme

19 CSOs represented at the ALF EuroMed Forums (Valletta (2016) / Marseille (2013))

The ‘Sea of Words’ creative writing workshop 2010, took place in Sofia with young writers from around the region who had been awarded

12 new projects mobilised by the ALF through the ‘1001 Actions for Dialogue’ campaign

12 specialists gathered in 2009 for the production of a booklet on peace-teaching methods in schools

## Partnerships Established through Anna Lindh Grants

Algeria	3	Greece	1	Montenegro	1	Slovenia	1
Bosnia Herzegovina	3	Ireland	1	Morocco	2	Spain	2
Cyprus	1	Israel	2	Palestine	3	Netherlands	2
Egypt	4	Italy	3	Poland	1	Tunisia	2
France	1	Jordan	5	Romania	2	Turkey	7

## ALF Network in Bulgaria

### Main Projects with Bulgarian Civil Society Organisations

Projects	Bulgarian Organisation	Partner Countries
EuroMed The Flying Classroom, 2020*	Alliance for Regional and Civil Initiatives (ARCI) - leader	Turkey, Tunisia
Translation Collider 1, 2015	Next Page Foundation - leader	Egypt, Turkey
Different Cultures - Common Values, 2015	Alliance for Regional and Civil Initiatives (ARCI) - leader	Tunisia, Turkey, Cyprus
4D Women's Empowerment!, 2013	Youth and Civil Initiatives in the Rose Valley - leader	Egypt
Improved Awareness of Religious, Cultural and Human Dimensions in Support of Sustainable Development, 2012	Information and Nature Conservation Foundation - leader	Hungary, Bulgaria
Festival of EuroMed Contemporary Arts Culture Versus Crisis, 2012	Balkan Agency for Sustainable Development - leader	Bosnia and Herzegovina, Turkey
Theatre Caravan without Borders, 2010	Balkan Agency for Sustainable Development - partner	Bosnia and Herzegovina, Montenegro, Slovenia, Turkey
Communication Respect: Teaching Business Etiquette and Intercultural Communication, 2010	International University College - partner	Palestine
Communication Respect: Teaching Business Etiquette and Intercultural Communication, 2010	International Management Institute - leader	Palestine
Teaching the Anatomy of Peace to Sport Instructors and the Creation of a Network, 2009	Primary School St Cyril and Methodius - partner	Cyprus, Ireland, Israel, Morocco
Peace Bag for EuroMed Youth, 2009	United Nations Association of Bulgaria - partner	Spain, Bulgaria, Egypt, Greece, Jordan, Palestine, Poland, Tunisia, Turkey
Training Course to Enhance the Intercultural Capacity of Youth Workers and Educators, 2009	Aha Moments - leader	Israel, Jordan, Turkey
L'Odyssée du Danube, 2007	Fondation Avanstzena - partner	France, Algeria, Italy, Morocco, Romania, Spain

## Main Actions Organised by Bulgarian Network

Activity	Organisation in Charge	Location	Involved Countries
National Alliance for Volunteer Action (NAVA), 2015	Youth Multiplayers for Intercultural Dialogue	Plovdiv Sofia and Haskovo	Bulgaria
Back to Back: EuroMed Web Radio - the Continuation, 2013	International Initiatives for Cooperation	EuroMed Countries	Bulgaria
Back to Back: EuroMed Web Radio, 2012	International Initiatives for Cooperation	EuroMed Countries	Bulgaria





*Network is currently coordinated by: National Foundation for Civil Society Development*  
*The Croatian ALF Network has the overall objective defined as empowering the Croatian civil society organisations as agents of change, focusing on intercultural dialogue in the EuroMed area by enhancing and fostering coordination, mobilisation and development, as well as supporting the National Network members in promoting the ALF programmes and activities.*

The Croatian Network was involved in the preparations for the MedForum2020 at a very high level of readiness—including a comprehensive list of 441 participants from local NGOs. Pre-Forum events were organised in 2019 in Primošten and Zadar. In 2020, a research was conducted in the form of a questionnaire, providing results that further supported an increased interest amongst CSOs for an initiative that would focus on possible strengthening of the local communities enriched by a higher level of social capital and social innovations led by civil society organisations as change-makers in local communities.

In 2012 and 2014, the artistic initiative ‘Common Values: The Signs with Human Dimension’ centred on visualising positive values through the production and exhibition of road signs in urban spaces. At the meeting of senior officials of the EuroMed Partnership, the ALF exhibition, ‘Faces of the Mediterranean’ (2010) opened in Dubrovnik; a common action of the ALF’s National Networks in Croatia, Montenegro, Greece, Lebanon, Bulgaria and Cyprus. In the framework of the ‘Restore Trust, Rebuild Bridges’ (2009) initiative, the Network launched a number of projects, including ‘Cross-Border Cooperation for a Brighter Future’, presented by the DESA organisation in Dubrovnik, which involved debates, presentations and workshops about sustainable development. Further, the action ‘Future in our Hands’ was presented by the Open Academy Step by Step organisation, with six NGOs from Croatia, FYROM, Serbia, Slovenia, Montenegro and Bosnia and Herzegovina jointly implementing a three-day training for 150 teacher trainers to establish new partnerships and exchange good practices aimed at enabling equal access to quality education.

84 civil society organisations are involved in the Croatian Network

Israel and Finland are among the main countries that Croatia cooperated with through the Anna Lindh Grant Programme

23 CSOs represented at the ALF EuroMed Forums (Valletta (2016) / Barcelona (2010))

The ALF Advisory Council Member: Prof. Joško Božanić

Croatia is one of the 29 countries surveyed for the Report on Intercultural Trends

150 teacher trainers trained in the framework of the ‘Restore Trust, Rebuild Bridges’ Initiative with a focus of partnership-building and Networking

10 cities (Zagreb, Rijeka, Pula, Petrinja, Omis, Delnice, Velika, Gorica, Dubrovnik and Zadar) displayed and hosted the photo exhibition ‘Faces of the Mediterranean’ organised by the Croatian Head of Network



## Partnerships Established through Anna Lindh Grants

Estonia	1	Netherlands	1
Finland	2	Turkey	1
Greece	1		
Israel	2		
Morocco	1		

## ALF Network in Croatia

### Main Projects with Croatian Civil Society Organisations

Projects	Croatian Organisation	Partner Countries
Femmes des îles, moteurs d'un tourisme durable, 2020*	Nature Park Lastovo Islands - partner	Tunisia, Greece, France, United Kingdom
Art of Democracy in EuroMed region, 2015	Association of Petit Philosophy, Udruga "Mala filozofija" - leader	Turkey
Let's Do It Mediterranean!, 2013	Udruga Žmergo	Sweden, Egypt, Estonia, France, Israel, Montenegro, Palestine, Portugal, Slovenia, Tunisia
HYDRIA, 2012	Institute for the Mediterranean Economy Perspectives - leader	Greece, Algeria, Egypt, France, Italy, Jordan, Lebanon, Morocco, Palestine, Portugal, Tunisia
Going ahead with EuroMed: Intercultural Training Seminar for Teachers Involved in Student Exchanges, 2012	City of Zagreb, City Office for Education, Culture and Sports - leader	Germany, Israel, Spain, Jordan
Give Me Your Hand for Next Step: Developing Tools for Interethnic Dialogue and Peace- Building, 2012	Centre for Peace, Nonviolence and Human Rights Osijek - leader	Israel, Netherlands
Facilitating Political Dialogue in the Baltico- Mediterranean Axis, 2009	EKO LIBURNIA Association - leader	Finland, Estonia, Greece, Israel, Morocco
Women's Pathways to Peace, Regional Conference, 2009	Ecumenical Women's Initiative - leader	Palestine
Intercultural Understanding Every Day, ICU Everyday, 2009	South East European Youth Network SEEYN - partner	Turkey, France, Germany, Italy, Montenegro, Palestine, Sweden

### Main Actions Organised by Croatian Network

Activity	Organisation in Charge	Location	Involved Countries
Festival of Tolerance - Educational Mornings, 2015	Zagreb Jewish Film Festival	Zagreb	Croatia
Common Values - the Signs with Human Dimension II, 2014	National Foundation for Civil Society Development	Multiple locations	Croatia
Common Values - the Signs with Human Dimension, 2012	National Foundation for Civil Society Development	Multiple locations	Croatia



*Currently the Network is coordinated by: Rooftop Theatre and NGO Support Centre  
The Cypriot ALF Network is promoting intercultural dialogue both within the island and in the region, simultaneously creating synergies and building bridges among citizens. The Network in Cyprus is active in EuroMed dialogue through meetings, debates, trainings, events and funding of projects.*

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The Cypriot Network and the Friends of Europe jointly organised an online debate titled, ‘Has intercultural education been permanently impacted by Covid-19? SDG in the EuroMed’ (2020), along with an online high-level policy insight to address the issue of sustainable development in the EuroMed Region and how the 2030 Agenda aligns with Covid-19 recovery. The Network hosted the ‘ALF Intercultural Trends Report’ (2019) event that took place at the premises of the University of Cyprus and organised a youth debate looking at language as a barrier to communication and stereotypes and the influence language has on the behaviours of people (2019). The same year, Josie Christodoulou (Gender Advisor to the Minister of Foreign Affairs) and Anca Clivet (Hope For Children CRC Policy Center), represented Cyprus at the @EuroMedWomenforDialogueForum in Amman.

A follow-up action to the Head of Network meeting, ‘Intercultural Dialogue in Crisis: Lending a Voice to NGOs’ was launched in 2014. The Network played an active role in the ALF’s 2010 multi-country photography exhibition, ‘Faces of the Mediterranean’. In 2008, the Network hosted the ‘Sea of Words’ regional workshop on creative writing, bringing together 30 winning writers from 24 EuroMed countries, and coordinated the first ‘Dialogue Night’ at the Castle of Limassol with youth from the Greek and Turkish-Cypriot community.

The regional training course on ‘Cultural Conflict Resolution and Project Development’ took place in Nicosia in 2007 with more than 70 teachers and youth workers from 32 EuroMed countries. In collaboration with the National Network, the ALF hosted a number of EuroMed meetings and conferences in Cyprus, commencing in 2006 with the EuroMed Youth Forum on Intercultural and Interfaith Dialogue.



51 civil society organisations are involved in the Cypriot Network

Spain, Egypt, Jordan and Morocco are among the main countries the Cypriot Network has cooperated with through the Anna Lindh Grants Programme

Cyprus is one of the 29 countries surveyed for the Report on Intercultural Trends

15 CSOs represented at the ALF EuroMed Forums (Valletta (2016) / Marseille (2013))

17 new projects mobilised by the ALF through the '1001 Actions for Dialogue' campaign, with a major common event for the Dialogue Night

Conflicts Resolution and Project Development Training with 70 youth workers and teachers' training in Nicosia

In 2008, the Cypriot Network hosted the workshop on creative writing bringing together 'Sea of Words' winners

### Partnerships Established through Anna Lindh Grants

Belgium	1	Germany	3	Jordan	4
Bulgaria	2	Greece	1	Lebanon	3
Czech Republic	1	Ireland	1	Morocco	4
Egypt	5	Israel	1	Palestine	2
France	1	Italy	3	Spain	7
				Tunisia	1
				Turkey	3

### ALF Network in Cyprus Main Projects with Cypriot Civil Society Organisations

Projects	Cypriot Organisation	Partner Countries
Mothers and daughters: narratives on sexuality and relationships, 2020*	Mediterranean Institute of Gender Studies	Cyprus
Mothers and daughters: narratives on sexuality and relationships, 2020*	Cyprus Family Planning Association (CFPA) - partner	Lebanon
Artists in Residence: Exploration of Art, Humanity and Dialogue, 2020*	Visual Voices - partner	Jordan, Lebanon
Brush meets Melody – EuroMed Art Connection, 2015	Cyprus Community Media Centre (CCMC) and Ideogramma ICFFCY - partner	Germany, Morocco
Different Cultures - Common Values, 2015	Future Worlds Center (Cyprus Neuroscience and Technology Institute) - partner	Bulgaria, Tunisia, Turkey
Culture of Diversity, 2013	Youth Power "Neaniki Dynami" - partner	Bosnia and Herzegovina, Egypt

Act Now for the Migrant Domestic Workers in Cyprus and in Lebanon!, 2013	AEQUITAS - partner	Lebanon
Buffer Zone, 2012	European Mediterranean Art Association - partner	Turkey, Germany
EuroMediterranean Youth Music Expo, 2012	Epilogi Cultural Movement - leader	Belgium, Germany, Jordan
Roots and Branches, Empathy and Population Flows, 2010	Olive Tree Music - partner	France, Morocco
Teaching the Anatomy of Peace to Sport Instructors and the Creation of a Network, 2009	PeacePlayers Cyprus - leader	Bulgaria, Ireland, Israel, Morocco
Compass to Multi-Culturalism, 2009	University of Nicosia - leader	Jordan
EuroMediterranean Youth Forum for Gender Citizenship Education, 2007	Mediterranean Institute of Gender Studies - leader	Lebanon, Palestine, Spain
IDEAmed2007: 'Identity and Education Across the Mediterranean', 2007	Mediterranean Institute of Gender Studies - partner	Spain, Egypt, Italy, Lebanon
EuroMediterranean Youth Forum for Gender Citizenship Education, 2007	IMCS Intercollege Ltd - partner	Lebanon, Palestine, Spain
Programme for the Study of Islam in Europe - 2006	IMCS Intercollege LTD - partner	Egypt, Czech Republic, Germany, Jordan
Going Public '06: Atlante Mediterraneo, 2006	Artos Foundation - partner	Italy, Egypt, Spain, Turkey
Intercultural Dialogue on Violence Against Women, 2006	Mediterranean Institute of Gender Studies - leader	Morocco, Greece, Egypt
The Mediterranean 'Brain Drain', 2006	Research and Development Center - leader	Turkey, Italy, Jordan

## Main Actions Organised by Cypriot Network

Activity	Organisation in Charge	Location	Involved Countries
Gender as a missing lens – How to introduce gender into history teaching, 2015	Association for Historical Dialogue and Research/ Cyprus	Nicosia, Famagusta and Limassol	Cyprus
Intercultural Dialogue in Crisis: Listening to NGOs, 2014	CCEIA University of Nicosia	Nicosia, Limassol	Cyprus
Dialogue Days: Living On the Edge, 2012	CCEIA University of Nicosia	Nicosia	Cyprus





*Currently the Network is coordinated by: Institute of International Relations*

*The Czech ALF Network gathers cultural associations, universities, youth organisations, and others whose activities aim to inspire intercultural openness and dialogue. They work on culturally and politically relevant topics concerning intercultural dialogue among EuroMed countries to enhance public discussion.*

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In 2019 and 2020, the Czech Network actively participated in the conference on ‘Intercultural and Interfaith Dialogue’ organised and hosted by the Czech Ministry of Foreign Affairs, with the aim to contribute to long-term global efforts enhancing mutual understanding and multilateral cooperation. Fruitful cooperation with Arab embassies in the Czech Republic on the first-ever Czech-Arab Library began in 2018. A unique collection of quality modern literature written in Arabic with translation to Czech, English and French is now available at the IIR Library to the Czech public and students and foreigners living in the Czech Republic.

‘BeEffective!EnhancingIntercultural Dialogue Media Skills in Central and Eastern Europe’ (2017), was a Cross-Network Activity led by the Czech Head of Network, partnering with eight Networks. It developed media and communication skills and capacities through a series of trainings in graphic design and video production with the objective of using them to counter xenophobia and all forms of discrimination.



The initiative ‘Arab and Muslim Community in the Czech Republic and EU countries’ (2014) included several research and dialogue activities on migration issues. A series of actions on ‘The Perception of the Arab Spring revolutionary events in the Czech Republic’ took place in 2012. The Network also coordinated a series of cultural events in 2011 focused on the EuroMed region (‘Dialogue through Cultural Feeling’) including an evening of Arab poetry reading.

In 2009, the Czech Network organised a seminar about the future of Palestinian-Israeli relations with a photography exhibition by Jana Hunterová and a public debate on Islam in the Czech Republic. The ‘Month of Dialogue and Debate’, as part of the ALF’s ‘1001 Actions for Dialogue’ campaign in 2008, included a series of Arab film screenings and debates with young people; a children’s exhibition on ‘The Image of the Arab World’ was promoted nationwide by the United Nations office in Prague.

57 civil society organisations are involved in the Czech Network

Hungary, Poland, Egypt and Slovak Republic are among the main countries the Czech Network has cooperated with through the Anna Lindh Grants Programme

7 CSOs represented at the ALF EuroMed Forums (Valletta (2016) / Marseille (2013))

Czech Republic is one of the 29 countries surveyed for the Report on Intercultural Trends

In April 2010, the Head of Network organised a tour for the winner of the EuroMed Dialogue Award

In October 2009, the Head of Network organised in the framework of the Months of Arabic Culture a seminar about the future of Palestinian-Israeli relations, with the participation of the photographer Jana Hunterová

12 projects mobilised by the ALF through the '1001 Actions for Dialogue' campaign for 2008 Year of Dialogue

The ALF Advisory Council Member: Eduard Gombard (former)

## Partnerships Established through Anna Lindh Grants

Cyprus	1	Israel	1	Slovenia	2
Denmark	1	Jordan	1	Spain	1
Egypt	4	Lebanon	1	Sweden	1
Finland	1	Lithuania	1	Syria	3
France	1	Morocco	1	Tunisia	2
Germany	2	Poland	5	Turkey	1
Hungary	8	Slovakia	4		

## ALF Network in Czech Republic Main Projects with Czech Civil Society Organisations

Projects	Czech Organisation	Partner Countries
MOVEMENT, 2020*	Agency for Migration & Adaptation AMIGA -partner	Ireland, Slovenia, Palestine, Egypt, Ireland
Intercultural cities, 2020*	Institute of international relations IIR - partner	Sweden, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Israel, Slovenia, Hungary, Finland
Muslims Living in Visegrad Countries, 2010	Czech Council on Foreign Relations - partner	Hungary, Poland, Slovak Republic, Syria
Muslims Living in Visegrad Countries, 2010	Swallow Club - partner	Hungary, Poland, Slovak Republic, Syria
Muslims Living in Visegrad Countries, 2010	Institute of International Relations - leader	Hungary, Poland, Slovak Republic, Syria



ENAWU, Electronic Network for Arab-West Understanding, 2007	Centre for Middle Eastern Studies - partner	Egypt, France, Germany, Lebanon
Crossroad of Cultures, 2007	Swallow Club - partner	Egypt, Denmark, Spain, Tunisia, Turkey
Programme for the Study of Islam in Europe, 2006	Asociace pro mezinarodni otazky - partner	Egypt, Germany, Jordan, Cyprus

## Main Actions Organised by Czech Network

Activity	Organisation in Charge	Location	Involved Countries
Intercultural cities, 2017	Institute of International Relations Prague (IIR) - partner	Israel, Finland, Sweden, Poland, Czech R., Hungary, Slovenia	Israel, Finland, Sweden, Poland, Czech R., Hungary, Slovenia
Be Effective! Enhancing Intercultural Dialogue Media Skills in Central and Eastern Europe, 2017	Institute of International Relations Prague (IIR) - leader	Czech Republic, Hungary, Slovenia, Poland, Slovakia, Lithuania	Czech Republic, Hungary, Slovenia, Poland, Slovakia, Lithuania, Tunisia, Morocco
Understanding through Humour, 2015	Insaan: Czech Arab Centre for Cultural Dialogue	Prague, Olomouc	Czech Republic
Arab and Muslim Community in the Czech Republic and EU Countries: The Search for Ways to Mutual Understanding and Cooperation, 2014	Institute of International Relations Prague (IIR)	Prague, Brno, Pilzen	Czech Republic
The Perception of the Arab Spring Revolutionary Events in the Czech Republic, 2012	Institute of International Relations Prague (IIR)	Prague, Pilzen, Brno, Zlin	Czech Republic





*The Danish Anna Lindh Foundation Network members are involved in art and culture, education and research, media and communication, refugees and humanitarian work, religion and interfaith dialogue, youth work, gender issues and human rights work.*

In the summer of 2020, the ALF Danish Network gathered its members for a coordination meeting. In 2017, the ALF-granted project of Crossing Borders Intern, entitled 'Youth to Youth (Y2Y)—Inclusion, Democracy and Sunshine' was implemented during the Danish political festival Folkemøde that attracts people from all over the country. Crossing Borders shared a tent with the organisation RIKO, and coordinated events on Identity and Integration. People were encouraged to share their stories and opinions on ICD topics. Three members of the Danish organisation 'GAME—Denmark, Globale Skolepartnerskaber, Danmission' (representing the Head of Network institution in Denmark) took part in MEDForum 2016.

As part of the annual night of free cultural activities in Copenhagen, the ALF supported the 'Night of (inter) Culture' (2012). The event presented the Egyptian hip-hop group Arabian Nights, among other hip-hop artists. The International People's School hosted an ALF-supported seminar on how to develop knowledge-sharing mechanisms for organisations working within the MENA region. An evening seminar was also organised by the Head of Network that shed light on the Syrian media-vacuum with presentations by a Syrian media activist and journalist.

At the start of 2011, in the framework of the Danish-Arab Partnership Programme, a series of events were organised, including the 'Arab Domino' which debated the social uprisings in Egypt and Tunisia and the role of Danish NGOs in supporting the process of democratic transition in the Arab region. As part of the 'My World Images' festival in 2010, the Danish Network organised with the ALF support the theatre play 'Do you know my world?' involving local youth, a photo exhibition 'Modernity in our lives' with young Palestinians, and a 'Speed Dating' Networking initiative with civil society groups.

52 civil society organisations are involved in the Danish Network

Israel, Austria, Jordan and Egypt are among the countries that the Danish Network has partnered with through the Anna Lindh Grants Programme

9 CSOs represented at the ALF EuroMed Forums (Valletta (2016) / Marseille (2013))

The ALF Advisory Council Member: Helle Elizabeth Malmvig (2005-2008)

12 new projects mobilised by the ALF through the '1001 Actions for Dialogue' campaign

1,500 events in 9 Danish cities involving more than 500 visiting artists and 175 Danish organisations took place during one of the largest cultural festivals in Europe about the Middle East entitled 'Images of the Middle East'

Denmark is one of the 29 countries surveyed for the Report on Intercultural Trends

## Partnerships Established through Anna Lindh Grants

Algeria	3	Finland	1	Jordan	6	Sweden	11
Austria	1	France	4	Lebanon	22	Netherlands	5
Belgium	1	Germany	16	Morocco	14	Tunisia	2
Czech Republic	8	Greece	1	Palestine	15	Turkey	5
Denmark	5	Hungary	1	Poland	2		
Egypt	1	Israel	9	Slovak Republic	1		
Estonia	4	Italy	1	Spain	8		

## ALF Network in Denmark

### Main Projects with Danish Civil Society Organisations

Projects	Danish Organisation	Partner Countries
Art Attack: Performance Art for Gender Equality (PAGE), 2020*	Crossing Borders - leader	Lebanon, Morocco, Greece, Egypt
Youth to Youth (Y2Y) - deliberations and sharing of experiences on the current Mediterranean Refugee and Migrant Crisis: its challenges, impacts and opportunities', 2015	Crossing Borders - leader	Turkey, Sweden, Lebanon
Treasured Trash, 2013	Råderum - Mobile Office for Contemporary Art - partner	Egypt, Italy
Discovering Diversity: An Integrative Approach towards the History of Migration, 2009	Danish History Teachers Association - partner	Netherlands, Germany, Morocco, Poland, Slovak Republic, Turkey
ARTiculating Values: Youngsters act in EuroMed, 2009	UNGDOMSBYEN - partner	Austria, Hungary, Israel, Netherlands, Turkey
EMSF: Dialogue Meetings and Knowledge Management, 2007	UNGDOMSBYEN - partner	Austria, Hungary, Israel, Jordan, Lebanon, Netherland
HAKAYA: The Centrality of Stories for Art, Dialogue and Life, 2007	Association for International Cooperation - partner	Jordan, France, Lebanon
Crossroad of Cultures, 2007	Side by Side - partner	Egypt, Czech Republic, Spain, Tunisia, Turkey
EuroMed Cafe, 2007	European Journalist Centre - partner	Belgium, Algeria, Egypt, Greece, Italy, Lebanon
Media Skills Development for Dialogue, 2007	Crossing Borders - leader	Germany, Israel, Palestine
Choreographic Platform for Dance Development, 2006	Royal Theatre Ballet School in Odense - partner	Jordan, Sweden, Egypt
EuroMediterranean School Forum 'Intercultural Dialogue', 2006	Danish National Commission for UNESCO - partner	Austria, Lebanon, Israel
Crossing Borders Youth Living Cooperatively, 2006	Crossing Borders - leader	Germany, Israel, Palestine
Choreographic Platform for Dance Development, 2006	Danish Center for Culture and Development - leader	Jordan, Sweden, Egypt
Crossing Borders Dialogue Among Teachers, 2006	Crossing Borders, Denmark - leader	Finland, Israel, Palestine

### Main Actions Organised by Denmark

Activity	Organisation in Charge	Location	Involved Countries
Networks for Intercultural Citizenship Education, 2017	Danmission - partner	Finland	Denmark, Estonia, Germany, Morocco, Poland, Sweden, Tunisia, Turkey
The Art of Intercultural Dialogue, 2014	Danish Center for Culture and Development	Copenhagen, Bornholm	Denmark
Glo-calizing Dialogue, 2012	Danish Center for Culture and Development	Copenhagen	Denmark



*Currently the Network is coordinated by: Partners for Transparency*

*The Egyptian ALF Network vision is to promote cultural dialogue between Egyptians and other ALF Members and to be a platform for exchange of experience and Networking. It is giving opportunities for participation in the development of the Network and is investing in capacity-building activities for the members.*

Workshops about Intercultural Citizenship were organised in Cairo (2020), Alexandria (2020) and Minia, upper Egypt (2019) by the Egyptian Head of Network, involving new and old members. YMV Youth Debate Clubs (2016) were established in Egypt, Lebanon and Morocco with the financial support of the ALF. In total, 11 Youth Debate Clubs were instituted with over 1,970 young participants. The biggest ALF Youth Forum 'Moltaqa Dawrak' was organised in 2014 in Alexandria, gathering over 300 participants from the entire region. Egyptian Network Members took part in the Exchange Programme. One of them, Al-Ahram Center for Political and Strategic Studies in Cairo, took part in a twinning exchange with the Polish Institute of International Affairs. They published a two-page story feature in 'Al-Ahram: Monde Diplomatique', describing their traineeship experience and the work of the ALF (2013/14). In 2012, the Foundation supported the 'Ecrire Le Mediterranee' organised by the French cultural centre. The Egyptian NGO, Development NO Borders (Tanmeya Bela Hodod) was the winner of the Sixth Edition of the EuroMed Award for Dialogue in 2011.

In collaboration with the National Network, several high-profile international events were held in Egypt between 2005 and 2010 as part of the ALF's Programme. These included the 'EuroMediterranean University Forum', with academic representatives from over 30 EuroMed countries in Alexandria; the 'Second EuroMed Research Souk' organised by EMUNI in Alexandria; the presentation of the winners of the '101 Books Literary Competition' at Cairo International Book Fair; three editions of the 'Farah El Bahr Festival' and the 'First EuroMed Dialogue Night'. The Foundation also organised a training seminar for teachers on 'Religious Diversity' at the Goethe Institute in Alexandria in partnership with the Council of Europe, and the joint concert 'An Evening of Music' with Mohamed Mounir and Maria del Mar Bonnet at the Cairo Opera House.



70 civil society organisations are involved in the Egyptian Network

Italy, Spain and France are among the main countries the Egyptian Network has cooperated with through the Anna Lindh Grants Programme

78 CSOs represented at the ALF EuroMed Forums (Valletta (2016) / Marseille (2013))

Dawrak 'Moltaqa', the first large-scale youth gathering took place in Alexandria in 2014

41 new projects mobilised by the ALF through the '1001 Actions for Dialogue' campaign

Over 9,000 people attended the 2012 edition of the Farah Al Bahr festival hosted at the historic Citadel of Qait Bey

Mahitab Abdel Raouf, Ethar El-Katatney, Dalia Ziada, Aly Al-Gohine, Mohamed El Dahshan, Mona Abouissa, Karim El Shenawy (special mention) have received the Anna Lindh Journalist Award between 2007 and 2012

'Development No Borders', Cairo-based youth NGO, have won EuroMed Dialogue Award 2011

Egypt is one of the 29 countries surveyed for the Report on Intercultural Trends

The ALF Advisory Council Members: Amb. Mohamed Anis Salem (current); Hoda El-Sadda and Nevine Simaika (former)

## Partnerships Established through Anna Lindh Grants

Algeria	6	France	21	Lebanon	14	Romania	4
Belgium	9	Germany	11	Lithuania	2	Slovenia	1
Bulgaria	2	Greece	11	Malta	1	Spain	23
Cyprus	5	Israel	1	Morocco	12	Sweden	6
Czech Republic	4	Italy	38	Palestine	12	Syria	1
Denmark	5	Jordan	19	Poland	3	Netherlands	11
Estonia	4	Latvia	2	Portugal	1	Tunisia	8
						Turkey	17
						UK	6

## ALF Network in Egypt

### Main Projects with Egyptian Civil Society Organisations

Projects	Egyptian Organisation	Partner Countries
How I See You: Creating Diverse Digital Communities, 2020*	Jovesolides Egypt - partner	Jordan, Poland, Spain
Interculture dialogue to combat hate speech, 2020	Partners for Transparency - leader	Latvia, Luxembourg, Spain, Belgium
Art Attack: Performance Art for Gender Equality (PAGE) , 2020*	Association of Egyptian Female Lawyers (AEFL) - partner	Lebanon, Morocco, Greece, Denmark
Ponza Prima Med, 2020*	Partners For Transparency -partner	Palestine, Italy
MOVEMENT, 2020*	Charisma Arts for Development -partner	Czech Republic, Slovenia, Palestine, Ireland
Recycle in Fashion - RinF, 2020*	Goזור Cultural Development -partner	Italy, Slovenia
Sustaining Intercultural Dialogue through Deeper Understanding of Mediterranean Food (SIDUMEF), 2020*	The Arab Office for Youth and Environment (AOYE) - partner	Greece, Palestine, Italy, Morocco
Act for dialogue , Be a plural citizen!, 2020*	Partners for Transparency - HoN - partner	United Kingdom, Portugal, Tunisia, France, Morocco, Turkey, Lithuania, Spain
Translation Collider 1, 2015	Sefsafa Consultancies - partner	Bulgaria, Turkey
Intercultural Visualisation of Fairy Tales as Cross-Border Vehicles, 2015	Udran for Art and Development - Sefsafa Publishing House - partner	Germany
I-Gender, 2015	Intercultural Youth Dialogue Association (IYDA) - partner	Italy, Spain, Palestine, Jordan
Game for EuroMed - GEM, 2015	Waseela for Training and Development - partner	France, Palestine, Italy
Feel, Share, Act: Youth Empowerment through Intercultural Learning, 2015	Egypt Foundation for Youth and Development - partner	Greece, France, Turkey
Expressions in Dialogue, 2015	Tanweer Association - partner	Lebanon, Spain, Turkey, Jordan, Greece, Lithuania, Estonia
EUROMED Education Without Borders, 2015	Bibliotheca Alexandrina - partner	Estonia, Latvia, Sweden, Algeria, Tunisia, Italy, United Kingdom, Spain, Morocco
#Youth4Peace: Training EuroMed Peace Trainers, 2015	Etijah and Y-PEER (Youth Peer Educational Network) - partner	Egypt, Spain, Romania, Palestine, Netherlands, Estonia, Sweden, Spain, Palestine, Tunisia
Treasured Trash, 2013	Darb 1718 Contemporary Art and Culture Center - leader	Denmark, Italy
Storytelling in Youth Peace Advocacy, 2013	Etijah (Youth and Development Consultancy Institute) - partner	Netherlands, Belgium, Estonia, Israel, Italy, Morocco, Netherlands, Palestine, Spain
MEDIMAGES: Apprendre aux Jeunes par le Cinéma, 2013	Misr International Films (Youssef Chahine) - partner	Belgium, Jordan, Morocco
Let's Do It Mediterranean!, 2013	Egyptian Pugwash - partner	Sweden, Croatia, Estonia, France, Israel, Montenegro, Palestine, Portugal, Slovenia, Tunisia
HYDRIA, 2012	Balady Port Said Society for the Protection of the Environment and Consumer - partner	Greece, Algeria, Croatia, France, Italy, Jordan, Lebanon, Morocco, Palestine, Portugal, Tunisia
Ecovillage Strategies for Community Mobilization, 2012	Center for Documentation of Cultural and Natural Heritage - partner	Germany, Algeria, Morocco, Palestine, Turkey
Citizenship and Democratic Participation in Political Transition Contexts, 2012	Tourist Friends Association - partner	Estonia



Training in the Street III, 2012	ElMadina for Performing and Digital Arts - leader	Netherlands
Longitudes of Inclusion and Democracy, 2012	The Association of Sohag for Caring for Children with Special Needs - leader	Germany, Italy
Lives Re-Veiled: an Enquiry about Veil Across Mediterranean, 2010	Kenana for Sustainable Community Development - partner	Italy, Israel, Morocco
Cairo Mediterranean Literary Festival, Literature and Cities, 2010	Baad el Bahr Cultural Association - leader	Italy, Spain
Effective Communication for the People with Special Need, 2009	Caritas Egypt - leader	France, Germany, Lebanon, Jordan, Tunisia
EuroMediterranean Academy for Young Journalists Amsterdam, 2009 (EMAJ 2009)	Center for European Studies, Cairo University - partner	Netherlands, Morocco, Palestine, Jordan
Eskenderella for Cultures and Arts, 2009	Eskenderella for Cultures and Arts - leader	Malta
ENAWU, Electronic Network for Arab-West Understanding, 2007	Center for Intercultural Dialogue and Translation - leader	Czech Republic, France, Germany, Lebanon
Crossroad of Cultures, 2007	Sustainable Development Association - leader	Czech Republic, Denmark, Spain, Tunisia, Turkey
Programme for the Study of Islam in Europe, 2006	Center for European Studies - leader	Czech Republic, Germany, Jordan, Cyprus

## Main Actions Organised by Egyptian Network

Activity	Organisation in Charge	Location	Involved Countries
Try to Communicate, 2014	MAAT for Peace, Development and Human Rights	Cairo	Egypt
Post-Arab Spring Civil Society Needs and Challenges in Light of the New Transitional Context, 2013	MAAT for Peace, Development and Human Rights	Cairo	Egypt





*Currently the Network is coordinated by: NGO Mondo*

*The ALF Network in Estonia focuses on education, youth, religious issues and academic research and cooperation.*

The Estonian CSO trajectory implements the ALF-granted project 'Expressions in Dialogue' (2017), aimed at mainstreaming intercultural dialogue and deconstructing prejudices about different groups of people through the implementation of Living Library actions on local levels. Each of the seven Living Library events involved a minimum of 20 readers; 150+ readers could participate in the multiplier events that took place in Rhodes, Athens, Magenta, Tallinn, Barcelona and Rotterdam. At least 40 refugees were involved in these Living Libraries in diverse roles, not only as Human Books, but librarians and facilitators. The 'EuroMed Education Without Borders' (2016/17) project was led by the Estonian Network that partnered with 10 Networks. The ALF financed the project and was implemented in Estonia, Latvia, Sweden, Morocco, Tunisia and Egypt. They developed a EUROMED Education Without Borders toolkit and web resource.

