

## Projects in Georgia supported by the Norwegian Ministry of Foreign Affairs in 2007

Project partner	Project description	Grant in NOK	Contact details
<p><b>The Norwegian Refugee Council</b></p>	<p><b>Project assistance to IDPs and refugees in Georgia 2007</b></p> <p>NRC has been active in Georgia since 1994, providing protection and humanitarian assistance to refugees and internally displaced persons (IDPs). The programme activities in Georgia are concentrated on three core areas:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Shelter: construction and rehabilitation of homes and schools</li> <li>• Information, Counselling and Legal Assistance (ICLA)</li> <li>• Education</li> </ul>	<p><b>18 300 000</b></p>	<p>Norwegian Refugee Council P.O. Box 6758 St. Olavs plass NO-0130 Oslo, Norway Tel.: +47 23 10 98 00 Fax: + 47 23 10 98 01 Email: <a href="mailto:nrc@nrc.no">nrc@nrc.no</a> Web: <a href="http://www.nrc.no">www.nrc.no</a></p> <p>Contact person: Mads Almaas, <a href="mailto:mads.henrik.almaas@nrc.no">mads.henrik.almaas@nrc.no</a></p>
<p><b>The Norwegian Red Cross</b></p>	<p><b>Support to the International Federation of Red Cross and Red Crescent Societies' projects in Georgia</b></p> <p>The projects focus on HIV/Aids and tuberculosis prevention, and on support for the organisational development of the Georgian Red Cross Society. They therefore not only contribute to civil society capacity-building, but also to the health and security of the local population.</p>	<p><b>1 800 000</b></p>	<p>Norwegian Red Cross P.O. Box 1 Grønland NO-0133 Oslo, Norway Tel.: +47 22 05 40 00 Fax.: +47 22 05 40 40 Web: <a href="http://www.redcross.no">www.redcross.no</a></p> <p>Contact person: Karsten Solheim, <a href="mailto:karsten.solheim@redcross.no">karsten.solheim@redcross.no</a></p>
<p><b>The Norwegian Ministry of Justice and the Police</b></p>	<p><b>NORLAG (the Norwegian Mission of Rule of Law Advisers to Georgia) 2007</b></p> <p>A team of senior Norwegian legal experts based in Tbilisi has been deployed to assist the relevant Georgian public authorities with reform of the legal system. Their tasks include competence-building in the public administration and the promotion of human rights and the rule of law. The team works in close contact with the EU Rule of Law Mission and the delegation of the EU Commission.</p>	<p><b>9 100 000</b></p>	<p>Ministry of Justice and the Police, Administrative Affairs Department P.O. Box 8005 Dep NO-0030 Oslo, Norway Tel.: +47 22 24 90 90 Email: <a href="mailto:postmottak@jd.dep.no">postmottak@jd.dep.no</a> Web: <a href="http://www.regjeringen.no/nb/dep/jd">www.regjeringen.no/nb/dep/jd</a></p> <p>Contact person: Sissel Wilsgard, <a href="mailto:sissel.wilsgard@jd.dep.no">sissel.wilsgard@jd.dep.no</a></p>
<p><b>The Norwegian Ministry of Justice and the Police</b></p>	<p><b>Reform of the security sector within the framework of NORLAG 2007</b></p> <p>The objectives are to expand the legal aid programme (NOK 400 000) and to provide medical equipment for prisons (NOK 600 000).</p>	<p><b>1 000 000</b></p>	<p>Ministry of Justice and the Police, Administrative Affairs Department P.O. Box 8005 Dep NO-0030 Oslo, Norway Tel.: +47 22 24 90 90 Email: <a href="mailto:postmottak@jd.dep.no">postmottak@jd.dep.no</a> Web: <a href="http://www.regjeringen.no/nb/dep/jd">www.regjeringen.no/nb/dep/jd</a></p> <p>Contact person: Sissel Wilsgard, <a href="mailto:sissel.wilsgard@jd.dep.no">sissel.wilsgard@jd.dep.no</a></p>

