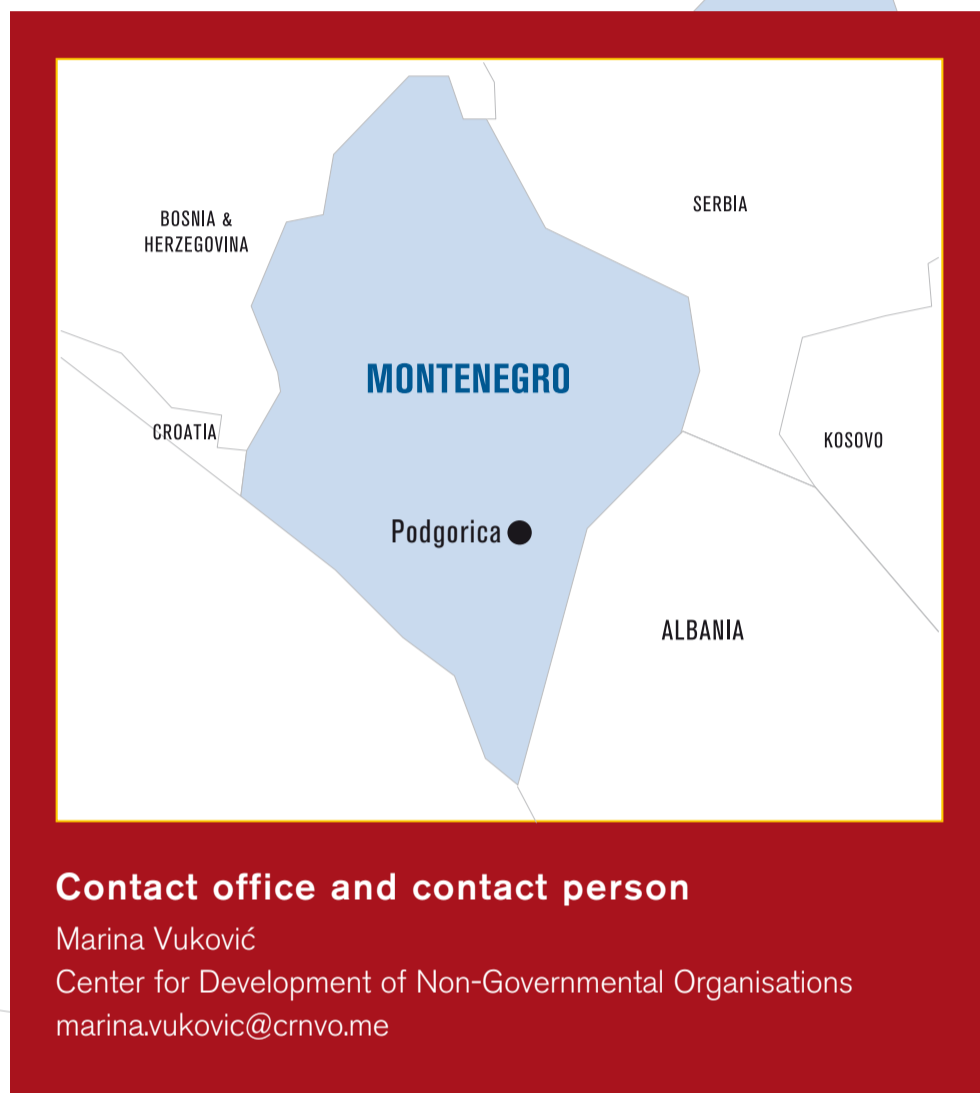


Country Information

Montenegro



Strategic aim

- Montenegro is in the process of forming an informal coalition of NGOs which will monitor the negotiation progress of Montenegro.
- This group of organizations represents a forum of prominent and well-organized NGOs that are very successful in their fields of activity, (development of civil society, protection of human and minority rights, education, reconciliation, protection of persons with disabilities).
- This informal coalition might constitute the basis for a platform.
- CRNVO is very interested to initiate informative and educational activities in order to raise awareness on the international development among Montenegrin CSOs in 2012 and is partner in the EC project submitted under the IPA Call "TRIALOG Partnership: European Union Enlargement and CSOs-Creating a Network of Western Balkans CSOs Platforms".

Involvement in CONCORD working groups

EPAN

Country Situation

- Montenegro is in anticipation of negotiations with the European Union
- There is no public policy relating to development cooperation which represents a great space for NGOs actions in this area
- General public awareness about development cooperation is very low
- Necessity for strengthening capacities of NGOs on awareness raising