With the Estonian Network member Rääma Noorte Ühing Noorus, and through the support of the ALF, the National Network was also involved in organising the Baltic Forum of May 2011. The winner of the ALF's EuroMed Award for 'Dialogue Through Art', the young Lebanese photographer Rima Maroun had the opportunity to display her award-winning exhibition, 'Les Murmures' in Tallinn 2009. In the framework of the campaign, the Estonian Network launched the 'Baltic Mediterranean Spring' in 2008, which brought together young people from both the Baltic region and the Southern Mediterranean area for a programme of cross-cultural workshops about EuroMed policies; the model was relaunched between 2009 and 2010. The Network also actively took part in the '1001 Actions for Dialogue', the ALF's campaign for the EuroMed Year of Dialogue between Cultures in 2008.

25 civil society organisations are involved in the Estonian Network

Egypt, Spain and Sweden are among the countries that the Estonian Network partnered with through the Anna Lindh Grants Programme

11 CSOs represented at the ALF EuroMed Forums (Valletta (2016) / Marseille (2013))

In May 2010 and 2011, the Estonian Network organised the cultural event 'Baltic Mediterranean Spring Festival', with the aim of introducing Mediterranean cultures, food and traditions

5 new projects were mobilised by the ALF through the '1001 Actions for Dialogue' campaign and launched by members of the Estonian Network

In April 2014, in the framework of 'Arab Journalist Routes', Lebanese journalist Sophie Chamas took part in a series of roundtables and meetings organised by the Estonian School of Diplomacy in Tallin

## Partnerships Established through Anna Lindh Grants

Algeria	1	Israel	2	Morocco	1	Netherlands	1
Croatia	1	Italy	2	Morocco	2	tunisia	3
Denmark	1	Jordan	1	Palestine	3	Turkey	2
Egypt	5	Jordan	1	Poland	1	UK	1
Finland	2	Latvia	1	Romania	1		
Germany	1	Lebanon	1	Spain	4		
Greece	2	Lithuania	1	Sweden	4		

## ALF Network in Estonia

### Main Projects with Estonian Civil Society Organisations

Projects	Danish Organisation	Partner Countries
INTERCULTURALITÉ ET CRISE - COVID 19, 2020	Peace Child Estonia (PCE) - partner	Spain, Morocco, France, Tunisia, Greece, Palestine, Mauritania
Expressions in Dialogue, 2015	Trajectory@ - leader	Lebanon, Spain, Turkey, Jordan, Greece, Lithuania, Egypt
EUROMED Education Without Borders, 2015	Sillamae Society for Child Welfare - leader	Egypt, Latvia, Sweden, Algeria, Tunisia, Italy, United Kingdom, Spain, Morocco
#Youth4Peace: Training EuroMed Peace Trainers, 2015	Seiklejate Vennaskond - partner	Egypt, Spain, Romania, Palestine, Egypt, Netherlands, Sweden, Spain, Palestine, Tunisia
Let's Do It Mediterranean!, 2013	Kodanikualgatus Teeme Ära Minu Eesti - partner	Sweden, Croatia, Egypt, France, Israel, Montenegro, Palestine, Portugal, Slovenia, Tunisia
Citizenship and Democratic Participation in Political Transition Contexts, 2012	Trajectory@ - leader	Egypt
Facilitating Political Dialogue in the Baltico-Mediterranean Axis, 2009	MTU Arengukoostöö Umarlaud AKU - partner	Croatia, Finland, Greece, Israel, Morocco
Vox Pacis, Voice of Freedom, 2007	Orthodox Singers - partner	Sweden, Israel, Palestine
EuroMed Gender Connexion, 2006	University of Tartu - partner	Italy, Egypt, Jordan

### Main Actions Organised by Estonian Network

Activity	Organisation in Charge	Location	Involved Countries
Networks for Intercultural Citizenship Education, 2017	Eesti Diplomaatide Kool - partner	Finland	Denmark, Estonia, Germany, Morocco, Poland, Sweden, Tunisia, Turkey
Xenophobia is not a solution – let's speak and learn from each other!, 2015	Eesti Pagulasabi MTÜ - Estonian Refugee Council	Tallinn, Narva, Tartu and Haapsalu	Estonia
Arab Week in Estonia, 2014	Mittetulundusühing Ethical Links	Tallinn and Tartu	Estonia
Promoting Cooperation with Arab Countries in Estonia, 2013	Mittetulundusühing Ethical Links	Tallinn and Tartu	Estonia

*Network is currently coordinated by: Foundation of the Finnish Institute in the Middle East (FIME)  
The main objective of the Finnish Network is to support dialogue between cultures and to contribute to the visibility of the EuroMed Partnership through intellectual, cultural and civil society exchanges. Most of the members of the Finnish Network are CSOs, public organisations or individual members working on different themes related to cultural dialogue.*

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The Network has organised several webinars since the beginning of 2020 discussing a wide range of central ALF themes, many of them not previously focused on such as media and power, youth climate activism and social arts. The webinar, 'How pictures are used: Migration in visual media', was especially successful, attracting new audiences from the Finnish civil society.

In 2019, the Finnish Network hosted a regional dialogue Forum titled 'Celebrating Our Diversity' with 42 members from 10 ALF Networks. The three-day Forum focused on exchanging and debating for a more inclusive EuroMed region. The Cross-Network Activity, 'The Anna Lindh Network Days for Intercultural Citizenship Education' (2017) was organised in Helsinki. The two-day Forum was a joint event of nine ALF National Networks and participants lived a virtual reality experience in which Helsinki had been transformed into a conflict zone, similar to what Aleppo has gone through.

A major national project in 2015 was 'Changing Cities', organised by 14 members of the Finnish Network. The seminars and workshops brought together CSOs, researchers and politicians working on themes related to multicultural cities. In 2014, Finland was a key supporter of the only ALF large-scale youth gathering, 'Moltaqa', held in Alexandria (Egypt) with over 300 young people attending, mainly from the south. The same year, Ethar El-Katatney, an awarded, young Egyptian journalist, spoke at the seminar, 'The Changing Role of the Media in the Contemporary Middle East'.



The photography exhibition titled 'On This and the Other Side—Perceptions of a One-Week Journey in Israel and Palestine' (2011) was hosted by the Network, in partnership with the Portuguese Head of Network. In the aftermath of the 2009 Gaza War, the Network coordinated an international colloquium in Helsinki, with ALF financial support and the involvement of the ALF Dialogue Award winner, Combatants for Peace. The Finnish Head of Network organised the training seminar 2007 for the Nordic Networks in Helsinki.

100 civil society organisations are involved in the Finnish Network

Morocco, Estonia, Greece and Sweden are among the countries that the Finnish Network partnered with through the Anna Lindh Grant Programme

25 CSOs represented at the ALF EuroMed Forums (Valletta (2016) / Marseille (2013))

26 new projects mobilised by the ALF through the '1001 Actions for Dialogue' campaign

1st Middle Eastern Film and Arts Festival was held in Finland in 2014 as a common action of the Network

In 2006, under the Finnish Presidency of the European Union, the Network hosted the 4th annual meeting of the ALF Heads of Network, with civil society representatives from more than 30 EuroMed countries

Finland is one of the 29 countries surveyed for the Report on Intercultural Trends

The ALF Advisory Council  
Members: Amb. Risto Veltheim (current); Tuomo Melasuo (former)



## Partnerships Established through Anna Lindh Grants

Algeria	1	Germany	1	Lebanon	1	Spain	1
Croatia	2	Greece	3	Morocco	4	Sweden	3
Czech Republic	1	Hungry	1	Palestine	1	Tunisia	2
Denmark	2	Ireland	1	Poland	2	Turkey	2
Estonia	3	Israel	4	Slovenia	2	UK	1
Finland	1						
France	1						

## ALF Network in Finland

### Main Projects with Finnish Civil Society Organisations

Projects	Finnish Organisation	Partner Countries
Intercultural Dialogue through Art: Helsinki - Tighmert, 2020*	Kulttuurikameleontit ry - leader	Morocco
Intercultural cities, 2020*	FIME - partner	Sweden, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Israel, Czech Republic, Hungary, Slovenia
Celebrating Our Diversity, 2020*	Finnish Institute of the Middle East - partner	Sweden, Germany, Lebanon
Facilitating Political Dialogue in the Baltico - Mediterranean Axis, 2009	Kehys - The Finnish NGDO Platform to the EU - leader	Croatia, Estonia, Greece, Israel, Morocco
Facilitating Political Dialogue in the Baltico - Mediterranean Axis, 2009	TAPRI - partner	Croatia, Estonia, Greece, Israel, Morocco
Crossing Borders Dialogue Among Teachers, 2006	Finnish Institute in the Middle East - partner	Denmark, Israel, Palestine

### Main Actions Organised by Finnish Network

Activity	Organisation in Charge	Location	Involved Countries
Expression artistique interculturelle en zones fragiles, 2017	Foundation of the Finnish Institute in the Middle East, FIME - partner	Tunisia	Algeria, Finland, France, Greece, Ireland, Lebanon, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Tunisia, Morocco, UK
Intercultural cities, 2017	Foundation of the Finnish Institute in the Middle East, FIME - partner	Israel, Finland, Sweden, Poland, Czech R., Hungary, Slovenia	Israel, Finland, Sweden, Poland, Czech R., Hungary, Slovenia
Networks for Intercultural Citizenship Education, 2017	Foundation of the Finnish Institute in the Middle East, FIME - leader	Finland	Denmark, Estonia, Germany, Morocco, Poland, Sweden, Tunisia, Turkey
Changing Cities	Foundation of Finnish Institute in the Middle East (FIME)	Turku, Joensuu, Vantaa and Helsinki	Finland
Do we need Imam training in Finland?	Forum for Culture and Religion (FOKUS)	Helsinki	Finland
The Middle - Eastern Film and Arts Festival (M.E.F.A.)	Foundation of the Finnish Institute in the Middle East (FIME)	Helsinki	Finland
Seminar: the Changing role of the Media in Contemporary Middle East, 2014	Foundation of the Finnish Institute in the Middle East	Helsinki	Finland
L'Etoile Polaire sous les charmes du Sud, Les défis communs des sciences sociales et humaines en Algérie et en Finlande	CNRPAH, FIME, ALF and TAPRI	Algiers	Finland, Algeria
The Arab Spring: Cultural and Political Encounters between Europe and Northern Africa, 2011	European Cultural Foundation	Turku	Finland
Egyptian revolution and the future	Social Forum of Finland	Helsinki	Egypt, Morocco, Syria, Finland
Media and the Mediterranean World	UNAOC, ALF, TAPRI, University of Helsinki	Helsinki	Finland





*Network is currently coordinated by: Forum Femmes Méditerranée*

*The French National Network is a place for debate and exchange between French organisations and intercultural dialogue actors in the EuroMed area, aiming at strengthening partnership and cooperation between Network members, and giving voice to their members. The French Network is following an interdisciplinary approach, supporting the development of projects in the field of intercultural dialogue and the pooling of experiences and expertise of Network members.*

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In 2020, the Network organised the ‘Intercultural Dialogue Cafes’ and drafted the booklet, ‘Dialogue interculturel et universalité des droits’. The Network supported the educational initiative of La Fédération l’Air titled ‘Les Virus et Nous (The Virus and Us)’ to raise awareness about the pandemic. With the support of the Network, a film on the YMV and various training courses regarding European funding, mobility, the Francophonie and diversity have been organised in several cities.



Between 2015 and 2016, the Network led the joint action, ‘TISSEUR-E-S de Paix’, with activities in several cities to create a space for citizen conversations. The theme of the Network common actions was ‘L’intelligence des langues’ (2014) with two key events: the opening of ‘Surfers for peace’ and the ‘Fête des langues du Monde’. The ‘Babel Med Music Festival’, begun in 2006, was held every year until 2015, bringing together musicians from all over the Mediterranean and the world.

In 2013, the ‘Voies de la Mer (e)’ and ‘EuroMed Forum’ were held in that year’s European Capital of Culture Marseille–Provence, with more than 1000 representatives of civil society and institutions. The Network prepared a ‘Ville et Diversité’ seminar in 2011 in the framework of the common operation, and a Tour de France of ‘Combatants for Peace’. The ALF, in partnership with its French member Solidarité Laïque, organised a seminar on ‘Middle East: Art of building peace and dialogue’ (2009) with CSO actors and artists on the Israeli-Palestinian issue, one of the major events with which the French Network is regularly associated. The ALF was also represented in Strasbourg in the Council of Europe teacher training programmes on ‘Education for Democratic Citizenship’ (2006).

199 civil society organisations are involved in the French Network

In 2013, in the framework of 'Arab Journalist Routes', Egyptian journalist Ahmed Sami participated in 'Rencontres d'Averroès' event organised by ESPACECULTURE in Marseille

Morocco, Italy, Lebanon and Tunisia are among the countries that the French Network partnered with through the Anna Lindh Grants Programme

Chine Labbé (2009), Pierre Mari (2010), Sout El Shabab/La voix des jeunes (Pauline Beugnies, Nina Hubinet, Rachida El Azzouzi, Marion Guenard) (2013) have received the Anna Lindh Journalist Award

1,374 participants from 46 countries attended the 2nd EuroMed Forum, held in Marseille (2013); 355 people from 170 French CSOs participated; 34 people attended the Valletta Forum (2016)

86 new projects mobilised by the ALF through the '1001 Actions for Dialogue' campaign for the 2008's Year of Dialogue



France is one of the 29 countries surveyed for the Report on Intercultural Trends

The ALF Advisory Council Members: Marie-Christine Saragosse (current); Caroline Fourest (former)

## Partnerships Established through Anna Lindh Grants

Albania	1	Egypt	19	Lithuania	1	Spain	11
Algeria	3	Finland	1	Malta	1	Sweden	2
Austria	1	Germany	5	Montenegro	1	Syria	3
Belgium	6	Greece	4	Morocco	39	Tunisia	20
Bosnia	2	Ireland	2	Palestine	8	Turkey	16
Bulgaria	1	Israel	1	Poland	3	United Kingdom	4
Cyprus	1	Italy	26	Portugal	1		
Czech Republic	1	Jordan	9	Romania	1		
Denmark	1	Lebanon	20	Slovenia	1		



## ALF Network in France

### Main Projects with French Civil Society Organisations

Projects	French Organisation	Partner Countries
OLHARES DO MEDITERRÂNEO - Women's Film Festival: Awareness and empowering, 2020*	Films Femmes Méditerranée -partner	Morocco, Spain, Lebanon, Portugal, Italy, Palestine, Turkey
INTERCULTURALITÉ ET CRISE - COVID 19, 2020*	FORUM FEMMES MEDITERRANEE (FFM) -partner	Spain, Morocco, Tunisia, Estonia, Greece, Palestine, Mauritania
EMpowering Youth - Improving capacity for EuroMed youth projects, 2020*	Comité de Coordination du Service Volontaire International - leader	Morocco, Israel, Jordan, Palestine, Spain, Greece, United Kingdom
Femmes des îles, moteurs d'un tourisme durable, 2020*	Small Islands Organisation - SMILO - leader	Tunisia, Greece, Croatia, United Kingdom
Act for dialogue, Be a plural citizen!, 2020*	FORUM FEMMES MEDITERRANEE - HoN - partner	United Kingdom, Portugal, Tunisia, Morocco, Egypt, Turkey, Lithuania, Spain
Voix de Femmes, 2020*	FORUM FEMMES MEDITERRANEE (Mediterranean Women Forum) - leader	Morocco, Algeria, Spain, Tunisia
Plateforme numérique de promotion de la culture du vivre ensemble, 2020*	Association Française des Petits Débrouillards (AFPD) -partner	Morocco
Web Arts Résistances, 2015	Tabasco Vidéo - partner	Tunisia, Lebanon, Italy
Jeunes Citoyens Méditerranéens Face aux Changements Climatiques, 2015	Centre Méditerranéen de l'Environnement - leader	Tunisia, Morocco
Game for EuroMed - GEM	ADICE – Association pour le Développement des Initiatives Citoyennes et Européennes - partner	Italy, Palestine, Egypt
Feel, Share, Act: Youth Empowerment through Intercultural Learning, 2015	Pistes Solidaires Méditerranée - partner	Greece, Egypt, Turkey
As Life: Sharing Experiences through Arts, 2015	Le MèME EnsembLe - partner	Palestine, Italy
EuroMed Reporter, 2013	Babel International / Cafebabel.com - leader	Morocco, Tunisia
Carrefour du Dialogue Citoyen, 2013	Initiatives et Changement France - leader	Tunisia
Arts-territoires-habitants Projet de Création d'un laboratoire Artistique Itinérant en Tunisie, 2012	Association Yvoir (Plateforme Siwa) - leader	Morocco, Tunisia
Projet d'Appui au Renforcement des Actions pour le Dialogue Interculturel et Social, 2012	Groupe de Recherche et de Réalisation pour le Développement Rural - leader	Mauritania
PARCOURS MIGRATOIRES, 2012	Institut de Recherche pour le Développement - leader	Morocco
Mémoire de l'émigration algérienne à Marseille, Réalisation et Diffusion d'un Film-Documentaire, 2010	Touiza Solidarite - leader	Algeria
LAAROUSSA, 2010	Muzaq - leader	Tunisia
Roots and Branches, Empathy and Population Flows, 2010	Association Musical'Isle - leader	Cyprus, Morocco
Jisr al-Ibtisamat bin Firansa wa Misr (Un pont de Sourires entre la France et l'Égypte), 2009	Association Clowns sans Frontières - leader	Egypt

Traduction, entre Langues et Cultures, du Dictionnaire Critique de la Méditerranée, 2009	Maison méditerranéenne des sciences de l'homme - leader	France, Algeria, Morocco, United Kingdom
Médi'djinns percus, 2007	Arteco - leader	France, Italy, Lebanon, Tunisia, Morocco
Le Dialogue Interculturel dans la Zone Euromed: Une Nouvelle Stratégie pour l'Encourager?, 2007	CADMOS - leader	Egypt, Lebanon, Morocco, Spain
L'Odyssée du Danube, 2007	Institut International du Théâtre Méditerranéen - leader	Algeria, Bulgaria, Italy, Morocco, Romania, Spain
Le verbe au féminin, 2006	Forum Femmes Méditerranée	Algeria, Spain, Greece, Tunisia, Morocco, France
MELOPEE#3, Cultural Management Training for Women in the Mediterranean, 2006	Amuni - leader	Egypt, Italy, Turkey
Euromed Journalism Students Spring School, 2006	Centre de formation des Journalistes - leader	Morocco, Belgium, Egypt
VII Rencontre des Ecoles d'Art de la Mediterranee, 2006	Echanges Culturels en Mediterranee - leader	Syria, Italy, Morocco

## Main Actions Organised by French Network

Activity	Organisation in Charge	Location	Involved Countries
Expression artistique interculturelle en zones fragiles, 2017	Forum Femmes Mediterranee - partner	Tunisia	Algeria, Finland, France, Greece, Ireland, Lebanon, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Tunisia, Morocco, UK
Kimiyya. Les Femmes actrices du Dialogue, 2017	Forum Femmes Mediterranee - partner	France, Tunisia Algeria, Malta, Albania, Bosnia, Italy	France, Tunisia Algeria, Malta, Albania, Bosnia, Italy
Education Non Formelle et Interculturelle en Méditerranée, 2016	Forum Femmes Mediterranee - partner	Spain	Morocco, Algeria, France, Ireland, Jordan, Lebanon, Lithuania, Palestine, Portugal, Tunisia, Belgium
Tisseur-e-s de Paix, 2015	Forum Femmes Mediterranee	Marseille, Perpignan, Montpellier, Lille, Paris, Bordeaux et Tarragona	France
Les voies de la mer-(e). Tracertransmettre-crée, 2013	Forum Femmes Mediterranee	Bastia, Brest, Lyon, Marseille, Montpellier, Paris etc.	France
L'Intelligence des Langues au Service d'une Culture de Paix, 2013	Forum Femmes Mediterranee	Bastia, Brest, Lyon, Marseille, Paris, Perpignan.	France



## Germany

*Currently the Network is coordinated by: Goethe-Institut, with ZAK (Centre for Cultural and General Studies at the Karlsruhe Institute of Technology)*

*The German Network of the ALF has set itself the objective of sharing and exchanging knowledge with the civil society in Germany; thereby it is enhancing the understanding and the visibility of the richness of cultures in the EuroMed region. Examples of major aspects addressed are shared cultural heritages, the current political situation and the particular situation of the Region's youth.*

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In 2020, a series of interactive 'Online-Workshops By And For The Members Of The Alf' on topics of diversity and inclusion, intercultural and interdisciplinary skills and transnational cooperation, were organised by German Network Members to further promote cooperation and learning exchange. The 'Information Tour' (2019) to Berlin welcomed CSOs from five ALF Networks at the invitation of the Federal Foreign Office and in cooperation with Goethe-Institut e.V. to discuss issues related to CSO cooperation.

The WIKA Workshop 'The Role of Civil Society in Cultural Relations' (2019) was organised in cooperation with Institute for Foreign Cultural Relations (ifa), ZAK, the Foreign Office working group 'Civil Society' and the Goethe-Institut e.V.. The pre-event, 'Youth as Central Actor of Civil Society', in cooperation with ALF presented a public debate with Young Mediterranean Voices and participants of Erasmus+ Virtual Exchange, a programme to which ZAK contributed as a third party.

The 'ICD Project Lab' (2017) in Berlin was the first youth activity that the ALF organised in Germany, gathering 20 beneficiaries of the Exchange Programme to develop innovative projects. 'World Science Café' (2017) presented by ZAK was part of the KIT's activities within the framework of the Philipp Schwartz Initiative. In the lecture series, fled and threatened scientists offer insights into their research. Banda Internationale (Germany) which works with professional and amateur musicians from countries such as Syria and Palestine were awarded the EuroMed Award for Dialogue in 2016.

On a yearly basis from 2011 to 2016, 'The Mediterranean on the Spot', a Network-wide series of events, with a thematic range from artistic to scientific and political perspectives covering current subjects in their great complexity took place with the support of the ALF. The Anna Lindh Report was presented in Germany (2014), as the Network coordinator was a key contributor to the Report analysis. In 2012, the ALF Journalist Award was hosted in Berlin at the Allianz Cultural Foundation's headquarters.

186 civil society organisations are involved in the German Network

Palestine, Turkey and Egypt are among the countries that the German Network partnered with through the Anna Lindh Grants Programme

37 CSOs represented at the ALF EuroMed Forums (Valletta (2016) / Marseille (2013))

Germany is one of the 29 countries surveyed for the Report on Intercultural Trends

45 new projects mobilised by the ALF through the '1001 Actions for Dialogue' campaign

In 2010, the Goethe-Institut headquarters in Munich hosted the meeting 'Valuing Diversity, Understanding Migration', the final preparation meeting for the first Anna Lindh Forum

In 2010 Network members prepared a tour for EuroMed Dialogue Award winners 'Combatants for Peace'

The ALF Advisory Council Members: Caroline Robertson-von Trotha (current); Sonja Hegasy (until 2015)

## Partnerships Established through Anna Lindh Grants

Austria	1	Estonia	1	Malta	1	Slovenia	1
Belgium	3	France	6	Montenegro	1	Spain	7
Bosnia	1	Greece	2	Morocco	7	Sweden	4
Cyprus	2	Israel	12	Palestine	23	Syria	1
Czech Republic	1	Italy	4	Poland	6	Netherlands	1
Denmark	4	Jordan	6	Portugal	3	Tunisia	2
Egypt	13	Lebanon	11	Slovak Republic	1	Turkey	17
						United Kingdom	4



## ALF Network in Germany

### Main Projects with German Civil Society Organisations

Projects	French Organisation	Partner Countries
The Anna Lindh Virtual Academy, 2020*	EuroMed Youth Federation e. V. - partner	Morocco, Turkey, Belgium, UK, Ireland
Celebrating Our Diversity, 2020*	Karlsruhe Institute of Technology (KIT); ZAK   Centre for Cultural and General Studies - partner	Sweden, Finland, Lebanon
Intercultural Visualisation of Fairy Tales as Cross-Border Vehicles, 2015	Aphorisma Kulturstiftung - leader	Egypt
Brush meets Melody – Euromed Art Connection, 2015	Radijojo World Children’s Media Network - leader	Cyprus, Morocco
EuroMed Kids, 2013	Radijojo World Children’s Radio Network - leader	Morocco
The 99% Remix: An intercultural Hip Hop Opera for Social Change, 2012	Addictz e.V. - partner	Israel, Sweden
Longitudes of Inclusion and Democracy - 2012	Diakonisches Werk Bremen - partner	Egypt, Italy
Loesje Crosses the Mediterranean, 2012	Loesje e.V. - partner	Slovenia, Egypt, Israel, Palestine, UK
EuroMediterranean Youth Music Expo - 2012	Jeunesses Musicales Deutschland - partner	Cyprus, Belgium, Jordan
Buffer Zone, 2012	Uqbar e.V. - partner	Turkey, Cyprus
Going Ahead with EuroMed, Intercultural Training Seminar for Teachers Involved in Student Exchanges, 2012	Department of Education, City of Munich, International Relations - leader	Jordan, Israel, Croatia, Spain
Ecovillage Strategies for Community Mobilization, 2012	Global Ecovillage Network of Europe - leader	Algeria, Egypt, Morocco, Palestine, Turkey
Migration, Culture, Identity, 2010	Kreisau-Initiative Berlin e.v. - leader	Israel, Poland, Turkey
Research-Based Art // Art-Based Research, 2009	Heinrich Boell Foundation - leader	Lebanon, Palestine, Portugal, Turkey, UK
Stubniz in Med, 2009	Motorschiff Stubnitz e.v. - leader	France, Lebanon, Morocco
Berber Panjur, Monologue in the Dark, 2009	Artiscenico e.v. - leader	Germany
Leaving Places, Shaping Places, 2007	Kreisau-Initiative Berlin e.v. - leader	Israel, Poland, Turkey
DGAP 11th International Summer School, 2007	Deutsche Gesellschaft Für Auswärtige Politik e.v. - leader	Israel, Spain, Turkey
Applied Arts, Design in the EuroMediterranean Region, 2007	Goethe-Institut e.v. - leader	Egypt, Morocco, Portugal
Facilitating Youth Exchange in the EuroMed Region, 2006	AFS Interkulturelle Begegnungen e.v - leader	Egypt, Italy, Turkey

### Main Actions Organised by German Network

Activity	Organisation in Charge	Location	Involved Countries
Best Practice Social and Creative Enterprise Training, 2017	The Centre for Cultural and General Studies (ZAK) - partner	Greece	Greece, Germany, Lebanon, Sweden, UK
Networks for Intercultural Citizenship Education, 2017	Goethe-Institut e.V., Germany - partner	Finland	Denmark, Estonia, Germany, Morocco, Poland, Sweden, Tunisia, Turkey
Mittelmeer vor Ort – Neue Nachbarschaften (Mediterranean on the Spot – New Neighbourships), 2015	Goethe-Institut e.V., Germany	Berlin, Bochum, Hannover, Karlsruhe, and Munich, among others	Germany
Mittelmeer vor Ort, 2014	Goethe-Institut and ZAK and Studium Generale	Berlin, Karlsruhe, and about 10 more cities all over Germany	Germany
The Mediterranean on the Spot - Migration and Escape, 2012	Goethe-Institut and ZAK	Several locations	Germany

*Currently the Network is coordinated by: Hellenic Foundation for Culture (HFC) and United Societies of Balkans.*

*The Greek ALF Network has members from numerous institutions of civil society from all parts of Greece covering a large scale of actions regarding culture, human rights and the protection of vulnerable social groups. Its objective is to build the capacity of its members and involve them in the development of the Network and to encourage partnerships.*

The 'ALF Talks' (2020) organised by the Greek Network offered a space to share fears and ideas for future plans in relation to the pandemic. Greek Network members such as ELIAMEP organised online public discussions including 'Coronavirus and the EU' and 'Migrant integration in times of Covid-19'. Network member Ethelon prepared a report about voluntarism and the effects it has had on the daily lives of people during the pandemic. In 2019, the annual Networks Meeting was organised in cooperation with the Greek Network in Thessaloniki, offering unique settings and exceptional strong involvement of the Greek CSO members. The Greek Head of Network, in addition to the Heads of Network of Lebanon and Sweden were partners in the Cross-Network Activity, 'Best Social and Creative Enterprise Training' (2017) led by the UK Head of Network.

In 2014, the Network and the ALF Secretariat gathered young ALF members to take part in the event 'Creative Entrepreneurship, Active Citizenship: Opportunities for EuroMed Youth', in the framework of the European Youth Capital in Thessaloniki. In partnership with the Networks of Bulgaria, Croatia, Cyprus, Greece, Lebanon and Montenegro, the Greek Network hosted the multi-country ALF exhibition, 'Faces of the Mediterranean' (2010/11), which focused on scenes from everyday life in the Mediterranean. Specific national common actions developed included 'The ALF compass of Greece', rolled-out across four regions, and 'Heritage and Youth under Crisis', linked to the Thessaloniki European Youth Capital.

The Network hosted the ALF regional training seminar for multipliers in Thessaloniki (2009), which focused on capacity-building for intercultural dialogue projects; the ALF hosted 'Creativity, Mobility and Dialogue' in Rhodes. The Greek Network was also represented in the 'Restore Trust, Rebuild Bridges' (2009) mission to Israel and Palestine after the Gaza War. The Greek Network coordinated with the Ministry of Culture the EuroMed Dialogue Night in Athens with more than 2000 participants.

118 civil society organisations are involved in the Greek Network

Italy, Jordan, Palestine and Egypt are the countries that Greek civil society organisations have most partnered with through the Anna Lindh Grants Programme

17 CSOs represented at the ALF EuroMed Forums (Valletta (2016) / Marseille (2013))

21 new projects mobilised by the ALF through the '1001 Actions for Dialogue' campaign

The 2007 ALF EuroMed Dialogue Award was given to Rodi Kratsa Tsagaropoulou (Greece), 1st Vice President of the European Parliament

In May 2008, the Awarding Ceremony of the ALF Journalist Award was held at the 1st EuroMed Ministerial meeting on Culture in Athens

Greece is one of the 29 countries surveyed for the Report on Intercultural Trends

The ALF Advisory Council Members: Aliki Moschis-Gauget (current); Dimitris Pierodes (former)

## Partnerships Established through Anna Lindh Grants

Algeria	7	Estonia	2	Jordan	16	Slovenia	2
Belgium	2	Finland	3	Lebanon	9	Spain	5
Bulgaria	1	France	6	Lithuania	1	Sweden	2
Croatia	3	Germany	2	Morocco	9	Syria	4
Cyprus	1	Ireland	1	Palestine	12	Netherlands	2
Denmark	1	Israel	1	Poland	3	Tunisia	9
Egypt	12	Italy	19	Romania	2	Turkey	9
						UK	3

## ALF Network in Greece Main Projects with Greek Civil Society Organisations

Projects	Greek Organisation	Partner Countries
Start to Listen' – gender equality from the perspective of young people, 2020*	Citizens in Action - partner	Israel, Austria, Lebanon
Art Attack: Performance Art for Gender Equality (PAGE), 2020*	University of Thessaly - partner	Lebanon, Morocco, Greece, Egypt
INTERCULTURALITÉ ET CRISE - COVID 19, 2020*	UNITED SOCIETIES OF BALKANS (USB) - partner	Spain, Morocco, France, Estonia, Tunisia, Palestine, Mauritania
EMpowering Youth - Improving capacity for EuroMed youth projects, 2020*	Kinisi Etheolonton Service Civil International-Hellas - partner	Morocco, Israel, Jordan, Palestine, Spain, France, United Kingdom
Femmes des îles, moteurs d'un tourisme durable, 2020*	FOTOESSA PC - Greece - partner	Tunisia, France, Croatia, United Kingdom
Sustaining Intercultural Dialogue through Deeper Understanding of Mediterranean Food (SIDUMEF), 2020*	Mediterranean Information Office for Environment, Culture and Sustainable Development (MIO-ECSDE)	Egypt, Palestine, Italy, Morocco
Women! - Daphne, Echo, Io and the others, 2015	Theatro tsi Zakynthos - partner	Italy, Turkey, Tunisia
HOME - NEW HOME, 2015	HISTORY DOC - partner	Palestine, Turkey, Jordan, Lebanon
Feel, Share, Act: Youth Empowerment through Intercultural Learning, 2015	K.A.NE., Social Youth Development - partner	Egypt, France, Turkey



Expressions in Dialogue, 2015	The House of Europe in Rhodes - partner	Lebanon, Spain, Turkey, Jordan, Estonia, Lithuania, Egypt
The Life of the Others, 2013	HISTORY DOC - leader	Algeria, Malta, Morocco, Palestine
HYDRIA, 2012	Mediterranean Information Office - leader	Algeria, Croatia, Egypt, France, Italy, Jordan, Lebanon, Morocco, Palestine, Portugal, Tunisia
Facilitating Political Dialogue in the Baltic-Mediterranean Axis, 2009	International Centre for the Black Sea Studies - partner	Croatia, Estonia, Finland, Israel, Morocco
Peace Bag for EuroMed Youth, 2009	Hellenic Association of Informatics - partner	Spain, Algeria, Egypt, Italy, Netherlands, Poland, Romania, Tunisia, Turkey
Overcoming Prejudices and Restoring Trust in Roma Minority, 2009	Cyclope Production - partner	Turkey
2nd Generation Immigrants: Citizens without Rights Festival, 2009	Athens Network of Collaborating Experts - leader	Italy, Jordan, Palestine, Romania, Spain, Turkey, Egypt
Youth X Change in the Mediterranean, 2009	MOI ECSDE - leader	Egypt, France, Jordan, Lebanon, Morocco, Spain, Syria, Tunisia
Drama as a Context for Learning, International Summer School, 2007	Panhellenic Association of Teaching Drama - partner	Palestine, Jordan, Lebanon, UK
EuroMed Cafe, 2007	En Chordais - partner	Belgium, Algeria, Denmark, Egypt, Italy, Lebanon
EuroMed Sustainable Community Connections, 2007	AWISH Hellas - leader	Italy, Jordan, Palestine, Tunisia
War Gifts, 2006	University of Athens - partner	Italy, Syria, Jordan
Intercultural Dialogue on Violence Against Women, 2006	ANTIGONE - partner	Cyprus, Morocco, Egypt
Le Verbe au Feminin, 2006	Center for Women and Peace for Balkan Countries - partner	France, Morocco, Algeria
Flying Carpets, Women Across Mediterranean, 2006	ANCE - partner	Italy, Egypt, Palestine
Intercultural Exchanges for Equal Opportunities, 2006	Athens Network of Collaborating Experts - leader	Turkey, Italy, Egypt
Med-Youth Creating A Sustainable Med-Future, 2006	Mediterranean SOS - leader	Turkey, Italy, Egypt, Poland, Belgium, Jordan, Palestine
The Mediterranean Food Educational Project, 2006	MOI ECSDE - leader	Egypt, Tunisia, Morocco, Italy, Jordan

## Main Actions Organised by Greek Network

Activity	Organisation in Charge	Location	Involved Countries
Best Practice Social and Creative Enterprise Training, 2017	Hellenic Foundation for Culture - partner	Greece	Greece, Germany, Lebanon, Sweden, UK
Expression artistique interculturelle en zones fragiles, 2017	Hellenic Foundation for Culture - partner	Tunisia	Algeria, Finland, France, Greece, Ireland, Lebanon, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Tunisia, Morocco, UK
Ambassadors of Intercultural Dialogue Education, 2015	United Societies of Balkans	Thessaloniki	Greece
The ALF Compass of Greece, 2013	Hellenic Association for Youth Informatics	Athens	Greece
Heritage and Youth under Crisis, 2013	Hellenic Foundation for Culture	Thessaloniki, Athens, Kalamata, Kefalonia, Rhodes	Greece



# Hungary



*Currently, the ALF Hungarian Network is coordinated by: The Palantír Film Visual Anthropological Foundation*

*The Network is dedicated to the preservation of cultural diversity and interest, and has been involved in launching new programmes with civil society groups and academic scenes in Austria, Czech Republic, Israel, Jordan, Lebanon, Lithuania, Poland, Slovakia, Turkey.*

The University of Public Service published ‘The European Union’s relations with the Mediterranean region; Dialogue and conflicts’ (2019), part of the educational curriculum and contains a brief history of the ALF written by the Head of Network (HoN). The Network was one of seven that partnered in the ‘Intercultural Cities’ (2017) Cross-Network Activity led by the Slovenian HoN. The project reinforced the exchange between EuroMed CSOs in different cities and built new projects among members. The Network was also a partner in ‘Be Effective! Enhancing Intercultural Dialogue Media Skills in Central and Eastern Europe’ (2017) led by the Czech HoN. The project aimed to train members to reach wide-ranging audiences to challenge prejudices and lack of quality information about ‘otherness’.