<p><b>The Norwegian Directorate for Cultural Heritage</b> (Riksantikvaren)</p>	<p><b>Cultural heritage cooperation Norway–Georgia 2007–2008</b></p> <p>“Revitalisation Programme for the Betlemi Historic District, Tbilisi, Georgia”. The aim of this project, which has been run by ICOMOS Georgia since 2004, is to establish a model under which cultural heritage property is used for the economic development of the surrounding area and for community-based urban revitalisation.</p>	<p><b>1 182 038</b></p>	<p>The Norwegian Directorate for Cultural Heritage P.O. Box 8196 Dep NO-0034 Oslo, Norway Tel.: +47 22 94 04 00 Fax: +47 22 94 04 04 Email: <a href="mailto:riksantikvaren@ra.no">riksantikvaren@ra.no</a> Web: <a href="http://www.riksantikvaren.no">www.riksantikvaren.no</a></p> <p>Contact person: Sjur Helseth, <a href="mailto:sjur.helseth@ra.no">sjur.helseth@ra.no</a></p>
<p><b>The Norwegian Ministry of Education and Research</b></p>	<p><b>Educational cooperation between Norway and Georgia 2007</b></p> <p>The aim is to introduce “inclusive education” and “inclusive teaching” in 10 schools in Tbilisi, and to develop a public strategy to strengthen inclusive education in Georgia.</p>	<p><b>1 500 000</b></p>	<p>Ministry of Education and Research P.O. Box 8119 Dep NO-0032 Oslo, Norway Tel.: +47 22 24 90 90 Fax: +47 22 24 95 40 Email: <a href="mailto:postmottak@kd.dep.no">postmottak@kd.dep.no</a> <a href="http://www.regjeringen.no/nb/dep/kd">www.regjeringen.no/nb/dep/kd</a></p> <p>Contact person: Kari Brustad, <a href="mailto:kari.brustad@kd.dep.no">kari.brustad@kd.dep.no</a></p>
<p><b>The Norwegian Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Foreign Service Institute</b></p>	<p><b>Training Programme for Georgian Diplomats 2006–2007</b></p> <p>The aim of the project is to conduct seven training courses during the period 2006–2007, with a focus on the development of diplomatic skills, multilateral talks, EU policy, security and NATO-specific issues. Twenty diplomatic officers from Georgia are participating in training events with Norwegian experts.</p>	<p><b>1 000 000</b></p>	<p>Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Foreign Service Institute P.O. Box 8114 Dep NO-0032 Oslo, Norway Tel.: +47 22 24 36 00 Fax: +47 22 24 95 80/81 Email: <a href="mailto:post@mfa.no">post@mfa.no</a> Web: <a href="http://www.regjeringen.no/nb/dep/ud">www.regjeringen.no/nb/dep/ud</a></p> <p>Contact person: Anne Normann, <a href="mailto:ano@mfa.no">ano@mfa.no</a></p>
<p><b>The Norwegian Helsinki Committee</b> (NHC)</p>	<p><b>Support for human rights measures</b></p> <p>The objective is to strengthen Georgian civil society by improving the human rights situation, mainly by supporting the Human Rights Information and Documentation Centre, which provides legal assistance and monitors and reports on the human rights situation in Georgia.</p>	<p><b>315 000</b></p>	<p>Norwegian Helsinki Committee Tordenskiolds gate 6B NO-0160 Oslo, Norway Tel.: +47 22 47 92 02 Fax: +47 22 47 92 01 Web: <a href="http://www.nhc.no">www.nhc.no</a></p> <p>Contact person: Aage Borchgrevink, <a href="mailto:borchgrevink@nhc.no">borchgrevink@nhc.no</a></p>
<p><b>European Centre for Minority Issues</b> (ECMI)</p>	<p><b>Enhancing Minority Governance and Empowering Civil Society in Minority Regions of Georgia</b></p> <p>The aim is to continue efforts to enhance governance in relation to minority and regional issues, to empower minority groups to take an active part in decision-making processes, and to facilitate dialogue between the government and minorities on issues of common concern.</p>	<p><b>1 193 850</b></p>	<p>ECMI Schiffbruecke 12 DE-24939 Flensburg, Germany Tel.: +49 0 461 14149 0 Fax: +49 0 461 14149 19 Email: <a href="mailto:info@ecmi.de">info@ecmi.de</a> Web: <a href="http://www.ecmi.de">www.ecmi.de</a></p> <p>Contact person: Tom Trier, <a href="mailto:trier@ecmigeorgia.org">trier@ecmigeorgia.org</a></p>

