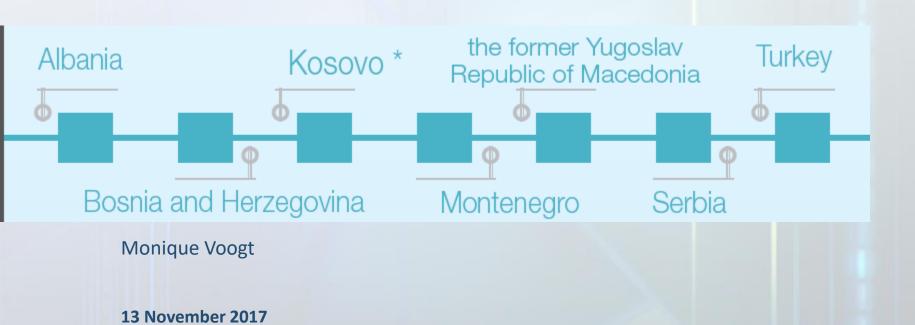


TAIEX-RIPAP STUDY VISIT MONTENEGRIN TEAM TO SLOVENIA









Regional Implementation of Paris Agreement Project - RIPAP

- RIPAP aims to support capacity building for:
 - Implementation of the 2015 Paris Agreement
 - Low emissions development strategies
- And to support regional cooperation through exchange of:
 - Information
 - Best practices
 - Experience
 - Awareness-raising low emissions development strategies
- RIPAP targets 6 countries in the Western Balkan and Turkey
- RIPAP runs from August 2017 October 2018
- The project builds on earlier network cooperation conducted under the RENA (2010-2013) and ECRAN (2013-2016) projects







RIPAP: Scope (MRV/Transparency)

Long term Solutions for Beneficiary countries: "decision maker support tools"

National Systems Institutional Arrangements, Stakeholder engagement Data availability, Technical Capacity, Tools, Systems, **Procedures**

- Climate Action (Component 1)
 - Awareness: NDC, Action quantification
 - National Systems
 - Projections: Scenarios and Modelling
- GHG Inventories (Component 2)
 - National Systems: Technical capacity
 - GHG Estimation: Improving methods, data sources and assumptions.
 - **Emissions Trading Systems (Component 3)**
 - (MRV) requirements targeted at operators, authorities and verifiers under the EU ETS

Article 5: National inventory systems
Article 12: National and Union systems
for policies and measures and projections

EU 525/2013: EU Legislation







RIPAP Events and indicative timeline

- National Systems: Awareness and building of National Systems.
 - Remote engagement & mentoring
 - National Systems workshop (January 2018)
- GHG Estimation: Improving methods, data sources and assumptions.
 - Remote engagement & mentoring.
 - Modelling systems and tools (May 2018)
 - GHG inventory improvement (June 2018)
 - Data availability for modelling (Sept 2018)

EUETS:

- Supporting implementation of climate change policy in Montenegro. Study tour or to Slovenia. (Nov 2017)
- Extensive training on MRV for EU ETS in Serbia (Mar 2018)
- Regional training event (Apr 2018)
- ETS stakeholder information in The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia (Jun 2018)
- EU ETS newsletters (4 editions; first one published October 2017)







This training: study tour for Montenegrin experts to Slovenia







Overview of the study tour

- Aim of the visit: support Montenegro in (preparing for) implementation of EU emissions trading.
- The training will help to identify the steps required towards implementation, the capacity needs, and the required involvement of various stakeholders.
- Means: learning from peers in Slovenia; seeing specific examples and discussing practical needs and impacts
- Agenda includes:
 - Visit to aluminium plant and two power plants
 - Organisational set-up at Ministry and EA
 - Understanding permitting process and registry system
 - Data management systems
 - Learning about preparation of monitoring plans and emission reports
 - Understanding impact ETS on companies







The RIPAP project is implemented by a consortium consisting of: Human Dynamics (lead), the Regional Environment Center, Aether, Klimapolitika and SQ Consult