The Hungarian HoN established the ‘Art as a Medium Festival’ (2014, 2016) in which members could perform their activities for youth, families and a part for an academic audience. A joint conference on ‘Dialogue and Conflicts in the Mediterranean’ (2014-2018) was organised by the Hungarian HoN and Prof. Dr. Anna Molnár (Faculty of International and European Studies, UPS) in cooperation with the Hungarian Ministry of Human Capacities.

In 2008, the Network participated in the ALF’s ‘1001 Actions for Dialogue’ campaign and hosted the photo exhibition ‘Les Murmurs’ produced by young Lebanese artist and EuroMed Dialogue Award Winner, Rima Maroun. The Network launched the national action ‘Dialogue Road’ with a series of music concerts, documentary screenings on cross-cultural issues, and the three-day ‘Intercultural Interactive Festival’ which included story-telling workshops with Hungarian citizens of different cultural backgrounds.

In the joint framework on youth partnership established by the Council of Europe and the European Commission, the youth activity, ‘EuroMed Training Course for Multipliers active in Human Rights Education and Conflict Resolution’ (2008) was organised in Hungary. The ALF coordinated the first event entitled ‘The Anna Lindh Training for Trainers’ (2007) on project development and partnership-building. As a follow-up to the training course, the ALF launched its publication ‘Good Practices for Trainers on Conflict Resolution and Cultural Cooperation’ in English, Arabic and French.

65 civil society organisations are involved in the Hungarian Network

Czech Republic, Austria and Israel are the countries that Hungarian civil society organisations most partnered with

10 CSOs represented at the ALF EuroMed Forums (Valletta (2016) / Marseille (2013))

25 new projects mobilised by the ALF through the '1001 Actions for Dialogue' campaign

Hungary is one of the 29 countries surveyed for the Report on Intercultural Trends

In 2008, the ALF organised training course for multipliers active in Human Rights Education and Conflict Resolution in Budapest youth centre

The ALF Advisory Council Member:  
Hesna Al Ghaoui  
(current)

## Partnerships Established through Anna Lindh Grants

Austria	4	Jordan	2	Slovenia	2
Bulgaria	1	Lebanon	2	Sweden	1
Czech Republic	8	Lithuania	1	Syria	2
Denmark	2	Morocco	1	Netherlands	2
Finland	1	Poland	2	Tunisia	1
Israel	4	Poland	3	Turkey	2
Italy	1	Slovak Republic	3		

## ALF Network in Hungary

### Main Projects with Hungarian Civil Society Organisations

Projects	Hungarian Organisation	Partner Countries
Intercultural cities, 2020*	Palantír Film Visual Anthropological Foundation - partner	Sweden, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Israel, Czech Republic, Slovenia, Finland
Global Learning through Digital Stories, 2020*	Anthropolis Association - partner	Israel, United Kingdom
Video Advocacy Action V-A-A, 2012	Hungarian Civil Liberties Union - partner	Lebanon
Improved Awareness of Religious, Cultural and Human Dimensions in Support of Sustainable Development, 2012	PAN Parks Foundation - partner	Bulgaria, Turkey
Muslims living in Visegrad countries, 2010	Corvinus University of Budapest and Hungarian Institute of International Affairs -- partners	Czech Republic, Poland, Slovak Republic, Syria
Articulating Values, 2009	Hungarian Commission for UNESCO - partner	Austria, Denmark, Israel, Netherlands, Turkey
EMSF: Dialogue Meetings & Knowledge Management, 2007	Hungarian Commission for UNESCO - partner	Austria, Denmark, Israel, Jordan, Lebanon, Netherland
Gate to the East Festival and Web Portal, 2007	Hungarian Museum of Trade and Hospitality - leader	Israel, Italy, Jordan, Poland

### Main Actions Organised by Hungarian Network

Activity	Organisation in Charge	Location	Involved Countries
Intercultural cities, 2017	Palantír Film Vizuális Antropológiai Alapítvány - Partner	Israel, Finland, Sweden, Poland, Czech R., Hungary, Slovenia	Israel, Finland, Sweden, Poland, Czech R., Hungary, Slovenia
Be Effective! Enhancing Intercultural Dialogue Media Skills in Central and Eastern Europe, 2017	Palantír Film Vizuális Antropológiai Alapítvány - Partner	Czech Republic, Hungary, Slovenia, Poland, Slovakia, Lithuania	Czech Republic, Hungary, Slovenia, Poland, Slovakia, Lithuania, Tunisia, Morocco
Art as a Medium Conference and Festival, 2015	Palantír Film Vizuális Antropológiai Alapítvány	Budapest	Hungary
Dialogue Road, 2013	Art for Heritage Cultural Association	Kecskemet, Balatonlelle, Budapest, Nagyvaszony	Hungary
Intercultural Interactive Festival, 2013	Palantír Film Visual Anthropological Foundation	Budapest	Hungary



## Ireland



***Currently the Network is coordinated by: Triskel Arts Centre (Cork) and the Chester Beatty Library (Dublin)***

***The members of the Irish Network are organisations interested in arts, cultural, youth, promotion of peace and reconciliation, interfaith and educational establishments, spread all over the country. The Network focuses on national and trans-Mediterranean Initiatives related to conflict resolution and peace culture, taking place mainly in the fields of education and artistic creation.***

In 2020, the Chester Beatty Library, Mary Immaculate College and Maynooth University concluded the development of the first Intercultural Museum programme for schools through object-based learning and online learning resources. Several books were published such as, ‘Spud’ (2020) by Irish artist Deirdre O’Mahony, partly related to her involvement in the ALF activities in Morocco and her subsequent residency at Jiwari in Barcelona; ‘War, Suffering and the Struggle for Human Rights’ (2020) by Irish Network documentary filmmaker Peadar King; ‘Connecting Lives: Interbelief Dialogue in Contemporary Ireland (2019) by Dr. Patricia Kieran, which resulted from the Network’s national action.

The National Youth Council of Ireland partnered with Al Jana in Lebanon to run ‘Transforming Shadows’, a week-long youth exchange on conflict transformation (2016-2017). The Network partnered two Cross-Network Activities with other ALF Networks: the ‘Kimiyya, Women Actresses of Dialogue’ conference in Naples and the forum ‘Intercultural Artistic Expression in Fragile Areas’ (2017) in Tunisia. Members participated and presented at the IEMed event in Tarragona (2015), ‘Promoting non-formal and intercultural education forum’. The activity ‘Art as an Instrument and Expression of Social Change’ (2014) in Morocco involved 14 members of the Network.

The CSO Sports Against Racism Ireland (SARI) took part in the exchange twinning scheme with the Moroccan International North South Cooperation Center (2013). Irish CSO leaders took part in the ALF meeting on Non-Violence held in Napoli (2010) with former combatants, social activists and cultural operators from the region. The training, ‘Funding Development Education in Youth Work’ (2009), was organised by the Irish National Youth Council. A series of activities entitled ‘STOP JUDGING ME!’ were organised by the Cork Diocesan Youth Council in the context of the ‘Restore Trust, Rebuild Bridges’ Campaign (2008). Common actions undertaken included: ‘Hip Hop to Cork’, a national programme of youth music workshops and ‘Understanding Islam in Irish Education’, a training organised by the Head of Network.

60 civil society organisations are involved in the Irish Network

15 CSOs represented at the ALF EuroMed Forums (Valletta (2016) / Marseille (2013))

Ireland is one of the 29 countries surveyed for the Report on Intercultural Trends

In 2013 in Dublin, on the occasion of World Press Freedom Day, the Anna Lindh Foundation in collaboration with the Irish Network organised 'Media and Intercultural Relations in the Mediterranean Region' conference

Dublin City University in 2008 played an active role in the '1001 Actions for Dialogue' campaign which included bringing the Palestinian hip-hop group Ramallah to Dublin.

Morocco, Lebanon, Tunisia and Algeria are the countries that Irish civil society organisations have most partnered with through the Anna Lindh Grants Programme

The ALF Advisory Council Member:  
Ann Luttrell  
(current)

### Partnerships Established through Anna Lindh Grants

Algeria	4	Israel	2	Slovenia	2
Belgium	1	Jordan	2	Sweden	1
Bulgaria	8	Lebanon	1	Tunisia	2
Cyprus	2	Lithuania	1	UK	2
Finland	1	Morocco	2		
France	4	Palestine	3		
Greece	1	Portugal	3		

## ALF Network in Ireland Main Projects with Irish Civil Society Organisations

Projects	Irish Organisation	Partner Countries
The Anna Lindh Virtual Academy, 2020*	Chester Beatty - partner	Morocco, Germany, Belgium, UK, Turkey
MOVEMENT, 2020*	Herstory - leader; AkiDwA and Our Table - partner	Czech Republic, Slovenia, Palestine, Egypt
Shadows: young people dealing with conflict, 2015	The National Youth Council of Ireland - leader	Lebanon
Artistic Justice: Positions on the Place of Justice in Art, 2013	Eva International - leader	Morocco

## Main Actions Organised by Irish Network

Activity	Organisation in Charge	Location	Involved Countries
Expression artistique interculturelle en zones fragiles, 2017	Triskel Arts Centre - partner	Tunisia	Algeria, Finland, France, Greece, Ireland, Lebanon, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Tunisia, Morocco, UK
Education Non Formelle et Interculturelle en Méditerranée, 2016	Triskel Arts Centre - partner	Spain	Morocco, Algeria, France, Ireland, Jordan, Lebanon, Lithuania, Palestine, Portugal, Tunisia, Belgium
Intercultural Competences for Social Cohesion and Integration in Ireland, 2015	The Chester Beatty Library	Dublin, Limerick, Cork,	Ireland
Art as an Expression and Instrument of Social Change, 2014	Triskel Arts Centre	Taroudent	Ireland and Morocco
Understanding Islam in Irish Education, 2012	The Chester Beatty Library	Limerick and Dublin	Ireland



***Currently the Network is coordinated by: Oranim International School***

***The ALF Network in Israel aims at enhancing ethnic and cultural understanding, ameliorate social tensions and empower civil society players through Mediterranean and Israeli-Palestinian cooperation. To date, most members of the Israeli Network work in the areas of education, youth, arts, democracy, human rights, gender issues, media and research.***

As one of seven partners in the 2017 ‘Intercultural Cities Cross-Network Activity’ led by the Slovenian Network, the Israeli Network organised the kick-off meeting in Jerusalem, Israel and participated in the main event, the ‘International EuroMed Forum’, in Slovenia. The forum reinforced the exchange between organisations working on intercultural issues in cities throughout the EuroMed region, and building new partnerships and new projects among Heads of Networks and member organisations from involved Networks.

The 2010 ‘EuroMediterranean Abrahamic Forum’ initiative, led by an Israeli Network member with partners from Belgium, Jordan, Palestine and Poland, came to fruition with a series of activities involving religious leaders and interfaith practitioners. The forum focused on reinforcing harmonious relations between Christians, Jews and Muslims. Also in 2010, National Common Actions were launched, which included Women, ‘Environment, Film and Reclaiming the City Square: Urban Protests in the Mediterranean’.

Following the launch of the ALF’s 2009 ‘Restore Trust, Rebuild Bridges’, Israeli civil society developed local and regional cooperation projects, including ‘Negev Unplugged! Bedouin and Jewish citizens learn together about sustainable development’; ‘Return to Haifa’; and the large-scale cultural event ‘Border Line’. In the framework of the ‘1001 Actions for Dialogue’ (2008) campaign, grassroots actions—including the initiative ‘My Grandfather’s Heritage’—focused on addressing issues of cultural heritage with young people.



225 civil society organisations are involved in the Israeli Network

Italy, Palestine and Germany are the countries that the Israeli civil society organisations have most partnered with through the Anna Lindh Grants Programme

16 new projects mobilised by the ALF through the '1001 Actions for Dialogue' campaign

22 CSOs represented at the ALF EuroMed Forums (Valletta (2016) / Marseille (2013))

Israel is one of the 29 countries surveyed for the Report on Intercultural Trends

Yoav Stern, Gideon Levy, Lisa Goldman, Izhar Beer, Haggai Matar, Mairav Zonszein (special mention) have received the Anna Lindh Foundation Journalist Award between 2007 and 2013

In 2010, the ALF EuroMed Dialogue Award: 'Combatants for Peace and Ecopeace' and 'Friends of the Earth of Middle East'

The ALF Advisory Council Member: Prof. Yaarah Bar On (current); Alisa Simha Ginio and Ron Barkai (former)

## Partnerships Established through Anna Lindh Grants

Albania	1	Egypt	2	Jordan	8	Romania	1
Algeria	1	Estonia	2	Latvia	1	Slovenia	1
Austria	9	Finland	3	Lebanon	2	Spain	5
Belgium	2	France	1	Luxembourg	6	Sweden	4
Bulgaria	2	Germany	11	Malta	3	Netherlands	3
Croatia	1	Greece	1	Morocco:	5	Turkey	6
Cyprus	1	Hungary	4	Palestine	15	United Kingdom	4
Czech Republic	1	Ireland	1	Poland	5		
Denmark	6	Italy	15	Portugal	1		

## ALF Network in Israel

### Main Projects with Israeli Civil Society Organisations

Projects	Israeli Organisation	Partner Countries
Start to listen – gender equality from the perspective of young people, 2020*	Kayan Feminist Organization - partner	Austria, Greece, Lebanon
Learning from Europe to Improve Intercultural Relations in Israel, 2020*	Center for Advancement in Peace Initiatives - leader and Israel Social TV (ISTV) - partner	Austria, Italy
Intercultural cities, 2020*	Oranim College of Education - partner	Sweden, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Slovenia, Czech Republic, Hungary, Finland
EMpowering Youth - Improving capacity for EuroMed youth projects, 2020*	Baladna - Association for Arab Youth - partner	Morocco, France, Jordan, Palestine, Spain, Greece, United Kingdom
Global Learning through Digital Stories, 2020*	Interfaith Encounter Association - partner	Hungary, United Kingdom



Latvian-Israeli joint effort in building social inclusion through education, 2015	Merchavim-The Institute for the Advancement of Shared Citizenship in Israel - partner	Latvia
Ecotourism-Heritage-Education (EHE): A partnership for intercultural citizenship in 3 conflict zones, 2015	Dead Sea and Arava Science Centre (DSASC) - partner	Albania, Jordan
Ecotourism-Heritage-Education (EHE): A partnership for intercultural citizenship in 3 conflict zones, 2015	Eilat-Eilot Environmental Unit - leader	Albania, Jordan
Living Bridge for Intercultural Dialogue, 2013	Sparkpro - leader	United Kingdom
The Magic of Non-Verbal Communication: Circus Arts for Social Change, 2012	Galilee Foundation for Value Education - leader	Netherlands
The 99% Remix: An intercultural Hip Hop Opera for Social Change, 2012	ActiveVision - leader	Germany, Sweden
From Shiloah to Silwan, 2010	Emek Shaveh - leader	Germany, Palestine
Raising awareness on the issue of displacement in Israel and the Palestinian Territory, 2010	ICAHD - leader	Italy, United Kingdom
Israël, Palestine: quelles voix, quelles voies pour renouer le dialogue?, 2009	Activestills collective - partner	Luxembourg, Palestine
ARTiculating Values, 2009	Israel Commission for UNESCO - partner	Austria, Denmark, Hungary, Netherlands, Turkey
Facilitating Political Dialogue in the Baltic-Mediterranean Axis, 2009	IPCRI Israel Palestine - partner	Croatia, Estonia, Finland, Greece, Morocco
Social Transformation in Inter-cultural Conflict - Israel and Palestine, 2009	Young Israeli forum for cooperation YIFC - partner	Austria, Germany, Palestine
EuroMediterranean Abrahamic Forum, 2009	Interfaith encounter association - leader	Belgium, Jordan, Palestine, Poland
Building A United Negev Youth Leadership Forum, 2009	Shatil - leader	United Kingdom
Leaving Places, Shaping Places, 2007	Hebrew University - partner	Germany, Poland, Turkey
DGAP 11th International Summer School, 2007	The Young Israeli Forum for Cooperation - partner	Germany, Spain, Turkey
Vox Pacis, Voice Of Freedom, 2007	Promoting Moran Choir Beit Yizhak - partner	Sweden, Estonia, Palestine
Title Illuminating Picasso's Dove of Peace, 2007	The Peres Center for Peace - leader	Malta, Palestine, Spain
EuroMediterranean School Forum 'Intercultural Dialogue', 2006	Israel National Commission for UNESCO - partner	Austria, Lebanon, Denmark
Week of Global Education, 2006	The Fellowship Society of the Salesian Graduates - partner	Italy, Palestine, Spain
Leading for Peace, 2006	Young Israeli Forum for Cooperation - leader	Germany, Palestine, Italy

## Main Actions Organised by Israeli Network

Activity	Organisation in Charge	Location	Involved Countries
Intercultural cities, 2017	The Van Leer Jerusalem Institute - partner	Israel, Finland, Sweden, Poland, Czech R., Hungary, Slovenia	Israel, Finland, Sweden, Poland, Czech R., Hungary, Slovenia
Intercultural Challenges and Community Empowerment, 2015	Mahapach-Taghir	Tel Aviv, Nazareth, Jerusalem, Yaffat al-Nassera, Tamra, Maghar, Kiryat Shmona	Israel
Reclaiming the City Square: Urban Protests in the Mediterranean, 2014	The Van Leer Jerusalem Institute	Jerusalem and Tel Aviv	Israel
WEF - Women, Environment, Film, 2012	Women in the Picture Association	City of Rehovot, Galilee area and Negev area	Israel

***Currently the Network is coordinated by: Rete Italiana per il Dialogo EuroMediterraneo (RIDE-APS)***

***After five years of successful promotion of a new quality-based and evidence-based membership, the ALF's Italian Network currently includes highly qualified and publicly known members, located all over the country.***

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The Italian Network for the EuroMediterranean Dialogue (RIDE-APS), the ALF Head of Network in Italy, has developed innovative activities since 2020 directly or through its patronage. The Cerealia Festival is the Italian Network's 10-year EuroMed best practice, with its three main sponsored initiatives.

1—The proposed network of ancient Greek and Roman theatres in the EuroMed Region, discussed at the inter-institutional seminar, “A EuroMed Vision for Youth, Culture, and Employability: Scaena Mediterranea” (Italian Foreign Ministry: November 12, 2020).

2—“Women for Collective Identities: Peace, Security and Identitary Cuisine”, engaging Italian, Egyptian, Jordanian, Israeli, and Palestinian women selected through their respective ALF HoNs (Ragusa Ibla: October 2020).

3—The second annual Ponza Prima-Med Inter-Institutional Conference (Island of Ponza: September 13–14, 2020), celebrating the 25th anniversary of the Barcelona process with leaders of ALF, UfM, UNAOc, and PRIMA Foundation that launched the EuroMed Manifesto on sustainability. The follow-up seminar of November 2020 will be held in anticipation of the third annual event (Ventotene Island, 2021).

Italian people were surveyed twice in the framework of the ALF Intercultural Trends Survey in 2012 and 2016 and analyses of the data collected are analysed in two editions of the Anna Lindh Report. In 2018, the third edition of the Report was organised at the Italian Senate with an important presence of the Italian Network.

58 civil society organisations members of both the ALF Italian Network and the 76-member RIDE-APS' ALF HoN's network

On the occasion of the last ALF Call for Proposals, RIDE-APS presented projects in partnership with Egyptian, Jordanian, Palestinian, Moroccan, Israeli, and Turkish HoNs

During the Marseille Summit of the Two Shores, the participants selected both the French-Italian Initiative “Scaena Mediterranea: Greek-Roman Theatres and Mediterranean Identities”, and the Circular Economy's project in the Mediterranean cities, presented at the Ponza Prima-Med 2020 event

Italy was one of the 52 countries surveyed for the Report on Intercultural Trends

55 Italian CSOs were represented at the ALF Forums (Marseille, 2013/ Malta 2016)

Awards: Annalisa Monfreda (2007), Ennio Remondino (2009), Francesca Caferri (2012) received Anna Lindh Journalist Award; Teatro Valle Occupato (2012) received the EuroMed Dialogue Award (2012)

ALF Advisory Council Members: Paola Sarcina (current); Salvatore Bono, Amb.Lucio Guerrato and Michele Capasso (former)

## Partnerships Established through Anna Lindh Grants

Albania	1	France	29	Lithuania	1	Sweden	2
Algeria	17	Germany	4	Malta	1	Syria	6
Belgium	3	Greece	18	Montenegro	1	Netherlands	6
Bosnia Herzegovina	3	Hungary	1	Morocco	27	Tunisia	18
Bulgaria	3	Israel	15	Palestine	22	Turkey	22
Cyprus	3	Italy	1	Poland	7	United Kingdom	4
Denmark	1	Jordan	22	Romania	4		
Egypt	36	Latvia	1	Slovenia	1		
Estonia	2	Lebanon	13	Spain	23		

## ALF Network in Italy

### Main Projects with Italian Civil Society Organisations

Projects	Italian Organisation	Partner Countries
OLHARES DO MEDITERRÂNEO - Women's Film Festival: Awareness and empowering, 2020*	Social promotion associations "Luki Massa" / Some prefer Cake – Bologna Lesbian Film Festival - partner	Morocco, Spain, Lebanon, France, Portugal, Palestine, Turkey
Rediscovering and promoting the Palestinian and Italian Cultural Heritage and Identity through the Eyes of Children and Artists, 2020*	Vento di Terra - partner	Palestine
Learning from Europe to Improve Intercultural Relations in Israel, 2020*	Angelo Frammartino Foundation - partner	Israel, Austria
Ponza Prima Med, 2020*	Rete Italiana per il Dialogo Euromediterraneo (R.I.D.E – A.P.S.)	Palestine, Egypt
We hear your voice, 2020*	Arciragazzi Portici "Utopia Attanasio" - partner	Jordan, Spain, Palestine
Recycle in Fashion - RinF, 2020*	ComeUnaMarea Onlus	Egypt, Slovenia
Sustaining Intercultural Dialogue through Deeper Understanding of Mediterranean Food (SIDUMEF), 2020*	CIRCOLO FESTAMBIENTE (LEGAMBIENTE) - partner	Egypt, Palestine, Greece, Morocco

Women!- Daphne, Echo, Io and the others, 2015	Astragali Teatro – Eufonia scrl - leader and UNIVERSITY OF SALENTO- Department of History, Society and Human Studies and XENIA-Performers Ensemble Network for the Internationalisation of Artists - partner	Tunisia, Turkey, Greece
Web Arts Résistances, 2015	Babelmed - leader	Tunisia, Lebanon, France
WATERranean, building an interculture of water in MED area, 2015	Kallipolis - leader	Lebanon, Bosnia-Herzegovina
LEB-SARD Festival, 2015	Zico House - leader and Associazione Culturale Anton Stadler and Comune di Iglesias - partner	Lebanon
I-Gender, 2015	Giosef UNITO - partner	Spain, Egypt, Palestine, Jordan
Game for EuroMed - GEM, 2015	CE.S.I.E - Centro Studi ed Iniziative Europeo - leader	France, Palestine, Egypt
EUROMED Education Without Borders, 2015	Fondazione Mondinsieme del Comune di Reggio Emilia - partner	Egypt, Latvia, Sweden, Algeria, Tunisia, Estonia, United Kingdom, Spain, Morocco
As Life: Sharing Experiences through Arts, 2015	Dancewoods Association. Culturale - partner	Palestine, France
Med-Itinérante: Femmes et Cinéma en Route pour un Dialogue Social, 2013	Cinemovel Foundation - leader	Tunisia
Across the Sea, 2013	Servizio Civile Internazionale - leader	Israel, Malta, Spain
La Lingue des Signes Comme Élément d'Inclusion Sociale des Femmes et des Jeunes Sourds, 2012	Ente Nazionale per la Protezione e l'assistenza dei Sordi ens Onlus - leader	Algeria
Intercultural Dialogue between Italy and Morocco (Exit GBV dialogue), 2012	Associazione Differenza Donna - leader	Morocco
Acting Diversity. A Project of Intercultural Theatre for Political Refugees and Young, 2012	Teatro dell'Argine - leader	Palestine, United Kingdom
There is here: Citizenship(s) of Moroccan Immigrant Women, 2010	Associazione "Orlando" - leader	Morocco
Lives Re-Veiled: An Enquiry about Veil across Mediterranean, 2010	Paralleli - Istituto Euromediterraneo del Nord Ovest - leader	Israel, Egypt, Morocco
Through Desert and Sea Migratory Journeys towards Mediterranean Cities, 2010	Servizio Civile Internazionale - leader	Israel, Egypt, Morocco
www.Euomedradio.org portal, 2009	Circolo Culturale Africa - leader	Israel, Morocco, Palestine, Spain
The Rights Perspective, 2009	Opportunities Aid Foundation - leader	Egypt, Lithuania, Turkey
JAM: Jeunesse Artistique de la Méditerranée, L'Art Comme Moyen Pour la Paix, 2009	Associazione Culturale Link - leader	Algeria, Jordan, Spain, Turkey, Morocco
Avoir 20 ans en Méditerranée, 2007	Associazione Babelmed - leader	Lebanon, Spain, Turkey
Nourriture et Interculture dans l'Expérience Migratoire, 2007	Centro di Formazione Professionale - leader	France, Morocco, Tunisia
Week of Global Education, 2006	Volontariato Internazionale per lo Sviluppo - leader	Israel, Palestine, Spain
Going Public '06. Atlante Mediterraneo, 2006	Associazione Culturale Amazelab - leader	Egypt, Spain, Turkey, Cyprus
Mediterranean Women's Course on Development, 2006	Centro di Educazione Sanitaria e Tecnologie Appropriate Sanitarie - leader	Tunisia, France, Lebanon
EuroMed Gender Connexion, 2006	Centro Studi ed Iniziative Europei - leader	Egypt, Estonia, Jordan
Zalab TV, 2006	Lunaria - leader	Tunisia, Spain, Palestine

## Main Actions Organised by Italian Network

Activity	Organisation in Charge	Location	Involved Countries
Kimiyya. Les Femmes actrices du Dialogue, 2017	Fondazione Laboratorio Mediterraneo Onlus (FLM) - leader	France, Tunisia Algeria, Malta, Albania, Bosnia, Italy	France, Tunisia Algeria, Malta, Albania, Bosnia, Italy
IMAP Intercultural MAP of your city, 2015	CEIPES International Center for Promotion of Education and Development	Palermo and Naples	Italy
Mediterranean Networking. Step Two: Towards a Common Mediterranean Identity, 2013	Fondazione Mediterraneo, Paralleli, Fispmed	Venice and Naples	Italy
Mediterranean Networking: Step One: Lampedusa , 2012	ARCI	Lampedusa and other locations	Italy, Tunisia, Albania





***Currently the Network is coordinated by: Royal Institute for Inter-Faith Studies (RIIFS)  
The Jordanian Network includes members in the capital and several governorates, working in many sectors. The goal is to promote acceptance of pluralism and cultural diversity, mutual respect among societies, religions and beliefs, and the acknowledgement of the rule of law and fundamental freedoms in the EuroMed region.***

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The ‘EuroMed Women for Dialogue Forum’ (2019) was held in Amman and organised by the ALF in cooperation with the Jordanian Head of Network. The event aimed at promoting multiple and renewed images of women as agents for the promotion of intercultural dialogue in the region. In 2018, HRH Prince El Hassan Bin Talal met with Dr Al-Sharif, Executive Director of the ALF, along with a group of members from the Jordanian Network, and directors of the partner institutions and academics. Jordanian youth organisations and universities took part in the ‘Erasmus+ Virtual Exchange’ programme (2017), providing an accessible way for young people to engage in intercultural learning.

The training workshop, ‘Arts: A language for dialogue’ (2017), targeted a group of young people from different parts and municipalities of Jordan, including a group of refugees. Participants were introduced to the concept of dialogue and diversity management; the culture of dialogue, peace and non-violence was raised. With the financial support of the ALF, Jordan was selected amongst Tunisia and Morocco to implement ‘Young Mediterranean Voices National Debate Clubs’ (2016).

The ‘Network Empowerment’ meeting (2012) was organised in the framework of the ‘Dawrak: Citizens for Dialogue’ programme. The Network pioneered the ‘Active Citizenship’ programme with activities in Amman, Ajloun, Jerash, Zaatari Camps and Mafraq; in 2011 it organised its first common action, ‘Alwan Baladna’, a festival in collaboration with Network members and under the patronage of HRH Prince El Hassan bin Talal. In the same year, the ALF organised the first ‘EuroMed High-Level Meeting of TV Leaders’ at the Dead Sea in Jordan.



At the start of 2007, the ALF organised in Amman, in partnership with the Network, a national training for NGOs and civil society groups. The same year, a seminar on ‘Linguistic Awareness of Cultures’ and a teacher training workshop on ‘How to Use New Teaching Materials on Religious Diversity in the Classroom’ took place. During this period, member organisations also participated in the ALF Grants scheme, building new partnerships in over 30 EuroMed countries and launching dialogue initiatives.

