



Platform Information

Lithuanian Umbrella LU (LITDEA and Lithuanian National Platform of Development NGOs)



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Secretariat staff, board and members

Part time: 5 (1 LITDEA, 4 Platform) |
10 board members | 29 member organisations

Partner Countries of Members

Georgia, Armenia, Albania, Liberia

Annual budget of the platform

Sources of financing and main expenses

Budget: EUR 6000 from MFA for LITDEA, Platform around 35 000 EUR | **Current sources:** Lithuanian MFA (23%), EC (60%), TRIALOG (6%), membership fees and donation (11%) | **Expenses:** Expenses are related to running projects activities (60%), staff (33% Platform) and Communication (7%)

Involvement in Development Cooperation/ Development Education projects

EU funded: Baltic States Channelling Information |
Government funded: Development Awareness Raising among municipal workers and local community leaders, Education DE multipliers, AidWatch, Lobbying the Law on Development Cooperation and Humanitarian Aid

Working groups of the platform

Preparation for the EU Presidency 2013 | Lobbying the Law on Development Cooperation and Humanitarian Aid | Development Education Working Group | Aid-Watch

Involvement in CONCORD working groups

AidWatch | Gender

Successes of last year

Cooperation agreements (LU and CONCORD membership) | Capacity building for members | Cooperation with the MFA

Main challenges

Administrative and financial support | Low involvement of other NGOs in DE and DC | Improve involvement of members

Strategic aim

Preparing for Lithuanian EU Presidency in 2013 and work with national and international partners concerning the preparation

Main events planned for 2013

Implementation of activities during the EU Presidency

Relationship with the MFA and other donors

The Platform holds regular meetings with the MFA which provides funds via an open call for DEAR.

ODA spending in million EUR

28.9 (2010) | 37.3 (2011)