<p><b>ENSI AS</b> Energy Saving International</p>	<p><b>Energy Efficiency and Cleaner Production in Georgia 2007</b></p> <p>The aim of the project is to increase awareness and knowledge of energy efficiency and cleaner production measures, in both the private and the public sector. Greater attention will be focused on renewable energy, especially small hydropower plants and bioenergy projects.</p>	<p><b>2 900 000</b></p>	<p>ENSI AS Trondheimsveien 436 A NO-0962 Oslo, Norway Tel.: +47 22 90 24 60 Fax: +47 22 90 24 61 Email: <a href="mailto:ensi@ensi.no">ensi@ensi.no</a> Web: <a href="http://www.ensi.no">www.ensi.no</a></p> <p>Contact person: Tor-Eigil Robertsen</p>
<p><b>Akvaplan-niva AS</b></p>	<p><b>Sustainable use of water resources in Georgia 2007</b></p> <p>The objective is to develop a plan for sustainable use of the Georgian water resources for aquaculture and energy-production, by making use of Norwegian expertise and governance experience.</p>	<p><b>795 000</b></p>	<p>Akvaplan-niva AS Polar Environmental Centre NO-9296 Tromsø, Norway Tel.: +47 77 75 03 00 Fax: +47 77 75 03 01 Email: <a href="mailto:info@akvaplan.niva.no">info@akvaplan.niva.no</a> Web: <a href="http://www.akvaplan.niva.no">www.akvaplan.niva.no</a></p> <p>Contact person: Anton Giæver, <a href="mailto:anton@akvaplan.niva.no">anton@akvaplan.niva.no</a></p>
<p><b>ECON</b> Nordic consulting company, offering insight and understanding into the complex interaction between markets and policies</p>	<p><b>Attracting private sector investments to hydro sites</b></p> <p>The aim of the project is to develop hydropower resources in Georgia by attracting private sector investment to between three and five sites.</p>	<p><b>2 473 200</b></p>	<p>ECON P.O. Box 5 NO-0051 Oslo, Norway Tel.: +47 45 40 50 00 Fax: +47 22 42 00 40 Email: <a href="mailto:oslo@econ.no">oslo@econ.no</a> Web: <a href="http://www.econ.no">www.econ.no</a></p> <p>Contact person: Bjørn Brandtzæg, <a href="mailto:Bjorn.Brandtzaeg@econ.no">Bjorn.Brandtzaeg@econ.no</a></p>
<p><b>UNESCO</b> United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization</p>	<p><b>Restoration and Revitalization of the Georgian State Museum of Vernacular Architecture and Ethnography</b></p> <p>Norway's support is intended to address the most urgent needs of the Museum: emergency measures to safeguard the most endangered houses in the collection through documentation, emergency restoration works and the development of timber restoration expertise.</p>	<p><b>740 752</b></p>	<p>UNESCO 7 place de Fontenoy F-75352 Paris 07 SP, France Tel.: +33 0 1 45 68 10 00 Fax: +33 0 1 45 67 16 90 Web: <a href="http://www.unesco.org">www.unesco.org</a></p> <p>Contact person: Patricia Safi, <a href="mailto:P.Safi@unesco.org">P.Safi@unesco.org</a></p>
<p><b>OSCE</b> The Organization for Security and Co-operation in Europe</p>	<p><b>Norwegian grant to the OSCE Donors' Conference (2006) on South Ossetia, Georgia</b></p> <p>The aim of the project is to support the common efforts for social and economic rehabilitation in the Georgian-Ossetian conflict area in Georgia.</p>	<p><b>2 000 000</b></p>	<p>The Secretary General of the OSCE Kärtner Ring 5-7 AT-1010 Wien, Austria Tel.: +43 1 514 36 0 Fax: +43 1 514 36 96 Web: <a href="http://www.osce.org">www.osce.org</a></p>
<p><b>UNDP Georgia</b> United Nations Development Programme</p>	<p>In 2005, Norway signed a three-year Memorandum of Understanding on project cooperation with UNDP in all the three countries in the South Caucasus. The cooperation with UNDP Georgia includes</p>	<p><b>19 901 600</b> (for the three-year period)</p>	<p>UNDP Georgia UN House, 9, Eristavi St., 0179 Tbilisi, Georgia Tel.: +995 32 25 11 26/28/31 Fax: +995 32 25 02 71/72</p>

	<p>the following four projects:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Extending capacity of the public defender's office by developing regional offices and specialised centres for the promotion and protection of human rights in Georgia</li> <li>2. Samtskhe-Javakheti regional development programme</li> <li>3. Promoting the use of small hydropower resources at the community level</li> <li>4. Abkhasia rural livelihood improvement and recovery project</li> </ol>		<p>Email: <a href="mailto:registry.ge@undp.org">registry.ge@undp.org</a>  Web: <a href="http://www.undp-org.ge">www.undp-org.ge</a></p> <p>Contact person: Peter Van Ruysseveldt</p>
<p><b>The Norwegian Association of Local and Regional Authorities (KS)</b></p> <p>In partnership with the Council of Europe</p>	<p><b>Local Government in Georgia</b></p> <p>The aim of the project is to strengthen Georgia's local and regional administration and system of self-government by creating a national association of local authorities (NALA). The NALA is intended to play an active role in a democratic society, foster good governance and help public bodies to deliver appropriate and high-quality services.</p>	<p><b>1 800 000</b> (2005/06)</p>	<p>KS  Haakon VII's gate 9  P.O. Box 1378 Vika  NO-0114 Oslo, Norway  Tel.: +47 24 13 26 00  Fax: +47 22 83 22 22  Email: <a href="mailto:ks@ks.no">ks@ks.no</a>  Web: <a href="http://www.ks.no">www.ks.no</a></p> <p>Contact person: Elita Cakule,  <a href="mailto:elita.cakule@ks.no">elita.cakule@ks.no</a></p>