122 civil society organisations are involved in the Jordanian Network

44 CSOs represented at ALF EuroMed Forums (Valletta (2016) / Marseille (2013))

Italy, Egypt and Palestine are the countries that the Jordanian civil society organisations have most partnered with through the Anna Lindh Grant Programme

In 2013, Jordanian Rabeea Najm Al-Din Al-Naser, House of Tales and Music (HTM), won the EuroMed Dialogue Award

18 new projects mobilised by the ALF through the '1001 Actions for Dialogue' campaign

25 educators from 20 countries attended the 'Teacher Training Workshop' on 'How to Use New Teaching Materials on Religious Diversity in the Classroom' in Amman (2007)

25 Jordanian participants have taken part in 'Dawrak: Capacity-Building' trainings

Jordan is one of the 29 countries surveyed for the Report on Intercultural Trends

The ALF Advisory Council Members: Amb. Rowaida Al-Ma'aitah (current); Taher Nashat Masri (former)

## Partnerships Established through Anna Lindh Grants

Albania	1	Estonia	2	Lithuania	4		
Algeria	8	France	9	Malta	1	Spain	10
Austria	3	Germany	5	Morocco	8	Sweden	3
Belgium	9	Greece	15	Palestine	18	Syria	3
Bulgaria	5	Hungary	2	Poland	8	Netherlands	14
Cyprus	3	Ireland	1	Portugal	2	Tunisia	9
Czech Republic	1	Israel	8	Romania	7	Turkey	14
Denmark	5	Italy	22	Slovak Republic	1	United Kingdom	2
Egypt	20	Lebanon	11	Slovenia	1		

## ALF Network in Jordan

### Main Projects with Jordanian Civil Society Organisations

Projects	Jordanian Organisation	Partner Countries
How I See You: Creating Diverse Digital Communities, 2020*	JORDAN Youth Innovation Forum - partner	Poland, Egypt, Spain
We hear your voice, 2020	Arab Women Media Center (AWMC) (مركز نساء الإعلام)	Italy, Spain, Palestine
EMpowering Youth - Improving capacity for EuroMed youth projects, 2020*	Space for Sustainable Development - partner	Morocco, Israel, France, Palestine, Spain, Greece, United Kingdom
Artists in Residence: Exploration of Art, Humanity and Dialogue, 2020*	Royal Institute for Inter-Faith Studies (RIIFS)	Cyprus, Lebanon
I-Gender, 2015	I Dare For Sustainable Development - partner	Italy, Egypt, Palestine, Spain
HOME - NEW HOME, 2015	Arab Women Media Center (AWMC) (مركز نساء الإعلام) - ALF Jordanian Steering Committee Member - partner	Palestine, Turkey, Greece, Lebanon



Expressions in Dialogue, 2015	JORDAN Youth Innovation Forum (JYIF) بابايشولاع ادبالل يندرالآ ي قتلوملا - partner	Lebanon, Spain, Turkey, Estonia, Greece, Lithuania, Egypt
Ecotourism-Heritage-Education (EHE): A partnership for intercultural citizenship in 3 conflict zones, 2015	iGREENs - partner	Albania, Israel
Diaspora - Awareness about Migrations in the Mediterranean, 2015	I-Dare - partner	Portugal
Debate Tournament and Public Debate: From Romania to Jordan, 2013	Leaders of Tomorrow	Romania
Youth E-collaboration in Intercultural Dialogue, 2012	East and West Center for Human Resources Development	Egypt, Latvia, Palestine, Spain
The Role of Interfaith Cooperation in Immigrants' Integration, 2010	The United Religions Initiative (URI) - leader	Belgium, Israel, Morocco, Romania
EuroMediterranean Academy for Young Journalists Amsterdam, 2009	Arab Women Media Center - AWMC - partner	Netherlands, Egypt, Morocco, Palestine
Dance Refl-action: Pedagogy of Contemporary Dance in the EuroMediterranean, 2009	Al Balad Theatre - partner	Lebanon, Italy, Egypt, Netherlands
EuroMediterranean Abrahamic Forum, 2009	Youth Spirit Center - partner	Israel, Belgium, Palestine, Poland
Mediterraneum United, 2009	Bridges for Peace - partner	Slovenia, Italy, Germany, Jordan, Palestine, Poland, Syria
Effective Communication for the People with Special Needs, 2009	Family and Friend's People with Special Needs - partner	Egypt, France, Germany, Lebanon, Tunisia
JAM: Jeunesse Artistique de la Méditerranée, L'Art Comme Moyen Pour la Paix, 2009	Youth Spirit Center - partner	Italy, Algeria, Turkey, Spain, Morocco
Istikshaf: Exploring Mobility, 2009	The Arab Education Forum - leader	Jordan, Egypt, France, Jordan, Lebanon, Sweden
EMSF: Dialogue Meetings & Knowledge Management, 2007	Friends of Archaeology and Heritage - partner	Austria, Denmark, Hungary, Israel, Lebanon, Netherlands
Drama as a Context for Learning, International Summer School, 2007	The Arab Education Forum - partner	Palestine, Greece, Lebanon, UK
Gate to the East Festival and Web Portal, 2007	National Music Conservatory - partner	Hungary, Israel, Italy, Poland
HAKAYA: The Centrality of Stories for Art, Dialogue, and Life, 2007	The Arab Education Forum - leader	Denmark, France, Denmark
The Mediterranean 'Brain Drain', 2006	Center for Strategic Studies - partner	Cyprus, Turkey, Italy
Programme for the Study of Islam in Europe, 2006	The Royal Institute of Inter-Faith Studies - partner	Egypt, Czech Republic, Germany, Cyprus
Med-Youth Creating A Sustainable Med-Future, 2006	Friends of Earth Middle East - ECOPEACE - partner	Greece, Turkey, Italy, Egypt, Poland, Belgium, Palestine
Rainbow of Music, 2006	Friends of Culture Jordanian Forum/ AS.HAB - leader	UK, Turkey, Poland, Spain, Italy, Egypt, France, Morocco

## Main Actions Organised by Jordanian Network

Activity	Organisation in Charge	Location	Involved Countries
Education Non Formelle et Interculturelle en Méditerranée, 2016	Royal Institute for Inter-Faith Studies - partner	Spain	Morocco, Algeria, France, Ireland, Jordan, Lebanon, Lithuania, Palestine, Portugal, Tunisia, Belgium
Media and Music for Peaceful and Inclusive Society, 2015	Royal Institute for Inter-Faith Studies	Amman, Zaatar Village, Mafraq, Karak and Madaba	Jordan
Active Citizenship program (part II), 2014	Royal Institute for Inter-Faith Studies	Salt, Dana and Zaatar (Mafraq)	Jordan
Alwan Baladna: Al Urdun Bi Soyouni, 2012	Royal Institute for Inter-Faith Studies	Ajloun, Dana, Dana Nature Reserve and in Shafa Badran.	Jordan



*Currently the Network is coordinated by: Latvijas Bērnu forums Women's NGOs Cooperation Network*

*The ALF Latvian Network works across the fields of culture, media, education and youth. There is great diversity of different activities organised by the Network, which let Latvian society face and experience intercultural dialogue within the EuroMed Region; moreover, most of the activities are focusing on potential future cooperation in the field of culture, media, youth and education.*

The ALF financed the project 'Social Inclusion through Education' (2017) of the Latvian and Israeli Network. They trained almost 300 multipliers, focusing on developing their social and civic competences in formal and non-formal education. In 2014, the Latvian National Network organised for the fourth time the festival 'On the Other Shore of the Mediterranean'. The objective of the festival was to raise awareness in society about cultural diversity in the EuroMed region and promote cooperation between Latvian civil society and Southern Mediterranean countries. The festival included dance performances and workshops, language and dance classes, exhibitions, film evenings, concerts and debates, lectures and meetings with experts on the current situation in the region.

The 'Forum on Neighbourhood Cooperation' (2012) was organised to inform Latvian organisations of civil society on the opportunities of cooperation with Mediterranean and the other two neighbouring regions of the EU. In the same year, the Latvian Network organised two training courses entitled 'Do it with EuroMed I/II' for youth groups from across the country. In 2010, the ALF Latvian Network implemented a study visit/travel competition titled '1001 faces of the Mediterranean'.

42 civil society organisations are involved in the Latvian Network

Egypt, Jordan and Tunisia are the countries that the Latvian civil society organisations partnered with through the Anna Lindh Grants Programme

6 new projects mobilised by the ALF through the '1001 Actions for Dialogue' campaign

Latvia is one of the 29 countries surveyed for the Report on Intercultural Trends

In December 2013, the Agency for International Programmes for Youth Head of Latvian Network organised a training on 'Democracy, citizenship and youth participation' in Sharm El Sheikh

5 civil society organisations were represented at the Anna Lindh Forum 2013 in Marseille; 3 participants from 3 CSOs including the HoN attended the MEDForum in Valletta 2016

The ALF Advisory Council Member: Karina Pētersone

## Partnerships Established through Anna Lindh Grants

Algeria	1	Morocco	1
Egypt	3	Palestine	1
Estonia	1	Spain	1
Israel	1	Sweden	1
Italy	1	Tunisia	2
Jordan	2	United Kingdom	1
Lithuania	1		

## ALF Network in Latvia

### Main Projects with Latvian Civil Society Organisations

Projects	Latvia Organisation	Partner Countries
Interculture dialogue to combat hate speech, 2020*	Women's NGOs Cooperation Network (WNCNL) - partner	Egypt, Luxembourg, Spain, Belgium
Latvian-Israeli joint effort in building social inclusion through education, 2015	Agency for International Programs for Youth (Head of Network) - leader and European Movement - Latvia (Eiropas Kustība Latvijā) - partner	Israel
EUROMED Education Without Borders, 2015	"RADOŠAS INICIĀTĪVAS CENTRS" (Creative Initiative Center) - partner	Egypt, Estonia, Sweden, Algeria, Tunisia, Italy, United Kingdom, Spain, Morocco
Youth E-collaboration in Intercultural Dialogue, 2012	Youth Against AIDS - partner	Jordan, Egypt, Palestine, Spain
Baltic International Summer School: Intercultural Encounters in Eastern Europe and Mediterranean Area, 2009	Vidzeme University of Applied Sciences	Egypt, Lithuania, Tunisia

### Main Actions Organised by Latvian Network

Activity	Organisation in Charge	Location	Involved Countries
Cultural Diversity in Action, 2015	Agency for International Programs for Youth	Riga, Jurmala, Kusa, Liepāja, Saldus, Jelgava, Pāvilosta, Daugavpils and Viesīte	Latvia
On the Other Shore of the Mediterranean, 2014	Jaunatnes Starptautisko Programmu Aģentūra	Riga, Cesis, Saldus, Valmiera, Jelgava, Dobele	Latvia, Egypt and Jordan
On the Other Shore of the Mediterranean, 2013	Jaunatnes Starptautisko Programmu Aģentūra	Riga, Cesis, Zaube, Valmiera, Daugavpils, Vabole, Saldus, Dobele, Jelgava un Ozolnieku novads, Jurmala, Aizpute, Liepāja	Latvia, Jordan, Tunisia, Israel, Sweden, Egypt
Alwan Baladna: Al Urdun Bi 3oyouni, 2012	Royal Institute for Inter-Faith Studies	Ajloun, Dana, Dana Nature Reserve and in Shafa Badran.	Jordan



*Currently the Network is coordinated by: Lebanese National Commission for UNESCO The Lebanese Network of the ALF is very diverse in their forms (NGOs, universities, schools, municipalities), their demographics (from all Lebanese regions) and their fields of action (culture, education, environment, arts, dialogue, refugees, etc.), and organises activities, seminars and workshops in the fields of education, science, culture and information.*

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The Lebanese Head of Network partnered in three Cross-Network activities: ‘Best Practice Social and Creative Enterprise Training’ (2017), ‘Expression artistique interculturelle en zones fragiles’ (2017) and ‘Education Non Formelle et Interculturelle en Méditerranée’ (2016). The Lebanese Association for History partnered with EuroClio (lead CSO) and Association for Historical Dialogue and Research (Cyprus), implementing the ‘Learning about (Y)our Past’ (2017) project funded by the ALF. The learning activities were published in English, Arabic, Greek and Turkish. The Lebanese Network member Association SABIL—ASSABIL established Youth Debate Hubs with the financial support of the ALF in the framework of the Young Mediterranean Voices programme (2016).

The Lebanese CSO Zoukak Theatre Company & Cultural Association received the 2014 EuroMed Award. They developed a specific approach to psychosocial interventions of drama therapy and socially engaged theatre, providing arts education to diverse groups. A twinning exchange supported by the ALF Exchange Programme took place between the Slovenian ‘Art+ and Lebanese WILL Association’ (2013). They created a programme for Psychosocial support for 3,000 Syrian Refugees children that was successfully implemented. The ‘Dawrak—Education for Intercultural Citizenship’ training took place in Beirut in 2013.

In 2010, the Lebanese Network organised a series of cultural manifestations aimed at mobilising civil society for the principles of diversity. In the area of education, in 2009 the ALF organised, in partnership with the Lebanese Network, a training workshop for teachers on ‘Challenges of Diversity at the School in the EuroMed Region’ and training on ‘Teaching Religious Diversity in Beirut’. The winner of the 2008 EuroMed Award, Rima Maroun, had an exhibition entitled ‘The Whispers’ in Beirut in 2009 with the sponsorship of the EU Delegation. Under the patronage of the Ministry of Culture, the Network organised the ‘Cultural Arts Dialogue Night’ with more than 400 participants (2009). The ALF launched training activities for the Lebanese civil society on capacity-building, Networking and a project of proposal writing (2006/07). National actions launched with ALF support have included ‘Different but united: the Lebanese experience’, carried out in several regions of the country, and ‘Urban Space: Sharing daily life’, which focused on community participation.

140 civil society organisations are involved in the Lebanese Network

France, Turkey and Egypt are the countries that the Lebanese Network most partnered with through the Anna Lindh Grants Programme

200 people attended the opening of Rima Maroun's exhibition in 2009, the photographer and winner of the ALF EuroMed Dialogue Award for 2008

13 participants from several CSOs including the HoN attended the MEDForum in Valletta 2016

Nada Abdel Salam, Sophie Chamas and Rania Abouzeid have received the Anna Lindh Journalist Award between 2011 and 2013

16 participants attended the 'Sea of Words' creative writing workshop in Beirut in 2010

EuroMed Dialogue Award winner: Zoukak Theatre Company & Cultural Association and Rima Maroun

Lebanon is one of the 29 countries surveyed for the Report on Intercultural Trends

The ALF Advisory Council Member: Marwa Halwani Akkari (current); Antoine Messarra (former)



## Partnerships Established through Anna Lindh Grants

Algeria	4	Finland	1	Lithuania	2	Netherlands	4
Austria	3	France	22	Morocco	10	Tunisia	6
Belgium	4	Germany	11	Palestine	12	Turkey	14
Bosnia Herzegovina	1	Greece	9	Poland	2	United Kingdom	7
Cyprus	4	Hungary	2	Portugal	6		
Czech Republic	1	Ireland	3	Slovenia	1		
Denmark	5	Israel	2	Spain	11		
Egypt	14	Italy	13	Sweden	3		
Estonia	2	Jordan	12	Syria	3		

## ALF Network in Lebanon

### Main Projects with Lebanese Civil Society Organisations

Projects	Lebanese Organisation	Partner Countries
Start to Listen' – gender equality from the perspective of young people, 2020*	Hayya Bina - partner	Israel, Greece, Austria
OLHARES DO MEDITERRÂNEO - Women's Film Festival: Awareness and empowering, 2020*	Beirut Film Society and Band à Part Productions- partner	Morocco, Spain, Portugal, France, Italy, Palestine, Turkey
Mitigating Online Radicalisation and Hate Speech, 2020*	Aie Serve - partner	Bosnia and Herzegovina, Slovak Republic
Mothers and daughters: narratives on sexuality and relationships, 2020*	Collective for Research & Training on Development - Action (CRTD-A) - partner	Cyprus
Art Attack: Performance Art for Gender Equality (PAGE), 2020*	Haven for Artists - partner	Denmark, Morocco, Greece, Egypt
Artists in Residence: Exploration of Art, Humanity and Dialogue, 2020*	Forum for Development Culture and Dialogue FDCD - partner	Jordan, Cyprus
Intercultural dialogue between youth leaders from Lebanon, Palestine and the Netherlands to counter discrimination based on Freedom of Religion and Belief, 2020*	ALEF - act for human rights - partner	Netherlands, Palestine
Celebrating Our Diversity, 2020*	Lebanese National Commission for UNESCO - partner	Sweden, Germany, Finland
Web Arts Résistances, 2015	Mashallah News - partner	Tunisia, Italy, France
WATERanean, building an interculture of water in MED area, 2015	Association for Forests, Development and Conservation (AFDC)/Lebanon - partner	Italy, Bosnia-Herzegovina
Shadows: young people dealing with conflict, 2015	Arab Resource Center for Popular Arts (ARCPA) - partner	Ireland
Learning about (y)our past. History lessons for intercultural citizenship in the EuroMed region, 2015	Lebanese Association for Civil Rights (LACR) Lebanese Association for History - partner	Netherlands
HOME - NEW HOME, 2015	Istanbouli Theater -Tyro Association for Artists - partner	Palestine, Turkey, Jordan, Greece
Expressions in Dialogue, 2015	Dialogue for Life and Reconciliation - partner	Estonia, Spain, Turkey, Jordan, Greece, Lithuania, Egypt
Youth to Youth (Y2Y) - deliberations and sharing of experiences on the current Mediterranean Refugee and Migrant Crisis: its challenges, impacts and opportunities', 2015	Fondation libanaise pour la paix civile permanente (Lebanese Foundation for Permanent Civil Peace) - partner	Denmark, Turkey, Sweden
Act Now for the Migrant Domestic Workers in Cyprus and in Lebanon!, 2013	Amel Association - leader	Cyprus
Voyages du Geste 7, Looking for a Spring, 2012	Cooperative Association for Arts and Education - KHAYAL - leader	France, Italy, Palestine, Portugal
Video Advocacy Action V-A-A, 2012	Amel Association - leader	Hungary
Re-Place Beirut, 2010	Arab Image Foundation - leader	Germany
Inter-Cultural Gathering Dedicated to Non-Violence in the Arab Region, 2010	Lebanese Association for Civil Rights - leader	Netherlands
Research-Based Art // Art-Based Research, 2009	98 Weeks Research Project - partner	Germany, Palestine, Portugal, Turkey, UK
Effective Communication for the People with Special Needs, 2009	El Zawrak - partner	Egypt, France, Germany, Jordan, Tunisia



Istikshaf: Exploring Mobility, 2009	The Arab Theatre Training Center - partner	Jordan, Egypt, France, Jordan, Lebanon, Sweden
Tahqiq Sahafi: Journalisme Culturel et Enquêtes en Méditerranée, 2009	l'Orient le Jour - partner	France, Italy, Morocco, Palestine, Turkey
Fenix Cities, Art Workshops and Exhibitions in Warsaw and Beirut, 2009	Stowarzyszenie Integracji Kultury - leader	Poland
Dance Refl-action: Pedagogy of Contemporary Dance in the EuroMed, 2009	The Arab Theatre Training Center - leader	Italy, Egypt, Jordan, Netherlands
ADYAN Understanding, 2009	ADYAN Foundation - leader	France, Italy, Poland, Syria
ENAWU, Electronic Network for Arab-West Understanding, 2007	Center for Middle-Eastern Strategic Studies - partner	Egypt, Czech Republic, France, Germany
HAKAYA: The Centrality of Stories for Art, Dialogue, and Life, 2007	The Arab Theatre Training Center - partner	Jordan, Denmark, Jordan
IDEAmed2007: 'Identity and Education Across the Mediterranean', 2007	College Saint Francois des Peres Capucins - partner	Spain, Cyprus, Egypt, Italy
Drama as a Context for Learning, International Summer School, 2007	The Arab Theatre Training Center - partner	Palestine, Greece, Jordan, UK
Mediterranean Women's Course on Development, 2006	Center for Middle- Eastern Strategic Studies - partner	Italy, Tunisia, France
EuroMediterranean School Forum 'Intercultural Dialogue', 2006	Lebanese Commission for UNESCO - partner	Austria, Denmark
Plateforme RAMI 'Rencontres Arts et Multimedia International', 2006	Jeunes du Theatre et du Cinema - Leader	France, Egypt, Italy

## Main Actions Organised by Lebanese Network

Activity	Organisation in Charge	Location	Involved Countries
Best Practice Social and Creative Enterprise Training, 2017	Commission Nationale Libanaise pour UNESCO - partner	Greece	Greece, Germany, Lebanon, Sweden, UK
Expression artistique interculturelle en zones fragiles, 2017	Commission Nationale Libanaise pour UNESCO - partner	Tunisia	Algeria, Finland, France, Greece, Ireland, Lebanon, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Tunisia, Morocco, UK
Education Non Formelle et Interculturelle en Méditerranée, 2016	Commission Nationale Libanaise pour UNESCO - partner	Spain	Morocco, Algeria, France, Ireland, Jordan, Lebanon, Lithuania, Palestine, Portugal, Tunisia, Belgium
Public Libraries against Xenophobia	ASSABIL Association	Lebanon	Lebanon
Espace Urbain: Un Facteur de Solidarité, d'Union et de Partage dans Notre Vie Quotidienne, 2014	Commission Nationale Libanaise pour UNESCO	Lebanon	Lebanon
Différents mais Unis, l'Expérience Libanaise, 2012	Commission Nationale Libanaise pour UNESCO	Beirut, Tripoli, Bekaa, Zahlé	Lebanon



# Lithuania

*Currently the Network is coordinated by: Development Diversity Group*

*The Lithuanian Network of the ALF unites organisations ranging from universities and civil society to governmental and public institutions. The main objectives are: to strengthen Network capacities, trust and cooperation between members by increasing involvement, participation and institutional support of/for members. The Network also aims to become an institutionally recognised platform for those who would like to build cooperation with partners from the South.*

During Network meetings, the Lithuanian Network organises guest talks that stimulate learning and discussions. In 2020, Kamal Ahamada spoke about ‘Race, racialisation in contemporary Europe/Navigating racism in Lithuania (a personal journey)’. His talk focused on the notion of race and how civil society can spot and tackle the issue of racism and other forms of discrimination. The Head of Network succeeded in arranging the top training of 2020 for its members, ‘InterCap—Developing capacities together’ (learning about migration, security and sustainable development in an interdependent world).

The ‘Arab Culture Days’ that the Lithuanian Network has been arranging since 2012, is becoming a traditional yearly event of the Network, involving more members each year. It usually takes place not only in Vilnius, but also in smaller cities. The main goal is to turn to the richness of the Arab culture as well as diversity and present it through the prism of ethnicity and art. During the days of the event, artists, lecturers, journalists, writers, government representatives and musicians come together to represent their culture from Syria, Palestine, Morocco, Oman, Saudi Arabia, Iraq and India. The NGO Arab Culture Forum, an ALF Network member, is the leading organisation of this event.

‘Open doors for knowledge’ (2016) was a joint project involving more than 10 members of the Lithuanian Network and focused on educating teachers and members of civil society. The project was organised in four Lithuanian cities; more than 200 participants joined the conference and different project activities.

The Network has actively contributed in the ALF’s region-wide campaigns, including ‘1001 Actions for Dialogue’; ‘Restore Trust, Rebuild Bridges’; ‘Sea of Words’; and many others. Campaign actions included the initiative ‘Sea of Friendship’, which brought together Lithuanian, Israeli and Palestinian local authorities with a focus on cultural cooperation, and the development of the dialogue web platform ‘For Tolerance’.

59 civil society organisations are involved in the Lithuanian Network

Morocco, Jordan, Egypt and Tunisia are the countries that the Lithuanian civil society organisations most partnered with through the Anna Lindh Grant Programme

5 new projects mobilised by the ALF through the ‘1001 Actions for Dialogue’ campaign

In 2009, the Lithuanian Head of Network organised a training seminar entitled 'Lithuania in the EuroMed Context' in the framework of the Network Strategic Development Scheme's common operations

Annual Heads of Network meeting and EuroMed award ceremony were held in Vilnius in November 2013

4 civil society organisations represented at the Anna Lindh Forum 2013 in Marseille; 6 participants from different CSOs including the HoN attended the MEDForum in Valletta 2016

## Partnerships Established through Anna Lindh Grants

Algeria	1	France	1	Jordan	4	Palestine	1	Slovenia	1
Belgium	1	Greece	1	Latvia	1	Poland	2	Spain	1
Czech Republic	1	Hungary	1	Lebanon	2	Portugal	2	Tunisia	4
Egypt	4	Ireland	1	Malta	1	Romania	1	Turkey	2
Estonia	1	Italy	1	Morocco	4	Slovak Republic	1	UK	1

## ALF Network in Lithuania Main Projects with Lithuanian Civil Society Organisations

Projects	Lithuanian Organisation	Partner Countries
Act for dialogue, Be a plural citizen!, 2020*	Youth centre Babilonas - HoN - partner	United Kingdom, Portugal, Tunisia, France, Egypt, Turkey, Morocco, Spain
Expressions in Dialogue, 2015	National institute for social integration - partner	Lebanon, Spain, Turkey, Jordan, Greece, Estonia, Egypt
Programme des Jeunes Citoyens Engagés, 2012	Association for Social Initiatives Eurogemstl - partner	Morocco, Algeria, Egypt, France, Italy, Lithuania, Portugal, Romania, Uk
Cities of Migrants, 2010	Związek Harcerstwa Polskiego na Litwie - partner	Poland, Morocco
Encouraging the Communication between Lithuanian and Jordanian Organised Civil Societies, 2010	Lietuvos Pramonininkų Konfederacija - leader	Jordan
Baltic International Summer School: Intercultural Encounters in Eastern Europe and Mediterranean Area, 2009	Klaipėdos Verslo Kolegija - partner	Egypt, Latvia, Tunisia
The Rights Perspective, 2009	Globalios Idejos - partner	Italy, Turkey, Egypt
WISE: Women-Led Participation In European Projects, 2006	Social Innovation Fund - partner	Malta, Jordan, Tunisia

## Main Actions Organised by Lithuanian Network

Activity	Organisation in Charge	Location	Involved Countries
Be Effective! Enhancing Intercultural Dialogue Media Skills in Central and Eastern Europe, 2017	Lithuanian Confederation of Industrialists - partner	Czech Republic, Hungary, Slovenia, Poland, Slovakia, Lithuania	Czech Republic, Hungary, Slovenia, Poland, Slovakia, Lithuania, Tunisia, Morocco
Education Non Formelle et Interculturelle en Méditerranée, 2016	Lithuanian Confederation of Industrialists - partner	Spain	Morocco, Algeria, France, Ireland, Jordan, Lebanon, Lithuania, Palestine, Portugal, Tunisia, Belgium
Open doors for knowledge, 2015	Lithuanian Confederation of Industrialists	Alytus, Šiauliai, Kaunas, Vilnius	Lithuania
Arab Culture Days, 2014	Kultūros centras In Actio	Vilnius, Kaunas, Siauliai, Kedainiai	Lithuania
Arab Culture Days, 2012	Kultūros centras In Actio	Birstonas, Klaipėda and Vilnius	Lithuania



# Luxembourg



*Currently the Network is coordinated by: Centre culturel de Rencontre Abbaye de Neumünster (CCRN) and Our Common Future*

*The ALF Network of Luxembourg and the Greater Region is organising meetings between members, capacity-building events for civil society, as well as intercultural public fora. Members mutually support one another in their activities and design new joint projects in the field of intercultural dialogue.*

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In the preparatory phase of the EuroMed Forum 2020, the Network proposed two activities that are applied online due to Covid-19: ‘Letter to a Friend’ and ‘Sharing Values’. The first project invites everyone to write a letter to an unknown person, in one of the three official languages of the ALF. The second project rallies people around their most important values and encourages them to jointly put them into practice. In 2019, the Network organised an intercultural forum featuring ‘The potential of transnational civil society cooperation in support of freedom of speech’. The main objective was the planning of the Cross-Network Action entitled ‘Be My Voice’, inviting all the ALF members to record statements of persons from other countries in order to promote the right of freedom of expression transnationally.

The ‘IndignaCtion Forum’ (2012) hosted nearly 70 young protagonists of the Arab Spring and Indignants movements in Europe, coming from 20 European and Arab countries, during three days. ‘HomeMed’ was a creative radio concept of the Network constructed around local and national projects in the EuroMed area, focusing on intercultural dialogue. The radio broadcast, transmitted on the waves of Radio ARA, highlighted young talents of the EuroMed region belonging to various cultural domains, as well as projects supporting intercultural dialogue, promoting its emergence, its enhancement and sustainability. The forum ‘Diversity in common’ (2011) brought together actors of French, Belgian, German and Luxembourg nationalities.

In the context of the campaign ‘1001 Actions for Dialogue’ (2008), the Network played a leading role through the organisation of a month of dialogue debates and cultural activities. The project ‘Eldorado of the Medusa’ (2010) led to the creation of a high school play dealing with the subject of migration. The Network co-organised the first meeting of the EuroMed youth bloggers (2009) together with the ALF, in cooperation with social media activists from 18 EuroMed countries.

18 civil society organisations have been involved in the Luxembourg Network

15 new projects mobilised by the ALF through the ‘1001 Actions for Dialogue’ campaign

20 bloggers from 18 EuroMed countries were gathered in an interactive 2-day Bloggers Training on Intercultural Dialogue

In May 2009, the Luxembourg Head of Network organised a common operation activity entitled 'SALSALUX09 Congress' in the context of the National Strategic support-scheme

Around 70 young protagonists of the Arab Spring and Indignants movements in Europe gathered at the 'Indignation Forum' (2012)

4 civil society organisations represented at the Anna Lindh Forum 2010 held in Barcelona; 3 participants from different CSOs including the HoN attended the MEDForum in Valletta 2016

## Partnerships Established through Anna Lindh Grants

Israel	1
Palestine	1
Morocco	1



## ALF Network in Luxembourg Main Projects with Luxembourg Civil Society Organisations

Projects	Luxembourg Organisation	Partner Countries
Christmas Souk, 2020*	Association Avicenne Pole Europe - partner	Tunisia, Belgium, Mauritania
Interculture dialogue to combat hate speech, 2020*	Our Common Future Asbl. - partner	Latvia, Egypt, Spain, Belgium
Israël - Palestine: Quelles voix, quelles voies pour renouer le dialogue? - Un cycle de conférences et une expo-photos, 2009	Comité pour une Paix Juste au Proche-Orient	Israel, Palestine

## Main Actions Organised by Luxembourg Network

Activity	Organisation in Charge	Location	Involved Countries
Welcome to Paradise, 2015	Centre Culturel de Rencontre Abbaye de Neumunster	Luxembourg	Luxembourg
Semaine Culturelle Marocaine, 2013	Centre Culturel de Rencontre Abbaye de Neumünster	Luxembourg	Luxembourg
Nos Diversités se ressemblent, 2013	Centre Culturel de Rencontre Abbaye de Neumünster	Luxembourg and Taroudant	Luxembourg and Morocco
Indignation au coeur du Luxembourg, 2012	Centre Culturel de Rencontre Abbaye de Neumünster	Luxembourg	Luxembourg



***Last Head of Network Institution: Geminarie Group***

***The Maltese Network of the Anna Lindh Foundation led and partnered in several new intercultural dialogue programmes financed by the ALF.***

In 2019, MEDAC, the ALF and the World Leadership Alliance–Club de Madrid organised the first Regional Leadership Seminar in the framework of the Young Mediterranean Voices. In 2017, the MEDAC Summer School took place in Malta, providing a unique policy dialogue opportunity to 35 selected young Arab and European delegates, identified through a call in close collaboration with EEAS, the European Youth Forum and Friends of Europe. Selected young delegates met to discuss socio-cultural issues on behalf of their communities.

The third edition of the MEDForum (2016) took place on the eve of Malta’s first EU Presidency. The Forum was attended by 680 civil society leaders from the 42 countries of the EuroMed Region, international media, policymakers, and high-officials of the ALF’s main institutional partners. It was supported by the ALF Malta Network mobilizing volunteers to organise the event and hosted by the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Malta. After the Forum, the 15th Heads of Network meeting took place in the framework of the EU Presidency. The same year, the Network organised the Living Library Experience at Romeo Romano Gardens. Visitors ‘borrowed’ human beings serving as ‘human books’ to have conversations they would not normally have access to, offering exchange with the ‘so-called other’.

Activities that involved the ALF members from the Region and were financed by the ALF included the ‘MozartFest: Reaching Youth through Music’, ‘WISE: Women Led Participation in European Projects’ and ‘Dove of Peace’, organised by the Maltese Network. In 2009, the ALF and the Malta Tourism Authority organised the ‘D’une seule voix Concert’ bringing together 34 musicians from Palestine and Israel (Gaza, I’billin, Bethlehem, Jerusalem and Tel Aviv). The same year, the ALF organised in Malta the first regional communications training seminar for project leaders of long-term intercultural programmes, with the involvement of EuroMediterranean media experts.

The ‘Concert for Intercultural Dialogue’ which included performances with musicians of immigrant backgrounds teaming with other local artists was one of 15 projects that were launched in the framework of the ALF’s ‘1001 Actions for Dialogue’ (2008) campaign by the Network. Academic experts and students from more than 30 countries of the region gathered for the EuroMediterranean University Forum (2006), the ALF-partnered and organised in cooperation with the University of Malta.

31 civil society organisations have been involved in the Maltese Network

Israel, Palestine and Austria are the countries that the civil society organisations most partnered with through the ALF Grants Programme

14 new projects mobilised by the ALF through the ‘1001 Actions for Dialogue’ campaign



18 representatives of civil society organisations attended the 1st communication meeting of the ALF in 2009

7 civil society organisations were represented at the Anna Lindh Forum 2013 in Marseille; 94 participants from several CSOs including the HoN attended the MEDForum in Valletta 2016

The ALF Advisory Council Member: Dr Norbert Butgega (current); Prof Godfrey A. Pirotta (former)

## Partnerships Established through Anna Lindh Grants

Albania	1	France	1	Jordan	1	Tunisia	2
Algeria	1	Germany	2	Lithuania	1	Turkey	1
Austria	3	Greece	1	Morocco	1	UK	1
Bosnia	1	Israel	4	Palestine	4		
Egypt	2	Italy	2	Spain	2		

## ALF Network in Malta

### Main Projects with Maltese Civil Society Organisations

Projects	Maltese Organisation	Partner Countries
The Life of The Others, 2013	Aditus Foundation - partner	Greece, Algeria, Morocco, Palestine
Across the Sea, 2013	The Geminarie Group - partner	Israel, Italy, Spain
Literature Across Frontiers in the Mediterranean, 2012	Inizjamed - partner	UK, Egypt, Turkey
Eskenderella for Cultures and Arts, 2009	Oil Qlugh - partner	Egypt
Title Illuminating Picasso's Dove of Peace, 2007	EuroMed Movement - partner	Israel, Palestine, Spain
MozartFest: Reaching Youth through Music, 2006	Mediterranean Institute of the University of Malta - partner	Palestine, Germany, Israel, Austria
WISE: Women-Led Participation In European Projects, 2006	Foundation for women entrepreneurs Malta	Jordan, Lithuania, Tunisia
MozartFest: Reaching Youth through Music, 2006	Renaissance Cultural Foundation	Palestine, Germany, Israel, Austria

### Main Actions Organised by Maltese Network

Activity	Organisation in Charge	Location	Involved Countries
Kimiyya. Les Femmes actrices du Dialogue, 2017	The Geminarie Group - partner	France, Tunisia, Algeria, Malta, Albania, Bosnia, Italy	France, Tunisia, Algeria, Malta, Albania, Bosnia, Italy
Mapping Mobility in the EuroMediterranean Region, 2014	The Geminarie Group	Hamrun	Malta
Acting Locally, Intercultural Communication through Art and Music, 2012	The Geminarie Group	Several locations	Malta



# Mauritania

*Currently the Network is coordinated by: Club UNESCO pour la culture en Mauritanie  
The Mauritanian Network of the ALF is the most recent national Network. The objective is to reinforce cultural diversity as a driving factor of peace and development. The Network is focusing on the promotion of religious tolerance.*

In 2020, the pandemic mobilised the Network to raise awareness about the virus by mobilising volunteers in the spirit of citizenship. As part of an awareness campaign and the fight against the coronavirus, volunteers installed hand-washing devices, and educated people on hand-washing techniques and the precautions to be taken to avoid possible contamination.

The Mauritanian Network has organised two major activities thus far: ‘L’éducation aux droits de l’homme’ and ‘Quels Enseignements pour les Printemps Arabes en Mauritanie: Place et Rôle des Jeunes et des Femmes dans les Instances de Décision pour un Meilleur Développement Inclusif en Mauritanie’ (2014). With the financial support of the ALF, the National Network was involved in the launch of a new initiative entitled ‘Days of Diversity’ (2011). Three hundred students from the University of Nouakchott participated in the conference discussions; in the evenings 2,000 people, including young women, intellectuals and students gathered to reflect on cultural diversity and national unity.

Within the framework of the first ALF Mediterranean Forum for Intercultural Dialogue, held in Barcelona in March 2010, the Mauritanian Network took part in the key components of the Forum, including dialogue debates of ‘Agora’ and the components of ‘Medina’ related to the exchange of best practices with groups of civil society in 43 countries of the EuroMed Region.

