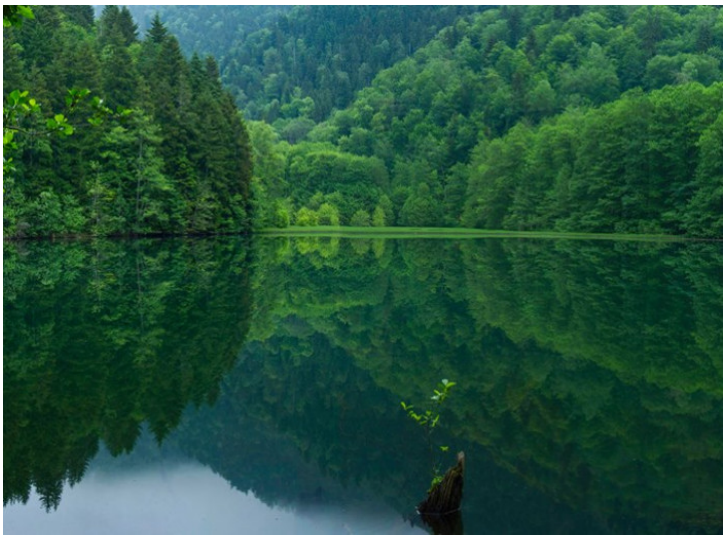
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Georgia Climate Action Project (GEO-CAP): Promoting Civil Society Engagement in Climate Change Policy Design and Implementation



Period of implementation: 01.01.2021 - 31.12.2024

EaP countries:
Georgia

EU contribution: € 1 000 000

Total budget: € 1 112 595

Implementing organisation(s):
Caucasus Environmental NGO Network

Social media account links:
facebook.com/ThinkNaturally,

Project website: cenn.org

Project description:
The project is part of the European Union's "Promoting Civil Society Development in Georgia" program. Using a human rights-based approach, the project facilitates the strengthening and activation of national and local civil society organizations by establishing regional Climate Action Groups and the National Climate Platform and building trust and cooperation between state and community organizations.

The project operates in the Guria, Imereti, Racha-Lechkhumi-Kvemo Svaneti and Kakheti regions and assists local civil society organizations in combating climate change and promoting effective involvement in participatory policy-making. Regional Climate Action Groups and the National Climate Platform promote the constructive involvement of civil society in the development and implementation of climate change policies. The project works with local and national civil society organizations, educational institutions, as well as central and local governments, and various community and youth groups.

Expected results:
1. Enhanced climate change (CC) participation mechanisms;
2. Stimulated evidence-based and participative climate-responsive decision-making;
3. Strengthened CC mitigation and adaptation measures and protection of human health and environment via financial (sub-grants) and capacity building support offered to the third parties for the implementation of innovative projects (with a focus on new technologies, digital solutions and circular economy) to mitigate and /or adapt to CC impacts;
4. Increased public awareness about climate change and the role of civil society participation in tackling its negative effects.