44 civil society organisations are involved in the Mauritanian Network

11 Mauritanian civil society organisations were represented at the Anna Lindh Forum 2013 in Marseille; 4 participants from several CSOs including the HoN attended the MEDForum in Valletta 2016

2000 young women and intellectuals and 300 students from the University of Nouakchott participated in the ‘Journées de la Diversité’

11 Mauritanian participants have taken part in ‘Dawrak: Capacity-Building’ trainings

In 2012, Mauritanian organisation ‘Association des Maires et Parlementaires du Gorgol’ partnered in the transnational project ‘Projet d’Appui au Renforcement des Actions pour le Dialogue Interculturel et Social’, supported by the Anna Lindh Grants programme

Mauritania is one of the 29 countries surveyed for the Report on Intercultural Trends

In the framework of Network Support Development Scheme, the Mauritanian Network has organised two major activities 'L'éducation aux droits de l'homme' (2012) and 'Quels Enseignements pour les Printemps Arabes en Mauritanie' (2014)



## ALF Network in Mauritania

### Main Projects with Mauritanian Civil Society Organisations

Projects	Mauritanian Organisation	Partner Countries
Christmas Souk, 2020*	Club Unesco pour la Culture en Mauritanie - partner	Tunisia, Belgium, Luxembourg
INTERCULTURALITÉ ET CRISE - COVID 19, 2020*	LIBRAIRIE VENTS DU SUD (LVS) - partner	Spain, Morocco, France, Estonia, Greece, Palestine, Tunisia

### Main Actions Organised by Mauritanian Network

Activity	Organisation in Charge	Location	Involved Countries
Promotion des échanges culturels entre les jeunes de Dar Naim, Nouakchott, 2015	Association Mauritanienne pour la promotion du droit - leader	Nouakchott	Mauritania
Place et Rôle des Jeunes et des Femmes dans les Instances de Décision, 2014	Ministère de la Culture de la Jeunesse et des Sports	Nouakchott	Mauritania
L'éducation aux droits de l'homme, 2012	AMAPROD	Nouakchott and Nouadhibou	Mauritania



*Currently the Network is coordinated by: Monaco Méditerranée Foundation*

*The ALF Network in Monaco is one of the youngest National Networks of the Foundation. The main objective of the Network is to promote activities within the Principality of Monaco and to enhance its visibility as an area for neutrality within the EuroMediterranean Partnership.*

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H.E. Mr Robert Fillon, Monaco's Ambassador to Slovenia, resident in Rome, represented H.S.H. the Sovereign Prince at the ALF conference on 'Translation for Dialogue' (2016), hosted by the ALF in Portorož. Nearly 100 experts and cultural actors involved in the translation field came together to analyse the key role translation plays in addressing the emerging sociocultural challenges in the Mediterranean region. The objective was to showcase, debate and advocate in favour of translation as a central tool for intercultural dialogue. The conference concluded with the issue of a formal declaration aimed at raising awareness of translation among governments and policymakers, so that it may henceforth be designated as a priority in national and international policies.

For a period of three years, the International Ceremony of the Anna Lindh Journalist Award for Reporting across Cultures took place in Monaco after the ALF and its Head of Network in Monaco secured the political and financial support of the Principality of Monaco in 2009. The first Journalist Award Ceremony in Monaco was opened by the Sovereign Prince of Monaco, with the participation of more than 200 people, including media and civil society representatives from the two shores of the Mediterranean. In the following years the programme was enlarged to include the meeting of the international jury, new prize categories and international media partnerships with Euronews and Al Arabiya.

2009 also saw the launch of new actions by the Network, with the ALF financial support, including the meeting 'Recontre Internationaux'. In 2010, the ALF facilitated the launch of a new cooperation between the Town Hall of Monaco and the Bibliotheca Alexandrina (BA), centred on the regular sending of books from the Louis Notati Library to the Bibliotheca.

20 civil society organisations have been involved in the Monégasque Network

In 2009 the first ALF Journalist Award Ceremony took place in Monaco

8 young people from Mediterranean cities represented in the photo exhibition 'MEDPEOPLE'

Andre Azoulay, former ALF President was invited to Monaco in June 2009 for honoring the screening of a movie documentary in which he was featured for his role in the Camp David Peace Process

A thematic seminar entitled 'A Look to the World' organised in Monaco in 2009 in the context of the National Strategic development scheme

A EuroMed meeting 'MEDPEOPLE' took place in 2012 and 2014 in the Framework of Network Strategic Development Scheme

5 civil society organisation represented at the Anna Lindh Forum 2010 held in Barcelona

## Main Actions Organised by Monaco Network

Activity	Organisation in Charge	Location	Involved Countries
MEDPEOPLE, 2014	Monaco Méditerranée Foundation	Monaco	Monaco
MEDPEOPLE, 2012	Monaco Méditerranée Foundation	Montecarlo	Monaco



# Montenegro



*Currently the Network is coordinated by: National Ministry of Culture*

*The ALF Network in Montenegro is focusing on activities in the thematic areas of development and enhancement of culture and artistic creativity, along with supporting cultural projects and institutions. The objective is the development of intercultural dialogue in the EuroMed Region, improvement of tolerance and mutual respect among cultures and international Networking of NGOs, institutions, individuals.*

In 2016, the Ministry of Culture organised a meeting of the Montenegrin Network at the Centre of Contemporary Art's 'Gallery Club' and presented the EU programme for financing projects in the areas of culture and citizenship. The panel 'Cultural expressions of the minority identities' was organised by the Ministry of Culture in cooperation with the Montenegrin National Network as part of the Government's 2013–2018 Strategy Action Plan. The discussion addressed the problems of social, cultural and aesthetic positioning and movement from the margins to the centre of the minority expressions, as well as their intrigue and inspiration in the wider area of culture and art.

The project 'Spaces of diversity—public space as the field of intercultural dialogue and promotion of social values' (2014), implemented by the NGO Exeditio, promoted social values in the public spaces of cities in Albania, Jordan and Montenegro. Activities of the project included creative workshops for the youth, interventions in public spaces, shared publications and study visits to project countries. The Network national actions included: 'Inspiration Mediterranean', a programme of fine art workshops led by renowned Montenegrin artists dedicated to the development of contemporary expression of young creative leaders in the regional context; and 'Art Action: Youth 4 Intercultural Dialogue and Social Inclusion', consisting of a set of non-formal educational training for young leaders. These consisted of intercultural music workshops, creative writing training, debates and workshops with a focus on the fields of intercultural dialogue, social inclusion and diversity. NOVA, a Montenegrin NGO, implemented the project 'Penelopolis—Women's Mapping of Mediterranean Towns / Podgorica 2013', in cooperation with Koza Visual from Istanbul. The set of project activities was conceived as a female re-mapping of cultural maps of Mediterranean towns, through research, exhibitions and art residencies. In partnership with the ALF Networks of Bulgaria, Croatia, Cyprus, Greece, Lebanon and Montenegro, the Greek Network hosted the multi-country ALF exhibition 'Faces of the Mediterranean' (2010/11), which focused on scenes from everyday life in the Mediterranean.

50 member organisations have been involved in the Montenegrin Network

Bosnia and Herzegovina, France and Turkey are among the countries that the civil society organisations in Montenegro most partnered with through the Anna Lindh Grant Programme

Around 100 attended the Photo Exhibition entitled 'Faces of the Mediterranean' held in Montenegro in April and May 2010



Ilija Djurovic was selected as a finalist of the 2010 edition literary contest 'Sea of Words' with his story 'Stutterer'; while in 2011 he won the Second Prize with the short story 'THC and LCD'. In the 2012 edition Dragana Tripkovic was selected as one of the finalist with her story 'Peach Pickers', winning the third Prize in 2013 with the story 'Water City'

5 organisations were represented at the Anna Lindh Forum 2013; 3 participants from several CSOs including the HoN attended the MEDForum in Valletta 2016

Around 130 young leaders from different Montenegrin municipalities participated in events, trainings, workshops and debates organised in the framework of the national activity 'Art Action: Youth 4 Intercultural Dialogue and Social Inclusion' in 2014

## Partnerships Established through Anna Lindh Grants

Bosnia and Herzegovina	2	Lebanon	1
Bulgaria	1	Palestine	1
France	2	Slovenia	1
Germany	1	Sweden	1
Italy	1	Turkey	2

## ALF Network in Montenegro

### Main Projects with Montenegro Civil Society Organisations

Projects	Montenegro Organisation	Partner Countries
Antigona 2.0, 2020*	Club créatif Café Europe - partner	Algeria, Spain, Morocco
PLACES OF DIVERSITY, Public Spaces as Field for Intercultural Dialogue and Promotion of Social Values, 2013	EXPEDITIO Center for Sustainable Spatial Development - leader	France, Lebanon
Let's Do It Mediterranean!, 2013	Association for Democratic Prosperity - Zid - partner	Sweden, Croatia, Egypt, Estonia, France, Israel, Palestine, Portugal, Slovenia, Tunisia
Penelopolis/Podgoric, 2012	NGO NOVA Feminist Culture Center - leader	Turkey
Theatre Caravan without Borders, 2010	Youth for You - partner	Bosnia and Herzegovina, Bulgaria, Slovenia, Turkey
Intercultural Understanding Every Day, ICU Every Day, 2009	ADP-ZID - partner	Bosnia and Herzegovina, France, Germany, Italy, Palestine, Sweden

### Main Actions Organised by Montenegro Network

Activity	Organisation in Charge	Location	Involved Countries
What Brings Us Together – Intercultural Workshops for Youth in Montenegro, 2015	Ministry of Culture of Montenegro	Bar, Tivat, Bijelo Polje, Niksic, Pljevlja,	Montenegro
Art Action: Youth 4 Intercultural Dialogue and Social Inclusion, 2014	Ministry of Culture of Montenegro	Tivat, Bar, Bijelo Polje, Kotor	Montenegro
Inspiration Mediterranean, 2013	Ministry of Culture of Montenegro	Bijelo Polje, Cetinje, Podgorica	Montenegro



*Currently the Network is coordinated by: Association Agir Ensemble pour l'Education, le Développement et l'Interculturel*

*The Moroccan Network of the ALF actively works across fields such as education, gender equality, media, culture and youth, strongly supporting partnerships and cooperation with other Network members, especially in the field of arts and culture.*

In 2020, a high-visibility national conference was organised, discussing the role of CSOs in the 'Sustainable Development Agenda', followed by a series of online conferences entitled 'Impact of Covid-19 on CSO and women's economic and social rights'. Four workshops were organised between 2018 and 2019 dealing with the question of how to support civil society work, the implementation of the SDGs and the Anna Lindh 2018 report. During the same period, youth-focused debates took place, such as 'youth and political dialogue and citizenship education'.

In 2017, the Cross-Network Activity, '3.S for Intercultural Citizenship Education', was organised in Tangier in partnership with four Networks; in 2016, the project 'Box of Culture' was completed in partnership with 25 Networks. Supported by local authorities and the EU, the Moroccan Network organised the project, 'Arts, Instruments & Expressions for Social Transformation' in Taroudant in 2014, with more than 120 participants from 62 member organisations from seven EuroMed countries. Youth-focused activities such as the first meeting of the 'Youth in Politics' (2013) Dawrak initiative and the 'Young Arab Voices' launch event (2012) were organised in Morocco.

Throughout 2011, the Network organised joint regional actions in Tangier: the first was organised in partnership with the ALF Spanish Network, entitled 'Building Bridges over the Strait', to strengthen cooperation between the ALF members; the second, 'Cities and Diversity', was organised with the French Network focusing on cultural awareness activities in Tetouan and Oujda. The ALF also organised regional trainings in Rabat, bringing together 25 participants from 20 countries (2009), and EuroMed researchers met in Khouribga for the 'Women, Migration and Development' (2010) seminar.

In collaboration with the Network of EuroMed Journalists, the regional conference on 'Freedom of the Press' (2010) was held. In 2008, the ALF Moroccan and Spanish Networks and the United Nations Association in Spain organised the 'Conference of the EuroMediterranean Partnership' and the 'Young Alliance of Civilizations', and a CADMOS EuroMed Meeting in Tangier on conflict resolution. Also in 2008, the Moroccan Network launched 15 new actions under '1001 Actions for Dialogue'.

292 civil society organisations have been involved in the Moroccan Network

France, Algeria, Egypt, and Tunisia are the countries that the Moroccan civil society organisations most partnered with through the Anna Lindh Grants Programme

2010 first national debate in the Arab region on Intercultural Trends Report

32 Moroccan participants have taken part in 'Dawrak: Capacity-Building' trainings

Moroccan journalist Leila Ghandi received the Anna Lindh Journalist Award 2013

39 Moroccan civil society organisations were represented at the Anna Lindh Forum 2013 in Marseille; 19 participants from several CSOs including the HoN attended the MEDForum in Valletta 2016

The ALF Advisory Council Member: Assia Ben Alaoui (current); Lamia Radi (former)

Morocco is one of the 29 countries surveyed for the Report on Intercultural Trends

### Partnerships Established through Anna Lindh Grants

Algeria	16	Estonia	2	Jordan	9	Slovak Republic	2
Belgium	7	Finland	3	Latvia	1	Slovenia	3
Bosnia Herzegovina	1	France	39	Lebanon	10	Spain	12
Bulgaria	2	Germany	5	Lithuania	5	Sweden	3
Croatia	1	Greece	7	Morocco	3	Syria	2
Cyprus	4	Hungary	1	Palestine	5	Netherlands	4
Czech Republic	1	Ireland	3	Poland	6	Tunisia	14
Denmark	2	Israel	5	Portugal	4	Turkey	9
Egypt	14	Italy	27	Romania	3	United Kingdom	6



## ALF Network in Morocco

### Main Projects with Moroccan Civil Society Organisations

Projects	Moroccan Organisation	Partner Countries
OLHARES DO MEDITERRÂNEO - Women's Film Festival: Awareness and empowering, 2020*	Association de Culture et d'Education par l'Audiovisuel (ACEA) - partner	Portugal, Spain, Lebanon, France, Italy, Palestine, Turkey
The Anna Lindh Virtual Academy, 2020*	Association Agir Ensemble - partner	Turkey, Germany, Belgium, United Kingdom, Ireland
Intercultural Dialogue through Art: Helsinki - Tighmert, 2020*	Les Amis du Festival Caravane de Tighmert - partner	Finland
Art Attack: Performance Art for Gender Equality (PAGE), 2020*	Project Soar (PS) - partner	Lebanon, Denmark, Greece, Egypt
INTERCULTURALITÉ ET CRISE - COVID 19, 2020*	Association Agir Ensemble (AAE) - partner	Spain, Tunisia, France, Estonia, Greece, Palestine, Mauritania
EMpowering Youth - Improving capacity for EuroMed youth projects, 2020*	Association des chantiers et cultures - partner	France Israel, Jordan, Palestine, Spain, Greece, United Kingdom
Sustaining Intercultural Dialogue through Deeper Understanding of Mediterranean Food (SIDUMEF), 2020*	Club Marocain pour l'environnement et le Développement (CMED) - partner	Greece, Egypt, Palestine, Italy
Améliorer la cohésion sociale des territoires méditerranéens autour de l'eau, 2020*	Association forum de femmes au Rif (AFFA-RIF) and Association AZIR Pour la Protection de l'Environnement- partner	Spain, Portugal
Act for dialogue , Be a plural citizen!, 2020*	Agir ensemble - leader	United Kingdom, Portugal, Tunisia, France, Egypt, Turkey, Lithuania, Spain
Voix de Femmes, 2020*	Association Agir Ensemble - partner	France, Algeria, Spain, Tunisia
Plateforme numérique de promotion de la culture du vivre ensemble, 2020*	Association Marocaine des Petits Débrouillards - leader	France
Antigona 2.0, 2020*	The Mediterranean Forum for Youth (FOMEJE) and ASTICUDE (Thissaghna association for culture and development - partner	Algeria, Montenegro, Spain
ÉDUIQUER DANS LA DIVERSITÉ, CONSTRUIRE LA CITOYENNETÉ, 2020*	Agir Ensemble pour l'Education, le Développement et l'Interculturel - partner	Spain, Belgium
NACMM - The North Africa Cultural Mobility Map_ Online platform_Public workshops_Exhibition, 2015	L'OBSERVATOIRE - Centre d'Art et de Recherche - partner	Spain
Jeunes Citoyens Méditerranéens Face aux Changements Climatiques, 2015	Centre Méditerranéen pour l'Environnement et le Développement/ CMED - partner	France, Tunisia
HARD & SOUL, 2015	MCS (Mouvement Cercle Souffles) - partner	Netherlands
EUROMED Education Without Borders, 2015	Le Forum Méditerranéen de la Jeunesse et de l'Enfance - partner	Egypt, Latvia, Sweden, Algeria, Tunisia, Italy, United Kingdom, Spain, Estonia
Brush meets Melody – Euromed Art Connection, 2015	Youth Association for Culture and Development - partner	Germany, Cyprus
Meditalents, 2013	Association Meditalents - leader	Albania, Jordan
Les Rencontres Artistiques EuroMediterraneennes, 2013	Association Culturelle Theatre Nomade - leader	France
Programme des Jeunes Citoyens Engagés, 2012	Association Agir Ensemble - leader	Morocco, Algeria, Egypt, France, Italy, Lithuania, Morocco, Portugal, Romania, United Kingdom
Tanger vu par la Cinema, 2010	Cinémathèque de Tanger - leader	France

Mare Nostrum, Les Aventures de Juha, 2009	Association Tiuoizi - partner	Algeria, Italy, France
A Contemporary North-South Approach to Traditional Dance, 2009	Cie 11.ORG - partner	Portugal, Turkey
Théâtre en Méditerranée, Les Balkans, 2009	Association Rideau d'Or des Arts dramatiques - partner	France
Facilitating Political Dialogue in the Baltico-Mediterranean Axis, 2009	GERM - partner	Croatia, Estonia, Finland, Greece, Israel
Les Ondes pour la Méditerranée, 2009	École supérieure des Arts Visuels de Marrakech - partner	Tunisia, Algeria, France, Italy
Tahqiq Sahafi: Journalisme Culturel et Enquêtes en Méditerranée, 2009	le Journal Hebdomadaire - partner	France, Lebanon, Italy, Palestine, Turkey
Nourriture et Interculture dans l'Expérience Migratoire, 2007	Fondation Orient-Occident - partner	Italy, France, Tunisia
Babel Med Music, 2007	Association Timitar - partner	France, Spain, Turkey
Femmes Architectes en Europe et Méditerranée, 2007	Ecole Nationale d'Architecture - partner	France, Algeria, Belgium, Morocco
Intercultural Dialogue on Violence Against Women, 2006	Centre for Studies and Research on Women - partner	Cyprus, Greece, Egypt
Dialogue de Philosophes en Méditerranée, 2006	Fondation Trois Cultures de la Méditerranée - partner	France, Belgium, Tunisia
Sténopé, et le Dialogue des Jeunes Artistes Euro-Méditerranéens, 2006	Association Taamon - partner	Tunisia, France, Poland

## Main Actions Organised by Moroccan Network

Activity	Organisation in Charge	Location	Involved Countries
3.S for Intercultural Citizenship Education, 2017	Centre International de Coopération Sud Nord – CICSN - member	Italy, Morocco, Turkey	Slovenia, Bosnia and Herzegovina, UK, Morocco, Turkey
Expression artistique interculturelle en zones fragiles, 2017	Centre International de Coopération Sud Nord – CICSN - member	Tunisia	Algeria, Finland, France, Greece, Ireland, Lebanon, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Tunisia, Morocco, UK
Networks for Intercultural Citizenship Education, 2017	Centre International de Coopération Sud Nord – CICSN - member	Finland	Denmark, Estonia, Germany, Morocco, Poland, Sweden, Tunisia, Turkey
Be Effective! Enhancing Intercultural Dialogue Media Skills in Central and Eastern Europe, 2017	Centre International de Coopération Sud Nord – CICSN - member	Czech Republic, Hungary, Slovenia, Poland, Slovakia, Lithuania	Czech Republic, Hungary, Slovenia, Poland, Slovakia, Lithuania, Tunisia, Morocco
Education Non Formelle et Interculturelle en Méditerranée, 2016	Centre International de Coopération Sud Nord – CICSN - member	Spain	Morocco, Algeria, France, Ireland, Jordan, Lebanon, Lithuania, Palestine, Portugal, Tunisia, Belgium
Le Maroc, Royaume aux Mille Royaumes, 2015	Association Agir Ensemble	Marrakech and Morocco	Morocco
L'Art Instrument et Expression des Transformations Sociale, 2014	CICSN	Taroudant	Morocco
Identité, Patrimoine et Citoyenneté de l'Attitude Revendicative à la Culture du Changement par l'Action, 2013	CICSN	Chefchaouen, Al Hoceima, Casablanca	Morocco, Spain
Démocratie Participative, Société Civile et les Nouvelles Prérrogatives Constitutionnelles, 2013	CICSN	Marrakech	Morocco, Portugal, Ireland, Germany



*Last Head of Network Institution: Het Grote Midden Oosten Platform  
The Dutch Network of the Anna Lindh Foundation has Members all over the country, and focuses on education.*

In 2017, the ALF financed the project ‘Youth4Peace: Training EuroMed Peace Trainers’ that was coordinated by the International Secretariat of UNOY Peacebuilders, in partnership with six UNOY members and four other youth-led, peace-building organisations in the EuroMed region. This capacity-building project started with online trainings, and 20 trainers improved their training and facilitation skills, with a specific focus on conflict transformation, peace-building and intercultural dialogue. In addition, they trained other young peace-builders in their own communities. They succeeded in creating a Network of trainers for intercultural dialogue and conflict transformation, developing 11 action plans to design local activities, developed during and after the TOT, and disseminating the content for the #Youth4Peace campaign, including Facebook posts, tweets, a blog post, photos and a video.

The first ‘EuroMed Young Journalists Academy’ was organised in 2009 with the support of the ALF and the Goethe-Institut. The Network launched a conference on the UNESCO day of diversity entitled ‘Recipeace for Dialogue: Shaping Diverse Societies through Culture, Youth and Education’ financed by the ALF grants. The follow-up initiative ‘Connecting through Creativity’ resulted in a series of audio-visual products aimed at showcasing how the arts can bring people together from diverse cultural backgrounds. Other programmes granted support through the ALF Call for Proposals have included ‘Beyond our World: the Mediterranean Exchange Leader’ and ‘Storytelling in Youth Peace Advocacy’.

In the framework of the ALF’s ‘1001 Actions for Dialogue’ (2008) campaign, the Dutch Network launched a series of actions, principally focused on issues related to minority groups and the integration of immigrants. With the support of the Dutch government, the ALF organised in partnership with the European Culture Foundation the regional workshop for youth leaders on ‘Settlement of Conflicts through Cultural Cooperation’ (2007). One of the outcomes of the workshop, which involved 24 participants from 22 EuroMed countries, was the publication and regional launch of the ALF manual for trainers entitled ‘Conflict Resolution and Cultural Cooperation’.

65 civil society organisations are involved in the Dutch Network

Jordan, Egypt and Palestine are the countries that the civil society organisations most partnered with through the Anna Lindh Grants Programme

Netherlands is one of the 29 countries surveyed for the Report on Intercultural Trends



39 new projects mobilised by the ALF through the '1001 Actions for Dialogue' campaign

The manual for trainers on 'Conflict Resolution and Cultural Cooperation' produced in 2007 with the support of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs in Netherlands

11 civil society organisations were represented at the Anna Lindh Forum 2013 in Marseille; 7 participants from several CSOs including the HoN attended the MEDForum in Valletta 2016

## Partnerships Established through Anna Lindh Grants

Algeria	4	Hungary	2	Slovakia	3
Austria	5	Israel	3	Spain	7
Belgium	1	Italy	7	Sweden	2
Bulgaria	2	Jordan	14	Syria	2
Denmark	4	Lebanon	3	Netherlands	1
Egypt	14	Morocco	5	Tunisia	4
Estonia	2	Palestine	13	Turkey	5
Germany	2	Poland	3		
Greece	2	Romania	4		

## ALF Network in Netherlands

### Main Projects with Dutch Civil Society Organisations

Projects	Dutch Organisation	Partner Countries
Intercultural dialogue between youth leaders from Lebanon, Palestine and the Netherlands to counter discrimination based on Freedom of Religion and Belief, 2020*	PAX - leader	Palestine, Lebanon
Learning about (y)our past. History lessons for intercultural citizenship in the EuroMed region, 2015	EUROCLIO - European Association of History Educators (Head of Network) - leader	Lebanon
HARD & SOUL, 2015	Sander Francken FILM - leader	Morocco
#Youth4Peace: Training EuroMed Peace Trainers, 2015	Kasbah Neuf – Project- and Consulting Agency - partner	Egypt, Spain, Romania, Palestine, Egypt, Estonia, Sweden, Spain, Palestine, Tunisia
#Youth4Peace: Training EuroMed Peace Trainers, 2015	United Network of Young Peacebuilders leader	Egypt, Spain, Romania, Palestine, Egypt, Estonia, Sweden, Spain, Palestine, Tunisia
Storytelling in Youth Peace Advocacy, 2013	United Network of Young Peacebuilders - partner	Belgium, Egypt, Estonia, Israel, Italy, Morocco, Netherlands, Palestine, Spain
Beyond Our World: The Mediterranean exchange, 2012	Coolpolitics - leader	Turkey
Inter-Cultural Gathering Dedicated to Non-Violence in the Arab Region, 2010	IKV Pax Christi - partner	Lebanon
Dancing on the Edge: Stimulating Cultural Awareness, 2010	Dance Works Rotterdam - partner	Egypt, Syria
Dancing on the Edge: Stimulating Cultural Awareness, 2010	Dancing on the Edge - leader	Egypt, Syria
EuroMediterranean Academy for Young Journalists Amsterdam, 2009	SICA (Centre for International Cultural Activities) - partner	Egypt, Morocco, Palestine, Jordan

EuroMediterranean Academy for Young Journalists Amsterdam, 2009	EUNIC Netherlands - partner	Egypt, Palestine, Jordan, Morocco
Dance Refl-Action: Pedagogy of Contemporary dance in the EuroMediterranean, 2009	Le Grand Cru Foundation - partner	Lebanon, Italy, Egypt, Jordan
Dance Refl-Action: Pedagogy of Contemporary Dance in the EuroMediterranean, 2009	Dancing on the Edge Foundation - partner	Lebanon, Italy, Egypt, Jordan
Articulating Values: Youngsters Act in EuroMed, 2009	Porta Mosana College - partner	Austria, Denmark, Hungary, Israel, Turkey
Peace Bag for EuroMed Youth, 2009	United Network of Young Peacebuilders - partner	Spain, Algeria, Egypt, Greece, Italy, Palestine, Poland, Tunisia, Turkey
Peace Bag for EuroMed Youth, 2009	Culture Clash 4U - partner	Spain, Algeria, Bulgaria, Egypt, Italy, Palestine, Romania, Tunisia, Turkey
EuroMediterranean Academy for Young Journalists Amsterdam, 2009	Goethe-Institut Amsterdam - leader	Egypt, Morocco, Palestine, Jordan
The Al-Quds Tour, 2009	Foundation La Vie sur Terre - leader	Palestine
Discovering Diversity. An integrative Approach Towards the History of Migration, 2009	EUROCLIO - leader	Denmark, Germany, Morocco, Poland, Slovak Rep., Turkey
EMSF: Dialogue Meetings & Knowledge Management, 2007	Porta Mosana College - partner	Austria, Denmark, Hungary, Israel, Jordan, Lebanon
Symphony for All, 2007	Stichting Music in the Middle East - partner	Jordan, Palestine, Slovak Republic
Symphony for All, 2007	Stichting la Vie sur Terre - leader	Jordan, Palestine, Slovak Republic

## Main Actions Organised by Dutch Network

Activity	Organisation in Charge	Location	Involved Countries
Redefining the Boxes, 2015	Steven Stegers	Ter Apel, The Hague and Amsterdam	Netherlands, Austria
Recipeace for Dialogue: Shaping Diverse Societies through Culture, Youth and Education, 2013	UNOY Peacebuilders	The Hague	Netherlands
Connecting through Art, 2013	EUROCLIO Association	Amsterdam	Netherlands



*Currently the Network is coordinated by: Jerusalem Center for Women*

*The Palestine Network of the ALF includes organisations from the fields of education, culture, technology, human rights, youth organisations, women and more sectors, from the 16 different Palestinian geographical districts, from Gaza, East Jerusalem and the West Bank. It is the largest ALF Network in the SouthMed.*

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Two launching events (2019) for Erasmus+ Virtual Exchange (EVE) were held in Ramallah and Gaza by Dr. Nedal Jayousi, Director of the National Erasmus+ Office, Palestine; 150 academics attended the event in Ramallah and 92 academics in Gaza. Two Palestinian CSO members from the Palestinian Network participated in the 'Information Tour' (2019) at the invitation of the Federal Foreign Office and in cooperation with Goethe-Institut e.V.. The meeting focused on promoting the methods of cooperation between CSOs. One Network member participated in the Regional Training for Trainers on Intercultural Citizenship Education (2019) in Cyprus.

Youth organisations of the ALF Palestine Network are very active in the implementation of the Young Mediterranean Voices (YMV) programme (2018-2020) and its predecessor Young Arab Voices (YAV/2015-2018). The affiliated debate hubs representing most of the Palestinian governorates were very active in the programme's related activities, both nationally and regionally. In the regional debate competition witnessing the first participation of Palestine held in Tunisia in 2016, the Palestinian teams won first place in the Arabic track and the third place in the English track.

In 2010 and 2011, Network common actions launched in Palestine focused on two capacity-building trainings for members in Gaza and the West Bank. Other national initiatives have included 'Utilising Theatre in Promoting Human Rights' and a series of cultural events held across the Gaza Strip and West Bank on intercultural dialogue action. Palestinian members were involved in three local actions and 13 regional initiatives in the framework of the 2009 initiative, 'Restore Trust, Rebuild Bridges'. Part of this initiative was a weeklong Theatre Festival in the cities of Gaza, Bethlehem, Hebron and Jenin addressing issues such as social relief, non-violent self-determination and coexistence. Twenty-five new actions were launched in the framework of the '1001 Actions for Dialogue' (2008). The Network took part in organising the video conference 'Live from Gaza' for the EuroMed Civil Society Platform meeting in Marseilles in 2008. In 2005, Palestinian Network members came together in Alexandria for a joint capacity-building meeting about international project development with Egyptian members.

320 civil society organisations are involved in the Palestinian Network

Germany, Italy, Israel, Spain and Jordan are the countries that the Palestinian civil society organisations most partnered with through the Anna Lindh Grants Programme

30 new projects mobilised by the ALF through the '1001 Actions for Dialogue' campaign

ALF organised a week-long Theatre Festival in September 2009 in the cities of Gaza, Bethlehem, Hebron and Jenin

14 participants from several CSOs attended the MEDForum in Valletta 2016

13 regional actions financed through the 'Restore Trust, Rebuild Bridges' initiative

2 civil society organisations have received Anna Lindh EuroMed Award: in 2009 the joint Palestinian-Israeli organisation 'Combatants for Peace' and in 2010 the EcoPeace Friends of the Earth Middle East, jointly established by environmentalists from Palestine, Jordan and Israel

Asmaa Al Ghouli in 2011 and Heyam Hassan in 2013 have received the Anna Lindh Journalist Award

26 Palestinian participants have taken part in Dawrak: Capacity-Building trainings

The ALF Advisory Council Members: Terry S. Boullata (current); Asaad El-Asaad (2005-2008).

Palestine is one of the 29 countries surveyed for the Report on Intercultural Trends

## Partnerships Established through Anna Lindh Grants

Algeria	1	Greece	10	Morocco	5	Turkey	12
Austria	6	Ireland	1	Poland	5	United Kingdom	8
Belgium	5	Israel	15	Portugal	4	Syria	3
Bulgaria	3	Italy	21	Romania	1	Netherlands	14
Denmark	3	Jordan	17	Slovak Republic	3	Tunisia	9
Egypt	12	Lebanon	11	Spain	14	Turkey	14
Estonia	1	Lithuania	1	Sweden	3	United Kingdom	2
France	10	Luxembourg	12	Netherlands	11		
Germany	22	Malta	3	Tunisia	6		

## ALF Network in Palestine

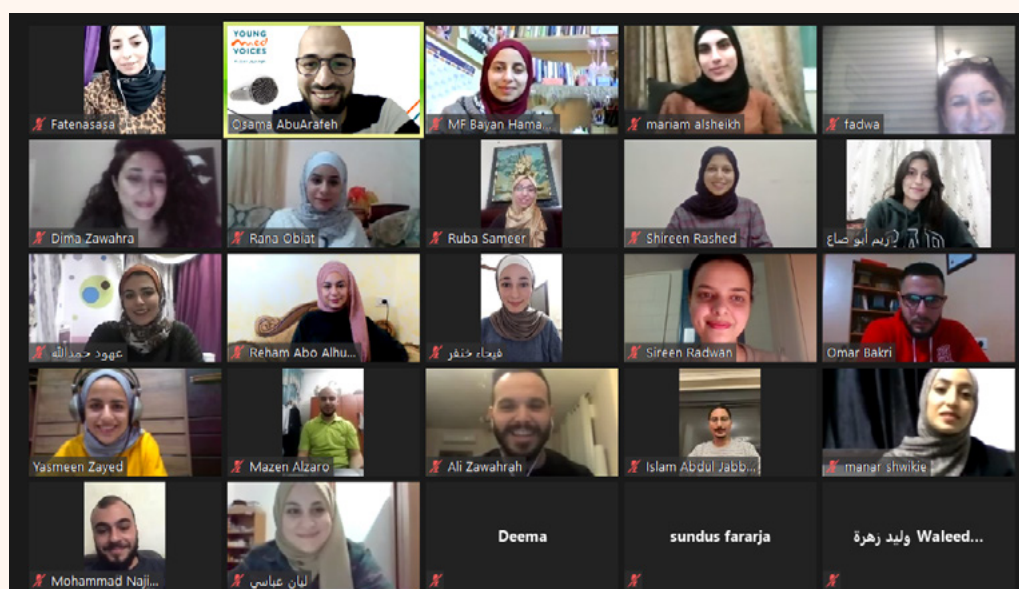
### Main Projects with Palestinian Civil Society Organisations

Projects	Palestinian Organisation	Partner Countries
Be My Voice, 2020*	Jabal An-Nar Sports Club - partner	Albania, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Egypt, Finland, Greece, Jordan, Lebanon, Lithuania, Morocco, Luxembourg, Slovenia, Tunisia, Turkey
OLHARES DO MEDITERRÂNEO - Women's Film Festival: Awareness and Empowering, 2020	SHASHAT WOMAN CINEMA - partner	Morocco, Spain, Lebanon, France, Italy, Portugal, Turkey
INTERCULTURALITÉ ET CRISE - COVID 19	Jerusalem Center for Women (JCW) - partner	Spain, Morocco, France, Estonia, Greece, Tunisia, Mauritania
Rediscovering and promoting the Palestinian and Italian Cultural Heritage and Identity through the Eyes of Children and Artists, 2020*	Tamer Institute for Community Education	Italy
Ponza Prima Med, 2020*	Jerusalem Center for Women - partner	Italy, Egypt
MOVEMENT, 2020*	Jerusalem Center for Women - partner	Czech Republic, Slovenia, Ireland, Egypt
We hear your voice, 2020*	LOESJE PALESTINE - partner	Jordan, Italy, Spain
EMpowering Youth - Improving capacity for EuroMed youth projects, 2020*	Palestinian Center for Media, research and Development (PCMRD) - partner	Morocco, Israel, Jordan, France, Spain, Greece, United Kingdom
Sustaining Intercultural Dialogue through Deeper Understanding of Mediterranean Food (SIDUMEF), 2020*	Palestine Wildlife Society (PWLS) - partner	Egypt, Greece, Italy, Morocco
Intercultural dialogue between youth leaders from Lebanon, Palestine and the Netherlands to counter discrimination based on Freedom of Religion and Belief, 2020*	The Palestinian Center for Peace and Democracy (PCPD) - partner	Netherlands, Lebanon
I-Gender, 2015	NEW GENERATION - partner	Italy, Egypt, Spain, Jordan
HOME - NEW HOME, 2015	Young Palestinian Filmmakers Society - partner	Greece, Turkey, Jordan, Lebanon
Game for EuroMed - GEM, 2015	Juhoud for Community - Rural Development	France, Italy, Egypt
As Life: Sharing Experiences through Arts, 2015	Al - Harah Center for Theater and Arts leader	Italy, France
#Youth4Peace: Training EuroMed Peace Trainers, 2015	YaLa Young Leaders and Arab Educational Institute-Open Windows (affiliated to Pax Christi) - partner	Egypt, Spain, Romania, Palestine, Egypt, Estonia, Sweden, Spain, Netherlands, Tunisia
With my Eyes Only, 2013	Al - Harah Center for Theater and Arts - leader	Sweden
Intercultural Approach for CSO Advocacy Skills on Public Policies, 2012	CIVITAS Institute - leader	Austria, Egypt, Sweden, Tunisia, Turkey
Cultural Entrepreneurship in Palestine, 2012	Arab Educational Institute-Open Windows (affiliated to Pax Christi) - leader	Netherlands
Enhance the Abilities of Female Journalists and Writers, 2010	Palestinian Friendship Centre for Development - leader	France
Israël, Palestine: Quelles Voix, Quelles Voies pour Renouer le Dialogue?, 2009	Palestinian Medical Relief Society - partner	Israel, Luxembourg
Stories from our Mothers (Meetings of Palestinian and British Women), 2009	Camden Abu Dis Society (Dar Assadaqa) - partner	UK
EuroMediterranean Abrahamic Forum, 2009	The Hope Flowers Secondary School - partner	Israel, Belgium, Jordan, Poland
Sounding Jerusalem, 2009	PFF - Peace and Freedom Youth Forum - partner	Austria

Brothers in arms. Overcoming Violence Impact of the Civil War, 2009	Civitas Institute - leader	Austria
Social Transformation in Inter-Cultural Conflict - Israel and Palestine, 2009	MIFTAH - leader	Austria, Germany, Israel
I Have A Dream, 2007	Wi'am Center for Conflict Resolution - partner	France, Israel, Italy
Vox Pacis, Voice Of Freedom, 2007	Nada Orient Art Group, Palestine - partner	Sweden, Estonia, Israel
Title Illuminating Picasso's Dove of Peace, 2007	The Palestinian Economic Forum - partner	Israel, Malta, Spain
Drama as a Context for Learning, International Summer School, 2007	A. M. Qattan Foundation - leader	Greece, Jordan, Lebanon, UK
Read Write Now, 2006	Tamer Institute - leader	Egypt, Spain, UK
Online Interactive Visual Art Programme, 2006	Birzeit University - leader	Germany, UK, Egypt
Bilad Al Sham, Training Course, 2006	Mosaic Center - leader	Italy, Jordan, Spain
EuroMed Film Festival, 2006	Al Kasaba Theatre and Cinematheque - leader	Germany, Lebanon, France

## Main Actions Organised by Palestinian Network

Activity	Organisation in Charge	Location	Involved Countries
Education Non Formelle et Interculturelle en Méditerranée, 2016	General Union of Cultural Centres - partner	Spain	Morocco, Algeria, France, Ireland, Jordan, Lebanon, Lithuania, Palestine, Portugal, Tunisia, Belgium
Intercultural Dialogue, 2014	Tawasul and General Union of Cultural Centres	Gaza, West Bank	Palestine
Utilizing Theatre in Promoting Human Rights, 2012	Palestinian Working Woman Society for Development	Ramallah, Nablus, and Gaza	Palestine





*Last Head of Network Institution (until 2019): International Cultural Centre Krakow and the International Cultural Centre Foundation*

*The ALF Network in Poland has been involved in leading and partnering in various intercultural dialogue programmes.*

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In 2017, the Polish ALF Network participated in three Cross-Network projects, involving over 30 Network Members. A special booklet devoted to the issue of multiculturalism of Polish cities was prepared for one of them, namely the 'Intercultural Cities', coordinated by the Slovenian Head of Network. It was based on the experience gathered during a joint action of the Polish Network called 'Between Myth and Reality. Multicultural Cities in Poland'. The Polish Institute of International Affairs (PISM) and Al-Ahram Center for Political and Strategic Studies in Egypt (ACPSS) participated in the twinning component of the Exchange Programme publishing a policy paper together.

The Network launched a series of national actions with the ALF support, including 'Together for a Just Future' and 'Nations and Stereotypes: 25 Years after. New Borders, New Horizons' (2013/14). The International Cultural Centre in Krakow, published the book 'Does Poland Lie on the Mediterranean?'. The book paints a highly interesting picture of political and cultural relations stretching over centuries and exerting significant influence on the culture and history of Poland and eastern Europe. Even though Poland's impact on the Mediterranean region has been minimal, the impact of the Mediterranean on Polish culture and identity has been vital and determined Poland's civilisational development—in this sense, it is impossible to conceive of Central Europe and Poland without the Mediterranean.

Throughout 2010 and 2011, the Network followed up with 'Education for Dialogue', which involved members in developing new multi-media pedagogical materials related to addressing Poland's ethnic, religious, social and cultural diversity. The following year, in 2009, 'In Search for the Lost Commonwealth: Uni- or Multicultural Poland?' was launched by the Network with the ALF support, centring on a seminar series and new publication presenting modern-day Poland from the perspective of the 'other'. In the framework of the '1001 Actions for Dialogue' (2008), the Polish Network launched a series of new actions. Apart from projects implemented by the Head of Network Institution, the Polish edition of the campaign was attended by twenty institutions belonging to the Network and its partners. Twenty-nine projects were implemented in thirty-nine cities, out of which fourteen received financial support from the ALF.

123 civil society organisations are involved in the Polish Network

Jordan, Italy, Germany, Morocco and Turkey are the countries that the Polish civil society organisations most partnered with through the Anna Lindh Grants Programme

37 new projects mobilised by the ALF through the '1001 Actions for Dialogue' campaign

180 participants attended the debate on Poland and the Mediterranean region in 2014 organised by the HoN

Polish journalist Witold Szablowski was awarded jury special mention at the Anna Lindh Journalist Award 2012

In December 2013, Anna Lindh Journalist Award winners Rima Marrouch and Karim Al Shenawy took part in a seminar at Maria Skłodowska-Curie Comprehensive School in the framework of 'Arab Journalist Routes' pillar of the Reporters Across Borders programme

13 CSOs were represented at the Anna Lindh Forum 2013 in Marseille; 6 participants from several CSOs attended the MEDForum in Valletta 2016

Poland is one of the 29 countries surveyed for the Report on Intercultural Trends

The ALF Advisory Council Member: Prof. Jacek Purchla (current)

## Partnerships Established through Anna Lindh Grants

Algeria	2	Finland	1	Jordan	8	Spain	2
Belgium	2	France	3	Lebanon	2	Sweden	2
Bulgaria	1	Germany	6	Lithuania	2	Syria	5
Czech Republic	5	Greece	3	Morocco	6	Netherlands	3
Denmark	2	Hungary	5	Palestine	5	Tunisia	3
Egypt	4	Israel	5	Slovakia	5	Turkey	6
Estonia	1	Italy	7	Slovenia	1	UK	1

## ALF Network in Poland

### Main Projects with Polish Civil Society Organisations

Projects	Polish Organisation	Partner Countries
How I See You: Creating Diverse Digital Communities, 2020*	Autokreacja Foundation (Fundacja Autokreacja) - leader	Jordan, Egypt, Spain
Women for Democratic (R)Evolution, 2013	Baltic Sea Culture Centre (Nadbałtyckie Centrum Kultury) - leader	Egypt
Muslims Living in Visegrad Countries, 2010	Tischner European University - partner	Czech Republic, Hungary, Slovak Republic, Syria
Migration-Culture-Identity, 2010	Krzyżowa Foundation - partner	Israel, Germany, Turkey
Cities of Migrants, 2010	Stowarzyszenie Liderów i Fundraiserów - leader	Lithuania, Morocco

Fenix Cities, Art Workshops and Exhibitions in Warsaw and Beirut, 2009	Zico House - partner	Lebanon
Discovering Diversity. An Integrative Approach towards the History of Migration, 2009	Fundacja Dom Pokoju House of Peace Foundation - partner	Netherlands, Denmark, Germany, Morocco, Slovak Republic, Turkey
Musical Coexistence, Tradition Meets Contemporary, 2009	Liszt Ferenc Academy of Music - partner	Hungary, Syria
EuroMediterranean Abrahamic Forum, 2009	Polish Peacemaker Community - partner	Israel, Belgium, Jordan, Poland
Mediterraneum United, 2009	Jedan Swiat - partner	Slovenia, Italy, Germany, Greece, Jordan, Palestine, Syria
Peace Bag for EuroMed Youth, 2009	The Polish Robert Schuman Foundation - partner	Algeria, Bulgaria, Egypt, Greece, Italy, Jordan, Palestine, Tunisia, Turkey
Adyan Understanding, 2009	Tischner European University - partner	France, Italy, Lebanon, Syria
Musical Coexistence, Tradition Meets Contemporary, 2009	Akademia Muzyczna W Krakowie - leader	Syria
Let's Film!, Zoom Through The Culture Glass, 2009	Fundacja Together Polska - leader	Palestine
Leaving Places, Shaping Places, 2007	Krzyzowa Foundation - partner	Germany, Israel, Turkey
Gate to the East Festival and Web Portal, 2007	Instytucja Cameralis Silesiae Superioris - partner	Hungary, Israel, Italy, Jordan
Sténopé, et le Dialogue des Jeunes Artistes Euro-Méditerranéens, 2006	Association Stowazyszenie Kultralne - partner	Tunisia, France, Morocco
Med-Youth Creating A Sustainable Med-Future, 2006	Stowarzyszenie Arabia. PL - partner	Greece, Turkey, Italy, Egypt, Belgium, Jordan, Palestine

## Main Actions Organised by Polish Network

Activity	Organisation in Charge	Location	Involved Countries
Intercultural cities, 2017	International Cultural Centre - partner	Israel, Finland, Sweden, Poland, Czech R., Hungary, Slovenia	Israel, Finland, Sweden, Poland, Czech R., Hungary, Slovenia
Networks for Intercultural Citizenship Education, 2017	International Cultural Centre - partner	Finland	Denmark, Estonia, Germany, Morocco, Poland, Sweden, Tunisia, Turkey
Be Effective! Enhancing Intercultural Dialogue Media Skills in Central and Eastern Europe, 2017	International Cultural Centre - partner	Czech Republic, Hungary, Slovenia, Poland, Slovakia, Lithuania	Czech Republic, Hungary, Slovenia, Poland, Slovakia, Lithuania, Tunisia, Morocco
Between Myth and Reality: Polish Multicultural City, 2015	International Cultural Centre	Warsaw, Wroclaw, Lublin and Białystok	Poland
Nations and Stereotypes, 2014	International Cultural Centre and International Cultural Centre Foundation	Krakow	Poland
Presentation of ALF Report, 2014	International Cultural Centre and International Cultural Centre Foundation	Krakow	Poland
Together for a Just Future, 2013	Revers Foundation	Gdansk	Poland



## Portugal

*Network is currently coordinated by: Association MEDESTU*

*The Portuguese Network is rich in diversity. It represents medially urban and predominantly rural areas and receives contributions from the public and non-public sectors to work in many fields of activity. The overall objective is empowering the Portuguese ALF National Network as a space for conception, action and exchange for intercultural dialogue by enhancing and fostering its coordination, mobilisation and development, as well as by supporting it in promoting the ALF programme activities.*

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In 2019, the Head of Network coordinator of the Portuguese Network was invited to give a speech at the intercultural Trends in the EuroMediterranean Region event organised by UNimed, from the University of Évora. Four participants from different civil society member organisations attended the Regional Training for Trainers on Intercultural Citizenship Education in the EuroMediterranean region held in Nicosia, Cyprus (2019).

Seven CSOs of the Portuguese Network took part in the ALF Cross-Network Activity, ‘Non-formal and Intercultural Education in the Mediterranean’ (2016) that expanded the learning horizons towards new methods, sensitivities and fields of action. They shared points of view and enlarged the boundaries, benefits and methods of education with educators and representatives of organisations from 10 countries in Tarragona. The Portuguese Network held its 2016 annual meeting in Portimão, inspired by Manuel Teixeira Gomes’ Mediterranean itineraries. Representatives from the Head of Network organisation and other Portuguese ALF members participated in the Forum called ‘La Méditerranée, un Espace de Dialogue, de Création et de Partage des Richesses,’ in preparation for the Ministerial Conference 5 + 5 Dialogue (2015) in Tanger, Morocco.

The Portuguese Network was involved in contributing to the Council of Europe’s Lisbon Forum of Civil Society in 2013. The Head of the Portuguese Network organised the exhibition, ‘On this side and the other’, which focused on photographs of daily life in Palestine and Israel taken by people from Portugal, France, Greece and Poland as part of the artistic exchange at the first Anna Lindh Forum in 2010.

As part of the ‘Restore Trust, Rebuild Bridges’ (2009) initiative, ‘A projection for a better understanding’ was performed during the Festival ‘Sete Sois Sete Lucas’, focusing on promoting the value of artistic exchange with Christians, Jews and Muslims. The first activities were organised by the Network in the framework of the campaign ‘1001 Actions for Dialogue’ (2008). Activities included festivals, intercultural meetings and debates.

60 civil society organisations have been involved in the Portuguese Network

Morocco, Palestine, Spain and Turkey were the countries that the Portuguese civil society organisations most partnered with through the Anna Lindh Grants Programme

19 new projects mobilised by the ALF through the '1001 Actions for Dialogue' campaign

Portugal is one of the 29 countries surveyed for the Report on Intercultural Trends

The ALF Advisory Council Member: Rui Nogueira Lopes Aleixo (current)

10 civil society organisations were represented at the Anna Lindh Forum 2013 in Marseille; 4 participants from several CSOs including the HoN attended the MEDForum in Valletta 2016

## Partnerships Established through Anna Lindh Grants

Algeria	4	Lithuania	2
Belgium	5	Morocco	3
Egypt	1	Palestine	7
France	2	Portugal	14
Germany	4	Spain	3
Ireland	14	Tunisia	5
Israel	2	Turkey	13
Jordan	2	United Kingdom	3
Lebanon	2		

50 participants attended the seminar entitled 'Novas Culturas, Novo Futuro' organised as a common operation activity in the framework of the National Strategic Development Scheme in 2009

## ALF Network in Portugal Main Projects with Portuguese Civil Society Organisations

Projects	Portuguese Organisation	Partner Countries
OLHARES DO MEDITERRÂNEO - Women's Film Festival: Awareness and empowering, 2020*	Centro em rede de Investigação em Antropologia (CRIA) - leader	Morocco, Spain, Lebanon, France, Italy, Palestine, Turkey
Améliorer la cohésion sociale des territoires méditerranéens autour de l'eau, 2020*	Universidade do Algarve - UAlg - partner	Spain, Morocco
Act for dialogue. Be a plural citizen!, 2020*	Marca – Associação de Desenvolvimento Local - partner	United Kingdom, Morocco, Tunisia, France, Egypt, Turkey, Lithuania, Spain
Diaspora - Awareness about Migrations in the Mediterranean, 2015	Rato - Associação para a Divulgação Cultural e Científica - leader	Jordan
The Others, Online Wiki Toolbox for Human Rights Education, 2013	Rato - Associação para a Divulgação Cultural e Científica - leader	Egypt, Jordan, Spain
Let's Do It Mediterranean!, 2013	Almargem Associação de Defesa do Património Cultural e Ambiental do Algarve - leader	Sweden, Croatia, Egypt, Estonia, France, Israel, Montenegro, Palestine, Slovenia, Tunisia
Voyages du Geste 7: Looking for a Spring, 2012	Propositário Azul, Associação Artística - leader	Lebanon, France, Italy, Palestine

Programme des Jeunes Citoyens Engagés, 2012	Associação Centro Intercultura Cidade - leader	Morocco, Algeria, Egypt, France, Italy, Lithuania, Morocco, Portugal, Romania, United Kingdom
HYDRIA, 2012	Etnia - Cultura E Desenvolvimento - leader	Greece, Algeria, Croatia, Egypt, France, Italy, Jordan, Lebanon, Morocco, Palestine, Tunisia
Festival Sete Sóis Sete Luas: Med.Arab.Jewish Mobilité, 2012	Sete Sóis Sete Luas - Associação Cultural - leader	Israel, Morocco, Spain, Tunisia
Cities Cultural Policies in the Context of Immigrant-Related Diversity, 2010	Centro de Estudos Geográficos - partner	Algeria, Israel, Spain
Creative Links for Peace, 2010	Grupo Teatro do Oprimido de Lisboa - GTO LX - leader	Palestine
Research-Based Art // Art-Based Research, 2009	Maumaus- Escola de Artes Visuais - partner	Germany, Lebanon, Palestine, Turkey, United Kingdom
A Contemporary North-South Approach to Traditional Dance, 2009	PédeXumbo - leader	Turkey, Morocco
Applied Arts, Design in the EuroMediterranean Region, 2007	Museu Nacional do Azulejo - partner	Germany, Egypt, Morocco
DBM, Mediterranean Dance Meetings, 2007	Danse Bassin Méditerranée PORTUGAL - leader	Lebanon, Spain, Turkey

## Main Actions Organised by Portuguese Network

Activity	Organisation in Charge	Location	Involved Countries
Education Non Formelle et Interculturelle en Méditerranée, 2016	Centro Nacional de Cultura - partner	Spain	Morocco, Algeria, France, Ireland, Jordan, Lebanon, Lithuania, Palestine, Portugal, Tunisia, Belgium
A Sea for Dialogue, 2013	ACERT - Associação Cultural e Recreativa de Tondela	Lisbon	Portugal



*Currently the Network is coordinated by: Black Sea University Foundation*

*The objectives of the Romanian Network of the ALF is to consolidate civil society and academic community in the region. The Network is focusing on: sustainable development, ecology and environmental protection, advanced sciences, international relations, conflict prevention and negotiation, and study of crises and risk. They are supporting the capacity of members to work on joint projects and regional partnership.*

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The Network Member Romanian Association for Baltic and Nordic Studies organised with the help of the ALF the 3rd International Conference on Baltic and Nordic Studies, entitled 'European Networks: the Balkans, Scandinavia and the Baltic World in a Time of Crisis' (2012) and the exhibition 'On this and the Other Side—Perception of a One-Week Journey in Israel and Palestine'. The exhibition was hosted in Romania at the National Museum Complex Princely Court of Targoviste and the National Museum of History and Archaeology of Constanta.

In 2010, the 'Migrants in the Spotlight' national action brought together NGO leaders with journalists and public institutions to debate concrete community initiatives related to the positive social contribution of migrants. The follow-up initiative, 'Intercultural Dialogue in a multi-cultural society', centred on a three-day training programme aimed at developing communication skills to overcome cultural differences. Civil society leaders from 38 countries of the EuroMed region met for a regional training seminar in Predeal with the aim of promoting Networking and joint project initiatives.

Another seminar took place in Predeal with the theme of 'Contact Marketing and Capacity-Building for Intercultural Dialogue and Diversity' (2010), where participants from 43 states of the EuroMed region were invited, having one representative from each country. One of the Network members launched 'Dialogue in a bits world: promotion of good practices of multi-ethnic coexistence in Constanta and Dobrogea' as part of the ALF 'Restore Trust, Rebuild Bridges' initiative (2009). The Romanian Network also took part in the ALF's campaign for the EuroMed Year of Dialogue between Cultures: '1001 Actions for Dialogue' (2008), organising a series of events and activities focused on increasing understanding and challenging stereotypes among the different communities of Romania.

41 civil society organisations have been involved in the Romanian Network

Jordan, Spain and Egypt are the countries that the Romanian civil society organisations most partnered with through the Anna Lindh Grants Programme

12 new projects mobilised by ALF through the '1001 Actions for Dialogue' campaign



Attended by over 50 participants, the Evaluation Conference of the 2005 European Year of Citizenship through Education was organised in Sinaia, Romania in April 2006

Andrei Popov, Ileana Taroi and Valentina Dumitrescu (Société Roumaine de Radiodiffusion) received the Anna Lindh Journalist Award 2011

Five civil society organisations were represented at the ALF EuroMed Forum in Marseille, 2013; 5 participants from several CSOs including the HoN attended the MEDForum in Valletta 2016

## Partnerships Established through Anna Lindh Grants

Algeria	3	Israel	2	Poland	1
Belgium	1	Italy	4	Spain	5
Bulgaria	2	Jordan	6	Sweden	1
Egypt	5	Morocco	2	Netherlands	3
Estonia	1	Palestine	4	Tunisia	2
France	1			Turkey	3
Greece	2				

Romania is one of the 29 countries surveyed for the Report on Intercultural Trends

## ALF Network in Romania Main Projects with Romanian Civil Society Organisations

Projects	Romanian Organisation	Partner Countries
#Youth4Peace: Training EuroMed Peace Trainers, 2015	PATRIR (Peace Action Training and Research Institute of Romania - partner	Egypt, Spain, Netherlands, Palestine, Egypt, Estonia, Sweden, Spain, Palestine, Tunisia
Debate Tournament and Public Debate: From Romania to Jordan, 2013	The Romanian Association for Debate, Oratory and Rhetoric - partner	Jordan
Programme des jeunes citoyens engagés, 2012	Asociatia D.G.T - partner	Morocco, Algeria, Egypt, France, Italy, Lithuania, Morocco, Portugal, Romania, United Kingdom
Transcending Narratives: Youth Developing Inclusive Societies in Romania, Israel and Palestine, 2012	Ratiu Center for Democracy - leader	Israel
The Role of Interfaith Cooperation in Immigrants' Integration, 2010	Tineret Buzau 2007 - partner	Belgium, Israel, Morocco, Jordan
Our Colorful World, 2010	Asociatia Tineri Parteneri Pentru - partner	Turkey, Egypt
2nd Generation Immigrants: Citizens without Rights Festival, 2009	Baraka Social Cultural Association - partner	Italy, Jordan, Palestine, Greece, Spain, Turkey, Egypt
Peace Bag for EuroMed Youth, 2009	AREAS - partner	Spain, Algeria, Egypt, Greece, Jordan, Netherlands, Palestine, Tunisia
L'Odyssée du Danube, 2007	Theatre Nottara - partner	France, Algeria, Bulgaria, Italy, Morocco, Spain

## Main Actions Organised by Romanian Network

Activity	Organisation in Charge	Location	Involved Countries
Intercultural Dialogue in a Multicultural Society, 2014	Black Sea University Foundation	Cluj and Bucharest	Romania


*Currently the Network is coordinated by: PDCS, o.z.*

*The ALF Network in the Slovak Republic has actively partnered in the ALF transnational projects with civil society groups in countries including the Czech Republic, The Netherlands and Palestine.*

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‘Be Effective! Enhancing Intercultural Dialogue Media Skills in Central and Eastern Europe’ (2017) was a Cross-Network activity with the goal to build communication capacities of national Network members. It brought together eight ALF national Networks: Czech Republic as the project Leader; Lithuania, Poland, Slovakia, Hungary, Slovenia, Tunisia and Morocco as partners. One hundred sixteen Network members in six European project countries have gone through a series of three to five trainings in viral video production, including editing and subtitles, info-graphics design and data journalism. Furthermore, a Communication Strategy paper has been published, summarizing available knowledge about public perception and media reporting about ‘the other’ in each of the six national contexts, drawing conclusions and recommendations for future communications strategies. Between 2005 and 2015, the Network organised actions such as the ‘Egyptian Cultural Heritage Safeguarding’ involving the general public in discussion on Mediterranean heritage and preservation; the ‘Women with Borders’ initiative; and the ‘Are you Free?’ cultural festival in Dunajská Streda with musicians from Hungary, France, Czech Republic, Poland and Slovakia. The ‘People in Dialogue’ (2010) seminar gathered representatives from the ALF EuroMed Dialogue Award winners, ‘Combatants for Peace’, an Israeli-Palestinian civil society movement, with members of national Networks in Austria, Poland, Hungary, the Czech Republic and Slovakia.

The People in Peril Association launched ‘Peace Dialogue in the Middle East’ with civil society representatives from Palestine, Israel and Slovakia in the framework of the ‘Restore Trust, Rebuild Bridges’ (2009) initiative that also included a public screening and discussion of a documentary about the peace dialogue between Arab and Jewish communities in Israel. As part of the ALF’s first regional campaign ‘1001 Actions for Dialogue’ (2008), the Network organised several projects, including ‘Culture of Diversity—Diversity of Cultures’ by the Bratislava House of Europe with a programme of workshops and debates focused on managing cultural diversity.



17 civil society organisations have been involved in the Slovak Network

Czech Republic, Netherlands, Hungary, Palestine, Poland are the countries that the Slovak civil society organisations most partnered with through the Anna Lindh Grants Programme



33 new projects mobilised by the ALF through the ‘1001 Actions for Dialogue’ campaign

Over 50 participants attended the 'People in Dialogue' Seminar in April 2010 in Bratislava

The 3 Heads of National Networks from Poland, Hungary and Czech Republic attended the Slovak Network meeting in Bratislava

5 civil society organisations were represented at the Anna Lindh Forum 2010 held in Barcelona; 3 participants from several CSOs including the HoN attended the MEDForum in Valletta 2016

## Partnerships Established through Anna Lindh Grants

Czech Republic	3	Morocco	1	Netherlands	2
Denmark	1	Palestine	2	Tunisia	4
Germany	2	Poland	2	Turkey	1
Hungary	5	Slovenia	4		
Lithuania	1	Syria	6		

## ALF Network in Slovak Republic Main Projects with Slovak Civil Society Organisations

Projects	Romanian Organisation	Partner Countries
Mitigating Online Radicalization and Hate Speech, 2020	Strategic Analysis - partner	Bosnia and Herzegovina, Lebanon
Muslims Living in Visegrad Countries, 2010	Center for the Research of Ethnicity and Culture - partner	Czech Republic, Hungary, Poland, Syria
Discovering Diversity. An Integrative Approach Towards the History of Migration, 2009	Historicky Ustav Slovenskej Akademy Vied - partner	Netherlands, Denmark, Germany, Morocco, Poland, Turkey
Art for Intercultural Dialogue, 2009	People in Peril Association - leader	Palestine
Symphony for All, 2007	Euforion - Kultumo Voinocasove Forum - partner	Netherlands, Palestine, Slovak Republic

## Main Actions Organised by Slovak Network

Activity	Organisation in Charge	Location	Involved Countries
Be Effective! Enhancing Intercultural Dialogue Media Skills in Central and Eastern Europe, 2017	The National Trust of Slovakia - partner	Czech Republic, Hungary, Slovenia, Poland, Slovakia, Lithuania	Czech Republic, Hungary, Slovenia, Poland, Slovakia, Lithuania, Tunisia, Morocco
Different Ways to Common Aims, 2012	The National Trust of Slovakia	Bratislava, Prešov, Kremnica, Žilina, Turčianske Teplice, Banská Štiavnica	Slovak Republic
Really? An Interactive day with the Anna Lindh Foundation, 2014	The National Trust of Slovakia	Veľký Biel	Slovak Republic, Turkey, Syria, Jordan



*Currently the Network is coordinated by: Povod, Zavod za kulturo in razvoj mednarodnih odnosov v kulturi*

*The ALF Network in Slovenia strives to stimulate and facilitate genuine cooperation between independent operators in the broad field of culture, including the arts, education, sustainability and media. Lately, the Network expanded with more Network members and active contacts outside of the capital city, Ljubljana, and gained better visibility within the civil society in Slovenia.*

The Network is actively involved in the YMV programme in 2020, mainly co-coordinated by the member organisation EPEKA. In 2017, the Slovenian Network coordinated a cross-Network programme, 'Intercultural cities'; recognized as a key activity to capitalize on within the theme of intercultural cities, this is one of the main thematic pillars of the ALF. Ten ALF Networks were directly involved in the Ljubljana event. In addition to the cooperation of the Slovenian Ministry of Foreign Affairs, the Union for the Mediterranean was involved in the main event; Secretary-General Fathallah Sijilmassi was the Keynote speaker.

During the first 10 years, the Slovenian Network of the ALF organised physical as well as live video meetings in the field of academic cooperation, youth work and peace culture. Four Slovenian organisations were involved in the Dawrak programme and the Slovenian Network took part in the 'Restore Trust, Rebuild Bridges' (2009) initiative, along with launching a range of events as part of the '1001 Actions for Dialogue' campaign (2008).

In 2009, through live video, 17 universities in 14 countries discussed the topic of 'Unity and Diversity of EuroMediterranean Identities' as part of the first multi-conference, 'EuroMed Research Souk'. The Slovenia-based 'EuroMed University' (EMUNI) was an ALF partner in the field of academic cooperation. The 'Who's got Broken Shoes?' (2009) theatre performance organised by Kulturno Umetnisko Drustvo Ponor about human rights and coexistence led to public debates with local NGOs and minority groups, including Roma people and Muslim communities. The Network members are joining resources on research on issues of intercultural dialogue and migrations.

77 civil society organisations have been involved in the Slovenian Network

Turkey, UK, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Palestine, Poland, Morocco and Egypt are the countries that the Slovenian civil society organisations most partnered with through the Anna Lindh Grants Programme

Hundreds of students attended the Euro-Mediterranean University (EMUNI) each year

14 projects mobilised by the ALF through the '1001 Actions for Dialogue' campaign

Slovenian journalist Uros Skerl received Anna Lindh Journalist Award 2008

In 2013, Daniel Lopez Bonicna and Zmajski Most were awarded in competition organised by IEMed and the ALF

9 civil society organisations were represented at the Anna Lindh Forum 2013 in Marseille; 7 participants from several CSOs including the HoN attended the MEDForum in Valletta 2016

The ALF Advisory Council Members: Nevenka Koprivsek and Igor Brlek (former)

## Partnerships Established through Anna Lindh Grants

Algeria	1	Hungary	2	Palestine	3
Bosnia and Herzegovina	3	Ireland	1	Poland	3
Bulgaria	1	Israel	2	Slovak Republic	1
Czech Republic	2	Italy	1	Spain	1
Egypt	3	Jordan	2	Sweden	2
Finland	2	Lebanon	1	Syria	1
France	2	Lithuania	1	Tunisia	2
Germany	2	Montenegro	1	Turkey	5
Greece	2	Morocco	3	United Kingdom	3



## ALF Network in Slovenia

### Main Projects with Slovenian Civil Society Organisations

Projects	Slovenian Organisation	Partner Countries
Be My Voice, 2020*	Povod, Institute for culture and development of international relations in culture - partner	Albania, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Egypt, Finland, Greece, Jordan, Lebanon, Lithuania, Morocco, Palestine, Luxembourg, Tunisia, Turkey
MOVEMENT, 2020*	APIS Institute - partner	Czech Republic, Palestine, Egypt, Ireland
Intercultural cities, 2020*	Povod (Head of the Network) - leader	Sweden, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Israel, Czech Republic, Hungary, Finland
Recycle in Fashion - RinF, 2020*	Centre for Design Research - partner	Italy, Egypt
Pankultikum, 2013	Institute Apis - partner	Jordan
Let's Do It Mediterranean!, 2013	Društvo Ekologi Brez Meja - partner	Sweden, Croatia, Egypt, Estonia, France, Israel, Montenegro, Palestine, Portugal, Tunisia
Pankultikum, 2013	Slovene Philanthropy - Association for Promotion of Voluntary Work - leader	Jordan
Motions to Promised Lands, 2012	Kulturno Umetniško Društvo Ponor/Art & Cultural Society Ponor - leader	Turkey
Loesje Crosses the Mediterranean, 2012	Pina - Association for Culture and Education - leader	Egypt, Germany, Israel, Palestine, United Kingdom
Theatre Caravan without Borders, 2010	Academic Press - partner	Bosnia and Herzegovina, Bulgaria, Montenegro, Turkey
Mediterraneum United, 2009	Zavod Voluntariat - leader	Italy, Germany, Greece, Jordan, Palestine, Poland, Syria
Light, Illumination and Electricity, 2006	SCCA, Center for Contemporary Arts - partner	Turkey, Egypt, France

### Main Actions Organised by Slovenian Network

Activity	Organisation in Charge	Location	Involved Countries
3.S for Intercultural Citizenship Education, 2017	POVOD - partner	Italy, Morocco, Turkey	Slovenia, Bosnia and Herzegovina, UK, Morocco, Turkey
Expression artistique interculturelle en zones fragiles, 2017	POVOD - partner	Tunisia	Algeria, Finland, France, Greece, Ireland, Lebanon, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Tunisia, Morocco, UK
Intercultural cities, 2017	POVOD - leader	Israel, Finland, Sweden, Poland, Czech R., Hungary, Slovenia	Israel, Finland, Sweden, Poland, Czech R., Hungary, Slovenia
Be Effective! Enhancing Intercultural Dialogue Media Skills in Central and Eastern Europe, 2017	POVOD - partner	Czech Republic, Hungary, Slovenia, Poland, Slovakia, Lithuania	Czech Republic, Hungary, Slovenia, Poland, Slovakia, Lithuania, Tunisia, Morocco
Stronger together, 2015	POVOD	Ljubljana	Slovenia
Stronger Together II, 2014	POVOD	Ljubljana	Slovenia, Jordan, Tunisia, Egypt, Turkey
Stronger Together, 2012	POVOD	Ljubljana	Slovenia, Tunisia, Lebanon





# Spain

*Currently the Network is coordinated by: European Institute of the Mediterranean (IEMed)  
The Spanish Network of the ALF promotes spaces for positive interaction between different actors in our society with the aim of having a strong and empowered civil society. It firmly believes in dialogue and intercultural education and has been actively involved in conducting transnational projects and developing partnerships with EuroMed civil society.*

‘Young people facing climate change in the Mediterranean and the 2030 Agenda for sustainable development’ was the theme of the 13th edition of the EuroMediterranean literary competition, ‘A Sea of Words’ (2020). Since 2008, 2,839 young people have participated in the competition: 1,494 from the SouthMed and 1,345 from the NorthMed. Between 10 and 20 young people are invited each year to dialogue and share their experiences during a stay in Barcelona. In 2017, the three winners from Jordan, Morocco and Italy were invited to express their wishes and ambitions to the ALF Board of Governors.

‘Non-formal and Intercultural Education in the Mediterranean’ (2015) was the first Cross-Network Activity project awarded by the ALF and led by the Spanish Head of Network in cooperation with 12 ALF Networks (Morocco, Algeria, France, Ireland, Jordan, Lebanon, Lithuania, Palestine, Portugal, Tunisia, Belgium). The three-day interactive learning and sharing event in Tarragona mobilised representatives from 108 CSOs from 12 EuroMed countries and involved over 2,000 people. Since 2018, the Spanish Network has promoted a mobility programme to encourage cooperation and mutual awareness between members of the Spanish Network, as well as the exchange of experiences and strengthening the Network’s cohesion.

In 2014, the first interNetwork joint action between seven EuroMed countries with over 65 activities was organised under the slogan ‘Art, instrument of social transformation’. In preparation for the follow-up EuroMed Forum in Marseille (2013), the ALF and IEMed organised the ‘Media Facing Tensions and Transitions in the Mediterranean’ meeting in Barcelona, with high representation from media across the EuroMed. Two major activities about education and youth were co-organised by the ALF, Spain’s Head of Network and the Catalan Ministry of Education: a training seminar with 70 educators teaching cultural diversity, and a EuroMed Youth Workshop in the framework of the Alliance of Civilizations of the United Nations (2006). In 2010, through the first Mediterranean Civil Society Forum, the ALF EuroMed Forum, IEMed and the ALF brought together over 1,000 representatives of civil society from 43 EuroMed countries in Barcelona.

156 civil society organisations have been involved in the Spanish Network

Italy, Egypt and Palestine are the countries that the Spanish civil society organisations most partnered with through the Anna Lindh Grants Programme

34 new projects mobilised by ALF through the ‘1001 Actions for Dialogue’ campaign



30 participants from several CSOs including the HoN attended the MEDForum in Valletta 2016

1,013 participants from 43 countries at the first ALF Forum in Barcelona; 360 participants from 118 Spanish civil society organisations

13 editions of the Literary Competition 'A Sea of Words' co-organised by IEMED and the ALF

Alberto Arce (El Mundo) in 2009 and Jaume Bartroli (Televisio De Catalunya 3) in 2012 received the ALF Journalist Award

More than 70 participants attended the seminar 'EuroMed Education: Knowledge Building and Networking'

Spain is one of the countries surveyed for the Anna Lindh Intercultural Trends Report

### Partnerships Established through Anna Lindh Grants

Algeria	11	Greece	5	Portugal	2
Belgium	2	Ireland	7	Romania	3
Bulgaria	1	Italy	23	Slovenia	1
Cyprus	7	Jordan	12	Sweden	2
Czech Republic	1	Latvia	1	Syria	1
Denmark	1	Lebanon	12	Netherlands	3
Egypt	21	Lithuania	2	Tunisia	9
Estonia	2	Malta	1	Turkey	12
Finland	1	Morocco	14	United Kingdom	3
France	12	Palestine	16		
Germany	7	Poland	1		

The ALF Advisory Council Members:  
Miguel Hernando de Larramendi (current);  
Gema Martin Munoz (2005-2008)



## ALF Network in Spain

### Main Projects with Spanish Civil Society Organisations

Projects	Spanish Organisation	Partner Countries
QUO VADIS EuroMed CIVIL SOCIETY?, 2020*	The European Institute of the Mediterranean (IEMED) - partner	Turkey, Greece, Croatia
OLHARES DO MEDITERRÂNEO - Women's Film Festival: Awareness and empowering, 2020*	Mostra Internacional de Films de Dones de Barcelona - partner	Morocco, Portugal, Lebanon, France, Italy, Palestine, Turkey
How I See You: Creating Diverse Digital Communities, 2020*	Jóvenes hacia la Solidaridad y el Desarrollo - partner	Jordan, Egypt, Poland
Intercultural Dialogue to Combat Hate Speech, 2020*	The European Institute of the Mediterranean - partner	Latvia, Luxembourg, Egypt, Belgium
INTERCULTURALITÉ ET CRISE - COVID 19, 2020*	L'Institut Européen de la Méditerranée (IEMed) - partner	Tunisia Morocco, France, Estonia, Greece, Palestine, Mauritania
We hear your voice, 2020*	BENILDE. Mujeres&Culturas - partner	Jordan, Italy, Palestine
EMpowering Youth - Improving capacity for EuroMed youth projects, 2020*	Servei Civil Internacional de Catalunya - partner	Morocco, Israel, Jordan, Palestine, France, Greece, United Kingdom
Améliorer la cohésion sociale des territoires méditerranéens autour de l'eau, 2020*	CERAÍ – Centro de Estudios Rurales y de Agricultura Internacional - leader; Université de Grenade (UGR) - Spain - partner	Morocco, Portugal
Act for dialogue. Be a plural citizen!, 2020*	L'Institut Européen de la Méditerranée - HoN - partner	United Kingdom, Portugal, Tunisia, France, Egypt, Turkey, Lithuania, Morocco
Voix de Femmes, 2020*	IEMed – Institut Européen de la Méditerranée - partner	Morocco, Algeria, France, Tunisia
Antigona 2.0, 2020*	Fundación ACM (Asamblea de Ciudadanos y Ciudadanas del Mediterráneo) - leader; Mostra Viva del Mediterráneo - partner	Algeria, Montenegro, Morocco
ÉDUQUER DANS LA DIVERSITÉ, CONSTRUIRE LA CITOYENNETÉ, 2020*	IEMed - European Institute of the Mediterranean - leader	Morocco, Belgium
NACMM - The North Africa Cultural Mobility Map_Online platform_Public workshops_Exhibition, 2015	CeRCCa - Centre de Recerca i Creacio Casamarles - leader and 2-JISER Reflexions MediterràniesJiser Reflexions Mediterrànies - partner	Morocco
I-Gender, 2015	Asociacion Euroaccion	Italy, Egypt, Palestine, Jordan
Expressions in Dialogue, 2015	Association of Human Rights Educators - partner	Lebanon, Estonia, Turkey, Jordan, Greece, Lithuania, Egypt
EUROMED Education Without Borders, 2015	WinORG - partner	Egypt, Latvia, Sweden, Algeria, Tunisia, Italy, United Kingdom, Estonia, Morocco
#Youth4Peace: Training EuroMed Peace Trainers, 2015	Fundacio Catalunya Voluntaria - partner	Egypt, Netherlands, Romania, Palestine, Egypt, Estonia, Sweden, Spain, Palestine, Tunisia
Optique Jeune Mostaganem: Participation Audiovisuelle des Jeunes, 2013	Jarit - Associació Civil - leader	Algeria, Morocco, Spain
Living Together in the Mediterranean, 2013	Ajuntament de Molins de Rei- Dep. Solidaritat i Cooperació - leader	Jordan, Tunisia
Emerging Nonviolent Civil Society Actors in the EuroMediterranean Region, 2012	NOVA - Centre per a la Innovació Social - leader	Italy, Jordan, Lebanon, Netherlands, Palestine, Tunisia

Cities Cultural Policies in the Context of Immigrant-Related Diversity, 2010	GRITIM-UPF - leader	Algeria, Israel, Portugal
2nd Generation Immigrants: Citizens without Rights Festival, 2009	Nexes Interculturals per Joves d'Europa - partner	Italy, Jordan, Palestine, Romania, Greece, Turkey, Egypt
Cultural Partnerships: Youths Create Intercultural Perspectives for Palestine, 2009	Barenboim Said Foundation - partner	Palestine, Germany
JAM: Jeunesse Artistique de la Méditerranée, L'Art Comme Moyen Pour la Paix, 2009	Inter Europa Rioja - partner	Italy, Algeria, Jordan, Turkey, Morocco
Peace Bag for EuroMed Youth, 2009	Fundació Catalunya Voluntària - leader	Algeria, Bulgaria, Egypt, Greece, Italy, Poland, Romania, Tunisia, Turkey
Avoir 20 ans en Méditerranée, 2007	European Institute of the Mediterranean - partner	Italy, Lebanon, Turkey
Dgap 11th International Summer School, 2007	The Toledo International Centre for Peace - partner	Germany, Israel, Turkey
Crossroad of Cultures, 2007	Barcelona Voluntària - partner	Egypt, Czech Republic, Denmark, Tunisia, Turkey
Title Illuminating Picasso's Dove of Peace, 2007	Pablo Ruiz Picasso Foundation - partner	Israel, Malta, Palestine
L'Odyssée du Danube, 2007	Foundation ITTM - partner	France, Algeria, Bulgaria, Italy, Morocco, Romania
Ideamed2007: Identity and Education Across the Mediterranean, 2007	CESOM - leader	Cyprus, Egypt, Italy, Lebanon
Week of Global Education, 2006	Fundación Jóvenes del Tercer Mundo - partner	Italy, Israel, Palestine
Rainbow of Music, 2006	Association Juvenil Crupi - partner	Jordan, UK, Turkey, Poland, Italy, Egypt, France, Morocco
Bilad Al Sham, Training Course, 2006	Asamblea de Cooperación por la paz - partner	Palestine, Italy, Jordan
Education Leadership Workshop, 2006	CESOM - leader	Morocco, Italy, Palestine

## Main Actions Organised by Spanish Network

Activity	Organisation in Charge	Location	Involved Countries
Expression artistique interculturelle en zones fragiles, 2017	IEMed - partner	Tunisia	Algeria, Finland, France, Greece, Ireland, Lebanon, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Tunisia, Morocco, UK
Education Non Formelle et Interculturelle en Méditerranée, 2016	IEMed - leader	Spain	Morocco, Algeria, France, Ireland, Jordan, Lebanon, Lithuania, Palestine, Portugal, Tunisia, Belgium
Twenty thousand leagues on the Intercultural Sea, 2015	Fundación Al Fanar para el Conocimiento Arabe	Madrid, La Nou de Bergedà, Valencia, Barcelona, Andalusia, Murcia, Asturias, Catalonia, Ramallah,	Spain and Palestine
L' Art, Instrument et Expression des Changements Sociaux, 2014	IEMed	Taroudant	Morocco
Maroc et Espagne: Jeunes Leaders Face à l'Avenir, 2013	IEMed	Sevilla	Spain, Morocco



## Sweden



*Network is currently coordinated by: The National Museums of World Cultures*  
*The Swedish Network is open to collaboration with the ALF Networks particularly in the Nordic, Baltic and MENA regions. It is implementing collaboration projects in the fields of climate action, equality, inclusion, arts, culture, tolerance and social innovation.*

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The Swedish Network organises an annual Networking forum entitled ‘Celebrating Our Diversity’ with a focus on intercultural, inclusive and sustainable cities. In 2020, it hosted two virtual EuroMed trainings on ‘Intercultural Competences’, with Patrick Gruzckun, and ‘Prosper with Purpose’, with Johanna Westbrandt.

Members of the Swedish Network took part in the youth seminar ‘Equal in Med in Marseille’ (2018) which aimed at enhancing intercultural dialogue between youth from the EuroMed Region on gender equality and women’s empowerment. In the same year, members of the Network took part in the regional workshop of the ‘Mind the Gap’ programme in Amman in collaboration with cultural and artistic feminist activists from Jordan and Egypt.

In 2017, the regional training seminar on ‘Countering Hate Speech through Human Rights Education’ was hosted in Gothenburg, in collaboration with the Council of Europe and the German, Finnish, and Danish Networks. In 2017, the Nordic seminar on migration and working with refugees was co-organised with the Finnish and Danish Networks (2017). In preparation for the Anna Lindh Forum in 2016, the Swedish Network hosted the first Nordic-Baltic Dialogue forum in Stockholm.

On the 2009 International Day of Peace, the ALF, Swedish coordinator and Stockholm Peace Institute co-organised the ‘Restore Trust, Rebuild Bridges’ Forum with more than 30 countries and hosted an event with the winners of the EuroMed Dialogue Award and the ALF advisory council meeting during the Swedish Presidency of the European Council. The Swedish Network coordinated a number of public activities as part of the ALF ‘1001 Actions for Dialogue’ campaign (2008).

The Swedish Network also supports initiatives from members such as: LärOlika – Learning Across Differences: an intercultural dialogue initiative promoting unity in diversity and Migrants Journey Game: an award-winning project using film and gaming to raise awareness about migration and asylum to Europe from Africa and the Middle East.

111 civil society organisations in the Swedish Network

Turkey, Palestine and Egypt the countries Swedish civil society most partnered with through the ALF Grants Programme

35 projects mobilised in Sweden for the '1001 Actions for Dialogue' campaign

## Partnerships Established through Anna Lindh Grants

Algeria	2
Bosnia and Herzegovina	1
Croatia	1
Czech Republic	1
Denmark	4
Egypt	6
Estonia	5
Finland	2
France	4
Germany	3
Greece	2
Hungary	1
Ireland	1
Israel	3
Italy	2
Jordan	4
Latvia	1
Lebanon	4
Montenegro	2
Morocco	3
Palestine	6
Poland	2
Portugal	1
Romania	1
Slovenia	3
Spain	3
Sweden	4
Netherlands	1
Tunisia	5
Turkey	7
UK	3

More than 40 participants at the EuroMed Media Forum in Stockholm in September 2009

17 civil society organisations were represented at the ALF MEDForum 2013 in Marseille; 12 participants from several CSOs including the HoN attended the MEDForum in Valletta 2016

Sweden is one of the countries surveyed for the Anna Lindh Intercultural Trends Report

The ALF Advisory Council Members: Naomi Grossman and Lovisa Fhager (current); Patrick Gruczun (former)



## ALF Network in Sweden

### Main Projects with Swedish Civil Society Organisations

Projects	Swedish Organisation	Partner Countries
Intercultural cities, 2020*	National Museum of World Culture - partner	Slovenia, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Israel, Czech Republic, Hungary, Finland
Celebrating Our Diversity, 2020*	Statens Museer för Världskultur (HoN) - leader	Germany, Finland, Lebanon
Imagine: migrant journeys, 2015	bMECTE- partner	Turkey
EUROMED Education Without Borders, 2015	Munkebaecksgymnasiet - partner	Egypt, Latvia, Estonia, Algeria, Tunisia, Italy, United Kingdom, Spain, Morocco
Youth to Youth (Y2Y) - deliberations and sharing of experiences on the current Mediterranean Refugee and Migrant Crisis: its challenges, impacts and opportunities, 2015	Swideas AB - partner	Denmark, Turkey, Lebanon
#Youth4Peace: Training EuroMed Peace Trainers, 2015	PeaceWorks Sweden - partner	Egypt, Spain, Romania, Palestine, Egypt, Estonia, Netherlands, Spain, Palestine, Tunisia
Let's Do It Mediterranean!, 2013	RELEARN Suderbyn - leader	Croatia, Egypt, Estonia, France, Israel, Montenegro, Palestine, Portugal, Slovenia, Tunisia
With My Eyes Only, 2013	Ögonblicksteatern - partner	Palestine
Let's Do It Mediterranean!, 2013	Swedish Mekteb - leader	Croatia, Egypt, Estonia, France, Israel, Montenegro, Palestine, Portugal, Slovenia, Tunisia
Spring of Democracy, 2012	Youth Centers, City of Mölndal/KEKS - leader	Egypt, Jordan, Palestine
The 99% Remix: An intercultural Hip Hop Opera for Social Change, 2012	Theater Kapija - partner	Israel, Germany
Intercultural Understanding Every Day, ICU Every Day, 2009	Internationelt kultur Utbyte IKU - partner	Bosnia and Herzegovina, France, Germany, Italy, Montenegro, Palestine
Istikshaf: exploring mobility, 2009	Dramatiska institutet - partner	Jordan, Egypt, France, Jordan, Lebanon, Sweden
Vox Pacis, Voice of Freedom, 2007	Association Vox Pacis - The Voice of Freedom - leader	Estonia, Israel, Palestine
Choreographic platform for dance development, 2006	Skanes Dansteater AB - partner	Denmark, Jordan, Egypt

### Main Actions Organised by Swedish Network

Activity	Organisation in Charge	Location	Involved Countries
Best Practice Social and Creative Enterprise Training, 2017	National Museums of World Culture - partner	Greece	Greece, Germany, Lebanon, Sweden, UK
Expression artistique interculturelle en zones fragiles, 2017	National Museums of World Culture - partner	Tunisia	Algeria, Finland, France, Greece, Ireland, Lebanon, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Tunisia, Morocco, UK
Intercultural cities, 2017	National Museums of World Culture - partner	Slovenia	Israel, Finland, Sweden, Poland, Czech R., Hungary, Slovenia
Networks for Intercultural Citizenship Education, 2017	National Museums of World Culture - partner	Finland	Denmark, Estonia, Germany, Morocco, Poland, Sweden, Tunisia, Turkey
Room for everyone, 2015	AFS interkulturell utbildning	online and in three cities around Sweden	Sweden
PeaceDay, 2014	National Museums of World Culture	Sweden	Sweden
PeaceDay, 2012	National Museums of World Culture	Sweden	Sweden



*Civil society members from various cities and towns including Damascus, Homs and Aleppo joined the ALF Network in Syria. Following the withdrawal of Syria from the Union for the Mediterranean in 2011, the ALF has worked through its Networks to involve Syrian citizens from the Diaspora in its EuroMed activities.*

Syrians were invited to the ‘Moltaqa Dawrak’ (2014) in Alexandria, the first and biggest large-scale youth gathering in an Arab country, gathering over 300 young CSO members. It was organised at Bibliotheca Alexandrina, the headquarters of the international secretariat of the ALF. The Anna Lindh Mediterranean Forum in Marseille (2013) and the capacity building trainings in the field of culture and education of the ‘Dawrak: Citizens for Dialogue’ programme also included Syrians.

In the framework of the ‘1001 Actions for Dialogue’ campaign in 2008, there were the Syrian actions ‘Go East! Go Syria’ and the ‘Sham Spiritual Oasis’. Through the action ‘Go East! Go Syria’, people were brought together to Damascus from a range of countries, including Germany, Turkey and Jordan, with workshops and meetings on the topics of education for dialogue and Syrian-European relations. Within the programme, the major public event was the organisation of the European Cultural Day.

The ALF organised a training for multipliers for Syrian civil society on project proposal writing and development between 2006 and 2007. Additionally, on behalf of the Monastery Mar Musa Al Habashi, Father Paolo participated in the ALF ad-hoc group ‘Major Misconceptions in Intercultural and Interreligious Dialogue’ in cooperation with the Arab League (Cairo, 2006), the ‘Dialogue Night’ held at the Bibliotheca Alexandrina (2006), and the ‘Debate on Art and Dialogue’ (May 2008) organised by the International Cultural Centre in Krakow.





Syria is one of the countries surveyed for the Anna Lindh Intercultural Trends Report

The ALF Advisory Council Member:  
Dr. Taleb Mahmoud Omran (former)

9 Syrian participants in 'Dawrak Capacity-Building' trainings

## Partnerships Established through Anna Lindh Grants

Czech Republic	3	Italy	6	Slovenia	1
Egypt	2	Jordan	4	Spain	1
France	2	Lebanon	3	Netherlands	1
Germany	1	Morocco	2	Tunisia	1
Greece	4	Palestine	2		
Hungary	2	Poland	4		
		Slovakia	1		

## ALF Network in Syria

### Main Projects with Syrian Civil Society Organisations

Projects	Syrian Organisation	Partner Countries
Meeting Points 6, Flashpoint I, 2010	Dar Al Assad for Arts and Culture - partner	Belgium, Jordan, Lebanon
Muslims living in Visegrad countries, 2010	Monasti Community of Deir Mar Musa - partner	Czech Republic, Hungary, Poland, Slovak Republic
Dancing on the Edge: Stimulating Cultural Awareness, 2010	Tanween for Theatrical Dance - partner	Egypt, Netherlands
Musical Coexistence, Tradition meets Contemporary, 2009	The High Institute of Music - Partner	Poland
Mediterraneum United, 2009	The Palestinian youth center Jafra - partner	Slovenia, Italy, Germany, Greece, Jordan, Poland, Palestine
Youth X change in the Mediterranean, 2009	Syrian Environment Protection Society - partner	Greece, Egypt, France, Jordan, Lebanon, Morocco
ADYAN understanding, 2009	Sheikh Ahmad Kufaro foundation - partner	France, Italy, Poland, Lebanon
VII Rencontre des ecoles d'art de la mediterranee, 2006	Faculte des Beaux Arts - Universite de Damas - partner	France, Italy, Morocco
War Gifts, 2006	Archaeological Society - Branch of Latakia - partner	Italy, Jordan, Greece

## Participation in Regional Campaigns

Project	Organisation	Campaign
Go East! Go Syria	Greek Orthodox Patriarchate in Damascus	1001 Actions for Dialogue
We might live together but it doesn't mean we know about each other	Greek Orthodox Patriarchate of Antioch	Restore Trust, Rebuild Bridges



*Currently the Network is coordinated by: We Love Sousse*

*The Tunisian ALF Network supports and involves young CSO members especially, and has been organising many international events dealing with current regional challenges.*

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In 2020, the Network played an integral part in the organisation of two international activities in Tunisia: The Preparatory Conference (EuroMed/Africa) UN75 for the series of conferences on the 75th anniversary of the UN in Tallinn, London and Narva; and the 3rd edition (online) of the Forum Convergences Tunisia 'SSE in action for a Tunisia Zero Exclusion, Zero Carbon, Zero Poverty'.

The Network organized the 1st and 2nd editions of the Euro-Arab Youth Forum (2017, 2018); the 1st—attended by young people from 19 countries and eminent EuroMed personalities representing associations and organisations in charge of culture and youth—resulted in the proclamation of the 'Tunis Declaration for the Culture of Life'; the 2nd focused on building common dynamics for young people in the Euro-Arab region in the field of media, partnering with the Ministry of Youth and Sport. More than 150 youth leaders from 17 countries, many Network heads and the Ambassador of the EU Delegation attended.

As the only SouthMed Network, Tunisia led the three-day Cross-Network Activity 'Intercultural Artistic Expression in Fragile Areas' (2017) Forum on themes related to the role of intercultural artistic expression in fragile areas, in partnership with 11 Networks. Youth National Debate Clubs (2016) were set up by the Association La Voix de l'Enfant Rural, adapting an innovative methodology of dialogue through providing the space and resources for artistic debate practices, tackling issues of youth concerns. Among many other Common Actions, the Network organised the 'Old City Center of Life: Social Entrepreneurship and Heritage Solution against Irregular Migration' (2013) project gathering the Swedish and Danish Heads.

More than 200 youth participated in the Tunisian-Lybian Youth Forum (2012/14); the Network co-organised training on 'Education for Intercultural Citizenship' in 2014; and in 2013 organized both the 'Euromed Youth Facing Crises: Citizenship, Art and Democratic Transition' Forum and 'The role of citizens in the construction of open and pluralistic societies' as part of the Dawrak programme. More than 50 participants (20 countries) and Network heads of Morocco and Algeria gathered. The 'Young Arab Voices' (2011) programme was presented for the first time, leading to the establishment of hubs across the country. About 3,000 participated in the Network's joint event, 'Ana Tounsy' (2010).

89 civil society organisations in the Tunisian Network

France, Italy and Morocco the countries Tunisian civil society most partnered with through the ALF Grants Scheme

12 new projects mobilised by the ALF through the '1001 Actions for Dialogue' campaign

31 Tunisian civil society organisations represented at the ALF Forum 2013 in Marseille; 30 participants from several CSOs including the HoN attended the MEDForum in Valletta 2016

In 2011 Tunisian journalist Abdel Aziz Hali received Anna Lindh Journalist Award

Tunisia is one of the countries surveyed for the Anna Lindh Intercultural Trends Report

42 Tunisian participants in 'Dawrak: Capacity-Building' trainings

The ALF Advisory Council Member: Mohamed Ben Mami (2005-2008)

## Partnerships Established through Anna Lindh Grants

Albania	1	Lebanon	6
Algeria	8	Lithuania	4
Belgium	5	Malta	2
Bosnia Herzegovina	1	Morocco	14
Bulgaria	2	Palestine	6
Cyprus	1	Poland	2
Czech Republic	2	Portugal	1
Denmark	2	Romania	2
Egypt	9	Slovak Republic	1
Estonia	3	Slovenia	2
Finland	1	Spain	9
France	20	Sweden	4
Germany	3	Syria	1
Greece	8	Netherlands	3
Hungary	1	Tunisia	5
Ireland	2	Turkey	5
Italy	17	UK	2
Jordan	9		
Latvia	2		



## ALF Network in Tunisia

### Main Projects with Tunisian Civil Society Organisations

Projects	Tunisian Organisation	Partner Countries
Be My Voice, 2020*	We Love Sousse - partner	Albania, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Egypt, Finland, Greece, Jordan, Lebanon, Lithuania, Morocco, Palestine, Slovenia, Luxembourg, Turkey
The Story Kitchen, 2020*	Tunisian Association of Female Photographers / L'association Tunisienne des femmes photographes - partner	France, Turkey, Germany
Christmas Souk, 2020*	We Love Sousse - partner	Belgium, Luxembourg, Mauritania
INTERCULTURALITÉ ET CRISE - COVID 19, 2020*	We Love Sousse - leader	Spain, Morocco, France, Estonia, Greece, Palestine, Mauritania
Euro Med, The Flying Classroom, 2020*	Tunisian Association for Cultural Action (ATAC) - partner	Bulgaria, Turkey
Femmes des îles, moteurs d'un tourisme durable, 2020*	Municipalité de Kerkennah - partner	France, Greece, Croatia, United Kingdom
Act for dialogue. Be a plural citizen!, 2020*	We Love Sousse - HoN - partner	United Kingdom, Portugal, Morocco, France, Egypt, Turkey, Lithuania, Spain
Voix de Femmes, 2020*	We Love Sousse - partner	Morocco, Algeria, Spain, France
Women! - Daphne, Echo, Io and the others, 2015	Maison de la Culture 'Ibn Rachiq', Forum Méditerranéen de la Mémoire, Espace Culturel Aykart and A.T.E.P. - Association Tunisienne d'Esthétique et Poétique - partners	Italy, Turkey, Greece
Web Arts Résistances, 2015	Al Khatt- Inkyfada - partne	Italy, Lebanon, France
Jeunes Citoyens Méditerranéens Face aux Changements Climatiques, 2015	L'Association des Amis du Belvédère (AAB) - partner	France, Morocco
EUROMED Education Without Borders, 2015	ZAYRAH AFRICA - partner	Egypt, Latvia, Sweden, Algeria, Estonia, Italy, United Kingdom, Spain, Morocco
Different Cultures - Common Values, 2015	Association Tunisienne d'Action Culturelle - partner	Bulgaria, Turkey, Cyprus
#Youth4Peace: Training EuroMed Peace Trainers, 2015	CALAM (Coexistence with Alternative Language and Action Movement) - partner	Egypt, Spain, Romania, Palestine, Egypt, Estonia, Sweden, Spain, Palestine, Netherlands
EuroMed Reporter, 2013	I watch / Ena yakedh - partner	France, Morocco
Carrefour du Dialogue Citoyen, 2013	Association Tounissiet - partner	France
Dream City, 2012-2013	L'Art Rue - leader	France
Festival Sete Sóis Sete Luas: Med.Arab.Jewish Mobilité, 2012	Club Unesco Bardo - partner	Portugal, Israel, Morocco, Spain
Baltic International Summer School, 2009	Club Unesco Alecco Bardo - partner	Lithuania, Egypt, Latvia
Effective communication for people with special needs, 2009	Tunisian union to help mentally disabled persons - partner	Egypt, France, Lebanon, Jordan, Germany
Peace Bag for EuroMed Youth, 2009	Association jeunes méditerranéens - partner	Spain, Algeria, Bulgaria, Egypt, Greece, Italy, Jordan, The Netherlands, Palestine
Les Ondes pour la Méditerranée, 2009	La radio tunisienne - leader	Algeria, France, Italy, Morocco
EUROMED Sustainable Community Connections, 2007	Association for the Protection of Nature - partner	Greece, Italy, Jordan, Palestine
Nourriture et interculture dans l'expérience migratoire, 2007	Institut Méditerranéen de Tourisme - partner	Italy, France, Morocco
Medi'djinns Percus, 2007	Association Arts & Jeunesse El Jem - partner	France, Italy, Lebanon, Lebanon, Morocco

FUNDUQ, héritage, recherche et création, 2007	Centre Musiques Arabes et Méditerranéennes - partner	Belgium, Algeria, Italy
The Mediterranean Food Educational Project, 2006	Association for the protection of Nature and Environment - partner	Greece, Egypt, Morocco, Italy, Jordan
Mediterranean women course on development, 2006	International Organisation for Migration - partner	Italy, France, Lebanon
WISE: Women Led Participation In European Projects, 2006	Union Nationale de la femme Tunisienne - partner	Malta, Jordan, Lithuania
Zalab TV, 2006	CRSS association - partner	Italy, Spain, Palestine
Action MED EL JEM (Ateliers. Creation, Transmission, Information et Ouverture inter Nationales), 2006	Association Arts et Jeunesse EL Jem - leader	Italy, Morocco, France
Sténopé, et le dialogue des jeunes artistes euro-méditerranéens, 2006	Association amis de la maison des jeunes de Metline - leader	France, Morocco, Poland

## Main Actions Organised by Tunisian Network

Activity	Organisation in Charge	Location	Involved Countries
Kimiyya. Les Femmes actrices du Dialogue, 2017	We Love Sousse - partner	France, Tunisia Algeria, Malta, Albania, Bosnia, Italy	France, Tunisia Algeria, Malta, Albania, Bosnia, Italy
Networks for Intercultural Citizenship Education, 2017	We Love Sousse - partner	Finland	Denmark, Estonia, Germany, Morocco, Poland, Sweden, Tunisia, Turkey
Be Effective! Enhancing Intercultural Dialogue Media Skills in Central and Eastern Europe, 2017	We Love Sousse - partner	Czech Republic, Hungary, Slovenia, Poland, Slovakia, Lithuania	Czech Republic, Hungary, Slovenia, Poland, Slovakia, Lithuania, Tunisia, Morocco
Expression artistique interculturelle en zones fragiles, 2017	We Love Sousse - leader	Tunisia	Algeria, Finland, France, Greece, Ireland, Lebanon, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Tunisia, Morocco, UK
Education Non Formelle et Interculturelle en Méditerranée, 2016	We Love Sousse - partner	Spain	Morocco, Algeria, France, Ireland, Jordan, Lebanon, Lithuania, Palestine, Portugal, Tunisia, Belgium
L'Art, Instrument et Expression des Transformations Sociales, 2014	We Love Sousse	Taroudant	Tunisia and Morocco
Dialogue Patrimoine et Citoyenneté, 2013	We Love Sousse	Taroudant	Tunisia and Morocco

*Network is currently coordinated by: System and Generation Association (S&G) and Association of Civil Society and Development Institute (ACSDI)*

*Encouraging the mutual respect of values, promoting inter-religion dialogue, and boosting diversity as an asset in society, the Network works on combatting all stereotypes, racism, xenophobia and segregation. Youth, people with fewer opportunities and disadvantaged, refugees and migrants, women and children are main target groups.*

In 2020, the Head of Network in Turkey organised the ALF Network Members Virtual Meeting introducing new members to each other. The virtual 'ALF TURKEY Talk#2 Meeting' was also organised, hosting Mr. Şamil Ayrim, head of the Turkish group of the Parliamentary Assembly of the Union for the Mediterranean, who underlined the key role CSOs are playing, especially during this difficult period. The Cross-Network Activity, '3.S. for Intercultural Citizenship Education' (2017), was implemented in collaboration with Bosnia and Herzegovina, Morocco, Slovenia and UK ALF Networks, including three seminars in Tangier (Morocco), Mazara del Vallo (Italy) and Bursa (Turkey) to strengthen an advanced level of mutual understanding and develop an Intercultural Citizenship Education platform in the EuroMed region.



Through a board game created by the project 'Imagine: Migrants Journeys' (2015), players experience and better understand the journeys that Syrian migrants must make while escaping the war in their home country. The video competition 'Meeting my Neighbour' (2015) promoted mutual respect between Turkish citizens and youth from diverse minorities dealing with social and cultural challenges. Young people throughout Turkey engaged in a dialogue with their 'neighbours' with the support of Network Members.

In its first 10 years, the Network organised workshops, such as 'Interreligious, Intercultural Dialogue and Dialogue with Music' (2014), to spread values to young people of dialogue between religions and cultures; members of both Turkish and other ALF National Networks were involved. Seventy participants from five countries took part in the national action 'Environment, Culture and Social Responsibility' (2013). Using non-formal education methods, experts also supported participants in creating new projects.

‘Youth Incubator for Reconciliation’, launched by S&G in 2009, was part of the ‘Restore Trust, Rebuild Bridges’ initiative. The Istanbul Foundation for Culture and Arts and the ALF organised the ‘Youth Workshop for the Settlement of Conflicts through Cultural Cooperation’ in 2007 in Istanbul. Forty youth leaders and youth workers from 27 EuroMed countries attended; the ALF also partnered with the EuroMed Youth Platform for a networking event in Istanbul involving youth leaders from 30 countries (2006).

281 civil society organisations have been involved in the Slovenian Network

Italy, Egypt and Lebanon are the countries that the Turkish civil society organisations most partnered with through the Anna Lindh Grants Programme

27 projects mobilised by ALF through the ‘1001 Actions for Dialogue’ campaign

3rd Advisory Council meeting was organised in Istanbul in 2009

Turkish journalist Vercihan Ziflioglu received Anna Lindh Journalist Award 2008

20 civil society organisations were represented at the Anna Lindh Forum 2013 in Marseille

Turkey is one of the 29 countries surveyed for the Report on Intercultural Trends

ALF Advisory Council Members: Amb. Mehmet Selim Kartal (current); Amb. Fatma Serpil Alpman and Ayse Sumru Noyan (former)

## Partnerships Established through Anna Lindh Grants

Algeria	3	Egypt	16	Lithuania	2	Spain	12
Austria	1	Estonia	1	Montenegro	1	Sweden	5
Belgium	1	France	1	Morocco	8	The Netherlands	4
Bosnia Herzegovina	8	Greece	9	Palestine	11	Tunisia	3
Bulgaria	5	Hungary	1	Poland	5	UK	1
Croatia	1	Israel	6	Portugal	4		
Cyprus	4	Italy	22	Romania	3		
Czech Republic	1	Jordan	14	Slovak Republic	1		
Denmark	4	Lebanon	15	Slovenia	2		



## ALF Network in Turkey

### Main Projects with Turkish Civil Society Organisations

Projects	Turkish Organisation	Partner Countries
Proverbs for parleys: promoting intercultural awareness, understanding and dialogue in EuroMed region, 2020*	Small Projects Istanbul - partner	Estonia, Lebanon
Be My Voice, 2020*	ASSOCIATION OF CIVIL SOCIETY AND DEVELOPMENT INSTITUTE - partner	Albania, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Egypt, Finland, Greece, Jordan, Lebanon, Lithuania, Morocco, Palestine, Slovenia, Tunisia, Luxembourg
The Story Kitchen, 2020 *	Balık Sanat Derneği (Balık Art Association) - partner	France, Germany, Tunisia
QUO VADIS EuroMed CIVIL SOCIETY?, 2020*	CENTER FOR INTERNATIONAL AND EUROPEAN STUDIES - partner	Croatia, Greece, Spain
OLHARES DO MEDITERRÂNEO - Women's Film Festival: Awareness and empowering, 2020*	Flying Broom Foundation - partner	Morocco, Spain, Lebanon, France, Italy, Palestine, Portugal
Anna Lindh Virtual Academy, 2020*	Association of Civil Society and Development Institute - leader	Morocco, Germany, Belgium, United Kingdom, Ireland
Euro Med The Flying Classroom, 2020*	The Economic Research and Social Solidarity Foundation of the Balkan Immigrants (BİSAV) - partner	Bulgaria, Tunisia
Act for dialogue , Be a plural citizen!, 2020*	S&G System and Generation Association - HoN - partner	United Kingdom, Portugal, Tunisia, France, Egypt, Morocco, Lithuania, Spain
Women!- Daphne, Echo, Io and the others, 2015	Ares Organisation - partner	Tunisia, Italy, Greece
Translation Collider 1, 2015	Kaliru Tourism and Travel AgencyKalem Culture Association - partner	Bulgaria, Egypt
Learning indeed, 2015	Dinamik Gelisim Dernegi (eng. Dynamic Development Association)- partner	Bosnia and Herzegovina
HOME - NEW HOME, 2015	Yasar University (Faculty of Communication, Radio, TV and Cinema Department) - partner	Palestine, Greece, Jordan, Lebanon
Feel, Share, Act: Youth Empowerment through Intercultural Learning, 2015	ONET / BRCV SOUSSE - partner	Greece, Egypt, France
Expressions in Dialogue, 2015	Association of Renaissance Institute - partner	Lebanon, Spain, Estonia, Jordan, Greece, Lithuania, Egypt
Art of Democracy in EuroMed region, 2015	Ortaköy 80.Yıl Mesleki ve Teknik Anadolu Lisesi, Kecioren Municipality and Turkey Disable's Education and Solidarity Foundation OZEV - partner	Croatia
"Youth to Youth (Y2Y) - deliberations and sharing of experiences on the current Mediterranean Refugee and Migrant Crisis: its challenges, impacts and opportunities", 2015	People Demand Change LLP - partner	Denmark, Sweden, Lebanon
"Different Cultures - Common Values", 2015	The Economic Research and Social Solidarity Foundation of the Balkan Immigrants (BİSAV) - partner	Bulgaria, Tunisia, Cyprus
Buffer Zone, 2012	Apartment Project - leader	Cyprus, Germany

A Purple Touch to the Cinema: Cache Tales, 2012	Bağlar Municipality - leader	Finland
Our Colorful World, 2010	KUM SAATİ EĞİTİM GENÇLİK KADIN - leader	Egypt, Romania
Research-based art // Art-based research, 2009	5533 - partner	Germany, Lebanon, Palestine, Portugal, United Kingdom
Intercultural Understanding Every Day, 2009	Romankara Ankara Roma - partner	France, Germany, Italy, Montenegro, Palestine, Sweden
2nd Generation Immigrants: Citizens without rights Festival, 2009	Hangar Art Association - partner	Italy, Jordan, Palestine, Romania, Spain, Greece, Egypt
A contemporary North-South approach to traditional dance, 2009	Babil, Society Culture and Arts Association - Partner	Portugal, Morocco
Migration-Culture-Identity: the Anna Lindh Foundation	STKED - partner	Germany, Egypt, Tunisia, Sweden, Austria, Palestine
Tahqiq Sahafi: Journalisme culturel et enquêtes en Méditerranée, 2009	IPS communication foundation BIANET - partner	France, Lebanon, Morocco, Palestine, Italy
Intercultural Understanding Every Day, ICU Everyday, 2009	GSM youth services centre - leader	Bosnia and Herzegovina, Germany, Italy, Montenegro, Palestine, Sweden
Overcoming Prejudices and Restoring Trust in Roma Minority, 2009	Babil, Society Culture And Arts Association - leader	Greece
Babel Med Music, 2007	Istanbul Foundation for Culture and Arts - partner	France, Morocco, Spain
DGAP 11th International Summer School, 2007	Middle East Technical University - partner	Germany, Israel, Spain
Crossroad of cultures, 2007	Avarsay - partner	Egypt, Czech Republic, Denmark, Spain, Tunisia
Going Public '06. Atlante Mediterraneo, 2006	Platform Garanti - partner	Italy, Egypt, Spain, Cyprus
Light, Illumination and Electricity, 2006	Santral Istanbul - leader - partner	Egypt, Slovenia, France
The Mediterranean "Brain Drain", 2006	Sivil Toplum Ve Kalkinma Enstitüsü Dernegi - partner	Cyprus, Italy, Jordan
Mare di Danza (Danse en Mer), 2006	Eurasia Art Collective - partner	Italy, Egypt, France

## Main Actions Organised by Turkish Network

Activity	Organisation in Charge	Location	Involved Countries
Networks for Intercultural Citizenship Education, 2017	System and Generation Association - partner	Finland	Denmark, Estonia, Germany, Morocco, Poland, Sweden, Tunisia, Turkey
3.S for Intercultural Citizenship Education, 2017	System and Generation Association - leader	Italy, Morocco, Turkey	Slovenia, Bosnia and Herzegovina, UK, Morocco, Turkey
Dialogue Between Neighbours, 2015	S-G System and Generation Association	Ankara, Antalya, Eskisehir, Istanbul,	Turkey
Developing a Fundraising Strategy: New Tools and Trends, 2015	Third Sector Foundation, Civil Society and Development Institute	Istanbul	Turkey
Regional, National and International Cooperation's Workshop and Round Table, 2013	IKSV, S&G and ACSDI	Eskişehir	Turkey



*Currently the Network is coordinated by: In Place Of War (IPOW)—University of Manchester*  
*The UK ALF Network focuses on intercultural dialogue work in the field of art and culture.*  
*The Members are international NGOs, academic institutions and media bodies that implement projects in the fields of literature, online media, artistic mobility and creativity.*

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In 2019, the UK Network organised a meeting about Monitoring and Evaluation (M&E) in Manchester, gathering experts, Heads and Network members to discuss how the M&E of the Network Members' activities can be improved. The ALF 'EuroMed Women for Dialogue Forum' (2019) in Amman was co-organised by the Jordanian and UK Head of Network. The event brought together women from across the Network to present ideas and stories on equality. The Cross-Network Activity 'Best Practice Social and Creative Enterprise Training' (2017) led by IPOW involved four Networks: Greece, Lebanon, Sweden and Germany. They sent filmmakers to refugee communities to record best practice approaches. Eighteen people were trained and certified in the CSEP Training of Trainers, enabling them to train refugees they work with.

The UK Head of Network supported the development of the Young Arab Voices (YAV) programme, rolled out as Young Mediterranean Voices (YMV). In London, YAV alumni participated in a policy event, organised in cooperation with the Chatham House (2016) and the YAV Debate Week (2015), organised with the British Council. One of the winners of the 10th edition of the 'EuroMed Awards for Dialogue between Cultures' (2015) was the Capoeira4Refugees NGO from the UK that runs projects in Syria, Palestine and Jordan. The theme of the Award was initiatives against hate-speech and xenophobia.

'Creative Connections for Intercultural Dialogue and Beyond Borders: The Art of Dialogue' are among the national actions launched. The British Council and the ALF co-organised the conference 'Rethinking Dialogue' in 2010. More than 100 journalists and media from the Middle East and Europe gathered in London for the first time after the 2009 Gaza War for the Foundation's 'In the Aftermath of Gaza: Media Narratives and Public Perceptions', organised with the University of Westminster and Chatham House. In collaboration with the Network, several international forums have been co-organised by the ALF in the UK, including the workshop and art exhibition 'Cross-Border Arts', which presents and discusses the work of artists following the war in Lebanon in 2006.



139 civil society organisations in the ALF UK Network

Egypt and Turkey the countries UK civil society most partnered with through the ALF Grants Scheme

British academic experts from City University; University of Westminster in the Anna Lindh Report 2010 Scientific Committee

Capoeira4Refugees won the 2015 EuroMed Dialogue Award

British journalists Rachel Shabi (The Guardian), Sarfraz Manzoor (The Guardian), Sakr Al Makhadhi (BBC Radio 2) winners of the ALF Journalist Award between 2011 and 2012; 2013 and 2014 bestowing ceremonies London in partnership with Thomson Reuters Foundation

26 civil society organisations represented at the ALF Forum 2013 in Marseille; and 21 participants from several CSOs including the HoN attended the MEDForum in Valletta 2016

The ALF Advisory Council Member: UK-based academic Sara Silvestri (former)

UK is one of the countries surveyed for the Anna Lindh Intercultural Trends Report

## Partnerships Established through Anna Lindh Grants

Algeria	3				
Bosnia Herzegovina	1	Israel	3	Palestine	10
Egypt	7	Italy	3	Poland	1
Estonia	1	Jordan	1	Slovenia	2
Finland	1	Latvia	1	Spain	4
France	4	Lebanon	7	Sweden	3
Germany	4	Malta	1	Tunisia	2
Greece	3	Morocco	5	Turkey	6
Ireland	1				

## ALF Network in the United Kingdom Main Projects with UK Civil Society Organisations

Projects	UK Organisation	Partner Countries
The Anna Lindh Virtual Academy, 2020*	EuroMediterranean Resources Network - partner	Morocco, Germany, Belgium, Turkey, Ireland
EMpowering Youth - Improving capacity for EuroMed youth projects, 2020*	Concordia UK (Ltd) - partner	Morocco, Israel, Jordan, Palestine, Spain, Greece, France
Femmes des îles, moteurs d'un tourisme durable, 2020*	National Trust - partner	Tunisia, Greece, Croatia, France
Act for dialogue. Be a plural citizen!, 2020*	In Place of War - HoN - partner	Morocco, Portugal, Tunisia, France, Egypt, Turkey, Lithuania, Spain
Global Learning through Digital Stories, 2020*	Asfar CIC - partner	Hungary, Israel

EUROMED Education Without Borders, 2015	Madina Leadership Programme - partner	Egypt, Latvia, Sweden, Algeria, Tunisia, Italy, Estonia, Spain, Morocco
Living Bridge for Intercultural Dialogue, 2013	Revive - Supporting Refugees and People Seeking Asylum - partner	Israel
This Flesh is Mine, 2013	Border Crossings - leader	Palestine
Loesje Crosses the Mediterranean, 2012	Xchange Scotland - partner	Slovenia, Egypt, Germany, Israel, Palestine
Acting Diversity, 2012	Badac Theatre Company - partner	Palestine, Italy
Literature Across Frontiers in the Mediterranean, 2012	Literature Across Frontiers - leader	Egypt, Malta, Turkey
Cooling Conflict: Young people in Northern Ireland and Palestine, 2012	The Indra Congress - leader	Palestine
Raising awareness on the issue of displacement in Israel and the Palestinian Territory, 2010	ICAHN UK - partner	Israel, Italy
Research-based Art // Art-based Research, 2009	Interface, centre of research in art - partner	Germany, Lebanon, Palestine, Portugal, Turkey
Traduction, entre langues et cultures, du Dictionnaire critique de la Méditerranée, 2009	St Antony's college in the University of Oxford - partner	France, Algeria, Morocco
Building A United Negev Youth Leadership Forum, 2009	New Israel Fund - partner	Israel
Stories from our Mothers (Meetings of Palestinian and British women), 2009	Camden Abu DIs Friendship Association - leader	Palestine
Palestine Festival of Literature, 2009	Engaged Events Ltd - leader	Palestine
Arab women in the creative sector, 2009	Kingston University - leader	Egypt
Tapis Volant, 2007	Serious Events Limited - partner	France, Lebanon, Palestine, Turkey
Drama as a Context for Learning, International Summer School, 2007	National Association for the Teaching of Drama - partner	Palestine, Greece, Jordan, Lebanon
Read Write Now, 2006	British Council - partner	Palestine, Egypt, Spain
Online Interactive Visual Art Programme, 2006	British Council - partner	Palestine, Germany, Egypt
Rainbow of Music, 2006	Article 12 in Scotland - partner	Jordan, Turkey, Poland, Spain, Italy, Egypt, France, Morocco

## Main Actions Organised by UK Network

Activity	Organisation in Charge	Location	Involved Countries
3.S for Intercultural Citizenship Education, 2017	In Place of War - partner	Italy, Morocco, Turkey	Slovenia, Bosnia and Herzegovina, UK, Morocco, Turkey
Expression artistique interculturelle en zones fragiles, 2017	In Place of War - partner	Tunisia	Algeria, Finland, France, Greece, Ireland, Lebanon, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Tunisia, Morocco, UK
Best Practice Social and Creative Enterprise Training, 2017	In Place of War - leader	Greece	Greece, Germany, Lebanon, Sweden
Network Intercultural Action – Principles of Working with Refugees, 2015	In Place of War	Manchester and London	UK
Beyond Borders: the Art of Dialogue, 2014	Ion Creative	Manchester	UK, Egypt, Palestine, Lebanon, Belgium
Creative Connections: World Event Young Artists, 2012	Ion Creative	Nottingham	UK





# **Governance, Management and Financing**



# Governance and Management

Co-financed by the countries of the Union for the Mediterranean and the European Commission, the Anna Lindh Foundation is overseen by a Board of Governors composed of representatives of 42 countries of the EuroMed partnership. The Board approves the programme and budget of the Foundation, and appoints the president and Executive Director. The Foundation has its international headquarters in Alexandria, Egypt.

## ANNA LINDH FOUNDATION PRESIDENT AND EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

The ALF president represents the Foundation in its external relations, presides over the Advisory Council, reports to the Ministerial meetings, and assists the Executive Director in the preparation of the multi-annual work programme.

Its Executive Director manages the Foundation, prepares the programme and budget, appoints and heads the staff, prepares the meetings of the Board of Governors, and acts as its legal representative.



**Elisabeth Guigou**  
(2015 to present / France)



**Nabil Al Sharif**  
(2018 to present / Jordan)

## FORMER ANNA LINDH FOUNDATION PRESIDENT AND EXECUTIVE DIRECTORS



**President**  
**André Azoulay**  
(2008 to 2014 / Morocco)



**Hatem Atallah**  
(2015 to 2017 / Tunisia)



**Andreu Claret**  
(2008 to 2014 / Spain)



**Lucio Guerrato**  
(2007 to 2008 / Italy)



**Traugott Schoefthaler**  
(2005 to 2007 / Germany)

## BOARD OF GOVERNORS

The Board of Governors is composed of representatives from the members of the EuroMediterranean Partnership countries. At present, they are: Albania, Algeria, Austria, Belgium, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Bulgaria, Croatia, Cyprus, the Czech Republic, Denmark, Egypt, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Ireland, Israel, Italy, Jordan, Latvia, Lebanon, Lithuania, Luxemburg, Malta, Mauritania, Monaco, Montenegro, Morocco, Palestine, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, the Netherlands, Tunisia, Turkey, and the United Kingdom. The European Commission and the League of Arab States are observers to the Board of Governors.



The Board appoints the president, the Executive Director and the Advisory Council. Board Chairpersons and Vice Chairpersons, respectively, have been: Muhyieddeen Touq (Jordan) and Lars Bjarme (Sweden), 2005 to 2009; Ambassador Veronika Stabej (Slovenia) and Professor Mohamed Mahjoub (Tunisia), 2009 to 2014; Abou Bakr Hefny Mahmoud (Egypt), 2015 to 2016; Mr Ridha Zguidane (Tunisia), 2016 to 2019; and Mr Ralf Lorig, end of 2019 to present.

The Foundation's Board of Governors has always played a vital role in the decision-making processes. At its inception, it appointed the president and Executive Director and adopted its statutes; thereafter it approved the multi-annual programme with a three-year perspective and the related budget; adopted the annual work programme, including the projects and activities along with its budget; and adopted the general guidelines for the work of the Foundation and its organisational structure.

The Board supported the implementation of the main activities and flagship initiatives carried out during the past 15 years. Additionally, it adopted the Anna Lindh Mediterranean Forum, a unique gathering that brings together civil society organisations from 42 EuroMed countries; to date there have been four editions, with the latest held in Malta in 2016. Due to the global Covid-19 pandemic situation, the fifth edition, scheduled to take place in Sibenik, Croatia in April 2020 has been postponed.

Other flagship initiatives supported and adopted by the Foundation Board of Governors include the Report on Intercultural Trends, a pioneering tool for knowledge and action on cross-cultural relations in the Mediterranean region, reaching its fourth edition in 2020. The Dawrak ('Your Turn' in Arabic) programme focused on providing civil society leaders with skills for participating in public life. Its last activity, 'Moltaqa' ('Encounter' in Arabic), was a major civil society gathering at the ALF headquarters in Alexandria, Egypt, in November 2014, held on the 10th anniversary of the Foundation's establishment. It followed the celebration in Napoli in October 2014, with the presence of main statutory bodies of the Foundation, the Board of Governors, Advisory Council and the Heads of Network representatives.

Also adopted was the Young Arab Voices programme. Launched in 2011, it delivered new opportunities for skills development and debating for young people across the Mediterranean region. In 2016, this was later expanded to 'Young Mediterranean Voices', as announced in Valletta, Malta, by the European Union High Representative for Foreign Affairs, Mrs Federica Mogherini.

The Board of Governors meet at least twice a year; to date, there have been 62 meetings hosted in various EuroMed region countries such as Athens, Brussels, Barcelona, Dubrovnik, Krakow, Luxembourg, Malaga, Malta, Madrid, Nice, Portoroz and Vilnius. Its last physical meeting was held on 24 November, 2019 in Alexandria at the Foundation's headquarters, before going to virtual meetings in 2020 as a result of Covid-19. The three last virtual meetings took place during the months of June, July and October.

### **ADVISORY COUNCIL**

Advisory Council members of the ALF are individuals and personalities of the civil society, chosen for their background in the field of intercultural dialogue and selected by the Board of Governors from proposals made by the EuroMed partners.

Presided over by the Foundation's president, the Council meet at least once a year; the Executive Director is consulted for the preparation of the draft multi-annual work programme and to advise on the strategic policy orientations of the Foundation. To date, the council has been comprised of the following members:

**2005–2008:** Mohamed Ben Mami (Tunisia), Salvatore Bono (Italy), Malek Chebel (Algeria), Asaad El-Asaad (Palestine), Hoda El- Sadda (Egypt), Marie-Claire Foblets (Belgium), Alisa Simha Ginio (Israel), Helle Elisabeth Malmvig (Denmark), Taher Nashat Masri (Jordan), Tuomo Melasuo (Finland), Gema Martin-Munoz (Spain), Demetris Z. Pierides (Greece).

**2008–2011:** Rowaida Al-Ma'aitah (Jordan), Ron Barkai (Israel), Heidi Dumreicher (Austria), Caroline Fourest (France), Eduard Gombárd (Czech Republic), Lucio Guerrato (Italy), Aïcha Kassoul (Algeria), Nevenka Koprivsek (Slovenia), Mohamed Mahjoub

(Tunisia), Tuomo Melasuo (Finland), Antoine Messarra (Lebanon), Aliko Moschis-Gauguet (Greece), Besnik Mustafaj (Albania), Ayse Noyan (Turkey), Taleb Omran (Syria), Karina Petersone (Latvia), Sara Silvestri (United Kingdom), Nevine Simaika (Egypt).



**2012–2014:** Besnik Mustafaj (Albania), Sabria Boukadoum, (Algeria), Nevine Simaika Halim (Egypt), Yaarah Bar On (Israel), Rowaida Al-Maaitah (Jordan), Antoine Nasri Messarra (Lebanon), Lamia Radi (Morocco), Mohamed Kameleddine Gaha (Tunisia), Ayse Sumru Noyan (Turkey), Dejan Jović (Croatia), Sonja Hegazy (Germany), Hesna Al Ghaoui (Hungary), Ann Luttrell (Ireland), Jacek Purchla (Poland), Rui Nogueira Lopes Aleixo (Portugal), Terry S. Boullata (Palestine), Michele Capasso (Italy), Igor Brlek (Slovenia), and Karina Pētersone (Latvia).

**2015–2017:** Ghania Mokhtari (Algeria), Josko Bozani (Croatia), Mohamed Anis Salem (Egypt), Risto Veltheim (Finland), Marie–Christine Saragosse (France), Sonja Hegazy (Germany), Aliko Moschis-Gauguet (Greece), Hesna El Ghaoui (Hungary), Ann Luttrell (Ireland), Yaarah Bar On (Israel), Michele Capasso (Italy), Rowaida Al Maaitah (Jordan), Marwa Halwani Akkari (Lebanon), Godgrey Pirota (Malta), Lamia Radi (Morocco), Terry Boullata (Palestine), Jacek Purchla (Poland), Rui Lopes Aleixo (Portugal), Miguel Hernando de Larramendi (Spain), Patrick Gruczun (Sweden), Fatma Serpil Alpman (Turkey).

**2018–2020:** Ghania Mokhtari (Algeria), Mohamed Anis Salem (Egypt), Risto Veltheim (Finland), Marie–Christine Saragosse (France), Caroline Robertson-von Trotha (Germany), Aliko Moschis-Gauguet (Greece), Ann Luttrell (Ireland), Yaarah Bar On (Israel), Paola Sarcina (Italy), Rowaida Al Maaitah (Jordan), Marwa Halwani Akkari (Lebanon), Norbert Bugega (Malta), Terry Boullata (Palestine), Rui Lopes Aleixo (Portugal), Miguel Hernando de Larramendi (Spain), Naomi Grossman/Lovisa Fhager (Sweden), Mehmet Selim Kartal (Turkey).



Established in 2007, the Advisory Council had its first meeting in 2008, followed by annual meetings in various EuroMed region cities: Alexandria, Istanbul, Lisbon, London, Naples, and Rome.

The Council held open discussions in different areas related to the work of the Foundation. These included how to build a culture based on dialogue and exchange by leading a movement to bring together and inspire other civil societies, along with advancing new thinking on how to mark a step-change in significantly scaling-up the impact and reach of intercultural action.

In the framework of the Foundation's pioneering intercultural trends research, which continues to expose both the challenges and opportunities in leveraging the power of dialogue for social change, members discussed and exchanged views on how to forecast and respond to socio-cultural trends in Europe and the Mediterranean.

### **HEADS OF NETWORK**

The Anna Lindh Foundation, as per its statute, functions as a network of networks (the Networks).

Governments of the 42 EuroMed countries identified appropriate institutions or organisations that play the role of Head of the national level Network of institutions to develop dialogue on an ongoing basis between cultures and civilisations within the framework of the EuroMediterranean Partnership. Consequently, the Foundation runs the largest Network of civil society organisations involved in the promotion of intercultural dialogue across the EuroMed region.

With the aim of furthering the dialogue between cultures and contributing to the implementation of its programme, the Foundation plays a pivotal role in mobilising the national Networks dealing with the dialogue between cultures created by the EuroMed partners. This is achieved most notably through the promotion of a Network of the respective heads of the national Networks, and assisting members of the Networks in securing access to funding, bringing people and organisations together, spreading knowledge and sharing best practice.

The Networks play a major role in promoting the visibility of the EuroMediterranean Partnership at both national and regional level, and Heads or Coordinators of the national Networks meet at least once a year with the financial support of the Foundation, in particular for consultation regarding the annual work programme and strategic policy orientations.

Annual meetings of the Heads of Network are hosted in different cities of EuroMed countries with the coordination and support provided by the Head of Network institution of the host country, to date: Alexandria, Barcelona, Berlin, Brussels, Cairo, Gothenburg,

Krakow, Naples, Nice, Nicosia, Tallinn, Tampere, Thessaloniki, Valletta, Vilnius. The scheduled meeting for 2020 has been organised virtually, due to the Covid-19 pandemic.

The Foundation ensures regular coordination of its Networks and contributes to the progressive consolidation of a coordinated platform of member organisations—which actively promote intercultural dialogue in the EuroMed region—by providing the necessary financial support to the Heads of Networks institutions through the organisation of meetings and trainings during the different Foundation’s financial phases which began in 2008.

During the current phase IV, the following three funding schemes were created and put into effect for the benefit of the ALF Networks across 42 countries.

**The Network Coordination Support (NCS):** ensures the regular coordination of the networks and the progressive consolidation of a coordinated platform of member organisations, which actively promote intercultural dialogue in the EuroMed region, and provides financial support to the Heads of Network for day-to-day coordination of the networks through the organisation of meetings and training.

**The Network Intercultural Action (NIA):** reinforces the mission of the Foundation at national level and ensures the visibility and coherence of the national Network’s intercultural actions. The NIA aims to tackle intercultural challenges related to the country-specific social and cultural diversity. The Foundation launched two calls during the current phase.

**The Cross-Network Activities (CNA):** capitalizes on network members’ knowledge and experience in addressing challenges related to intercultural dialogue at regional and sub-regional level, and promotes intercultural dialogue competences among member organisations of the ALF networks to contribute to a culture of dialogue.



# The Anna Lindh Foundation Multicultural Team

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# Funding Sources and Allocations

## Member States: Contributions 2005 - 2021

Country	PHASE I 4 Aug. 2005 - 3 Nov. 2008 Received contributions	PHASE II 4 Nov. 2008 - 31 Dec. 2011 Received contributions	PHASE III 1 Jan. 2012 - 31 Dec. 2014 Received contribution	PHASE IV 1 Jan. 2015 - 31 Dec. 2017 Received contributions	Phase V (2018-2021) Received contributions (as of October 2020)
Albania	-	10,000	-	-	-
Algeria	100,000	-	-	-	-
Austria	100,000	100,000	100,000	-	-
Belgium	200,000	216,000	225,000	74,000	20,000
Bosnia and Herzegovina	-	-	-	-	-
Bulgaria	-	-	-	-	30,000
Croatia	-	35,000	45,000	45,000	30,000
Cyprus	50,000	75,000	85,000	85,000	55,000
Czech Rep	50,000	50,000	-	25,778	45,554
Denmark	201,884	200,000	192,934	-	-
Egypt *	13,543	26,973	-	-	-
	In-kind contribution: anticipated at EUR 250,000 annually				
Estonia	10,000	39,985	40,000	40,000	-
Finland **	100,000	150,000	150,000	200,000	100,000
France	500,000	500,008	750,000	750,000	750,000
Germany	600,000	1,200,000	1,092,000	1,600,000	1,200,000
Greece	100,000	100,000	10,000	30,000	-
Hungary	60,000	51,318	60,000	80,000	-
Ireland	100,000	-	35,000	50,000	50,000
Israel	50,000	50,201	59,520	30,000	10,000
Italy	400,000	290,630	70,000	50,000	-
Jordan	30,000	-	10,000	-	-
Latvia	8,000	25,000	51,000	68,000	34,000
Lebanon	25,000	14,000	10,000	10,000	-
Lithuania	10,000	6,000	10,000	45,000	30,000
Luxemburg	275,000	135,000	120,000	120,000	99,742
Malta	100,000	100,000	100,000	99,999	99,999
Mauritania	-	-	18,046	-	-
Monaco	-	30,000	30,000	70,000	90,000
Montenegro	-	5,000	-	-	5,000
Morocco	50,000	50,000	50,000	50,000	100,000
Netherlands	296,033	100,000	300,000	300,000	200,000
Palestine	-	-	-	-	-
Poland	75,000	75,000	75,000	75,000	75,000

Portugal	100,000	110,000	50,000	50,000	60,000
Romania	-	150,000	-	-	-
Slovakia	30,000	30,000	30,000	-	-
Slovenia	30,000	42,000	10,000	-	-
Spain	1,000,000	1,000,000	500,000	80,000	80,000
Sweden ***	500,000	575,000	750,000	662,374	410,732
	In-kind contribution: hosting in the Swedish Building				
Syria	25,000	30,000	-	-	-
Tunisia	25,000	25,000	25,000	25,000	-
Turkey	100,000	300,000	360,000	150,000	13,815
United Kingdom ****	100,000	-	-	-	-
<b>Total Member States Contributions</b>	<b>5,414,460</b>	<b>5,897,115</b>	<b>5,413,500</b>	<b>4,865,151</b>	<b>3,588,842</b>

\***Egypt**: Provides office facilities at the Bibliotheca Alexandrina with in-kind Contribution evaluated at approximately EUR 250,000 annually as per the agreement with the Bibliotheca Alexandrina

\*\* **Finland**: Pledged extra € 70,000 for co-financing in (Citizens for Dialogue) DAWRAK Programme. Also contributed by additional EUR 190,000 for the Young Mediterranean Voices Program—Action Grant signed with the EU for the period 2018–2020. In addition to extra funding of € 50,000 to co-finance ALF MED Forum-Malta

\*\*\* **Sweden**: In-kind contribution by the Swedish Government hosting in the Swedish Building since year 2005, in addition to a financial contribution amounting to 107,000 to cover the expenses of the Swedish Building for the period 01 March 2019 – 29 February 2020; in addition to funding the Arab Children’s Literature, \$2,524,484

\*\*\*\* **United Kingdom**: €1,191,184 Arab Partnership + the British Council (Young Arab Voices): £ 504,970 + £ 450,000, and Foreign Common Wealth Office financing the Debate to Action grant (August 2015–May 2016) € 780,167

## Contributions and expenditures 2005 - 2021

### Phase I. August 4, 2005 to November 3, 2008 (in Millions EUR)

Contributions		
Contributions from European Commission	4.83	46%
Contributions from Member States	5.41	52%
Extra MS Contribution for Inauguration	0.07	1%
Generated interest on MS bank accounts	0.17	2%
<b>Total Contributions</b>	<b>10.48</b>	<b>100%</b>
Expenditures		
Financing Specific Events & missions	3.02	29%
Calls for Proposal	2.73	26%
Support to Networks Scheme	0.28	3%
Human Resources	3.20	31%
Running Costs	0.53	5%
Expenses before signing contract with EU	0.59	6%
<b>Total Expenditures</b>	<b>10.34</b>	<b>100%</b>

## Phase II. November 4, 2008 to December 31, 2011 (in Millions EUR)

Contributions		
Contributions from European Commission	6.59	52%
Contributions from Member States	5.90	47%
Generated interest on MS bank accounts from Phases I and II, proceeds from car sale and participation fees and deferred Contributions from phase I	0.15	1%
<b>Total Contributions</b>	<b>12.64</b>	<b>100%</b>

Expenditures		
Financing Specific Events	2.72	22%
Calls for Proposal	2.38	19%
Support to Networks Scheme	1.79	14%
Human Resources	4.25	34%
Running Costs	0.50	4%
Other Costs & Services	0.44	4%
Other Expenditures on activities not covered by the European Union Grant contract during the period 2005 to 2011	0.27	2%
<b>Total Expenditures</b>	<b>12.35</b>	<b>100%</b>

## Phase III. Budget from January 1, 2012 to December 31, 2014 (in Millions EUR)

Contributions		
Contributions from European Commission	9.40	62%
Contributions from Member States	5.41	36%
Interest on MS bank accounts and deferred Contributions from phase II	0.28	2%
<b>Total Contributions</b>	<b>15.10</b>	<b>100%</b>

Expenditures		
Financing Specific Events	4.90	34%
Calls for Proposal	2.00	14%
Support to Networks Scheme	2.40	16%
Human Resources	4.40	30%
Running Costs	0.68	6%
Other Expenditures on activities not covered by the European Union Grant contract during the period 2012 to 2014	0.28	
<b>Total Expenditures</b>	<b>14.66</b>	<b>100%</b>

## Phase IV. Budget from January 1, 2015 to December 31, 2017 (in Millions EUR)

Contributions		
Contributions from European Commission	6.15	54%
Contributions from Member States	4.86	43%
Generated interest on deferred MS contributions from previous phases, sales of assets, unutilised funds from YAV project and contribution from Monaco Mediterranean Foundation	0.40	4%
<b>Total Contributions</b>	<b>11.41</b>	<b>100%</b>
Expenditures		
Financing Specific Events	2.23	22%
Calls for Proposal	1.83	18%
Support to Networks Scheme	1.12	11%
Human Resources	3.75	37%
Running Costs	1.10	11%
Expenditures on activities not covered by the European Union Grant contract during the period during phase IV	0.03	0%
<b>Total Expenditures</b>	<b>10.06</b>	<b>100%</b>

## Phase V. Budget from January 1, 2018 to Dec 31, 2021 (in Millions EUR)

Contributions		
Contributions from European Commission – Action Grant Phase V	7.00	
Contributions from European Commission – YMV program	3.19	
Contributions from European Commission – Erasmus+	0.58	
<b>Total Contributions from European Commission</b>	<b>10.77</b>	<b>61%</b>
Contributions from Member States (rec@Oct2020, 3.58M) *	6.25	35%
Contributions from others	0.69	4%
<b>Total Contributions</b>	<b>17.71</b>	<b>100%</b>
Expenditures		
Contributions from European Commission – Action Grant Phase V	7.00	
Contributions from European Commission – YMV program	3.19	
Contributions from European Commission – Erasmus+	0.58	
<b>Total Contributions from European Commission</b>	<b>10.77</b>	<b>61%</b>
Contributions from Member States (rec@Oct2020, 3.58M) *	6.25	35%
Contributions from others	0.69	4%
<b>Total Contributions</b>	<b>17.71</b>	<b>100%</b>

1.35M, deferred funds from all previous phases to be reinjected to complement required contributions from Member States for phase V, upon clearance of EU Audit to phase IV

## ALF GLOBAL BUDGET 2018 -2021 (Y 2021 estimated/under revision)

Human Resources	4.78	27%
Technical Support to activities	1.79	10%
Running costs	1.10	6%
Calls for Proposal	1.80	10%
Management Support	1.34	8%
<b>Programme activities, related missions and visibility</b>		
Pillar 1 – Intercultural trends Report	0.86	5%
Pillar 2 – YMV & EVE	3.50	20%
Pillar 3 – Intercultural cities and Learning	0.38	2%
Pillar 4 – Network Connect	0.60	3%
Pillar 5 – Institutional Building and Partnerships	1.56	9%
<b>Total Budget</b>	<b>17.71</b>	<b>100%</b>

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