

**Projects in the Kyrgyz Republic supported by the Norwegian Ministry of
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Project partner	Project description	Grant in NOK	Contact details
The OSCE High Commissioner on National Minorities (HCNM)	<p>Monitoring Inter-Ethnic Relations in southern Kyrgyzstan</p> <p>The project aims to provide the HCNM and the Kyrgyz Government with first-hand, high-quality information and analyses on inter-ethnic developments in southern Kyrgyzstan. This information will both improve understanding of inter-ethnic processes and identify potential tension.</p>	<p>357 681</p>	<p>OSCE HCNM PO Box 20062 2500 EB, The Hague, Netherlands Tel.: +31 70 312 55 00 Fax: +31 70 363 59 10 Web: www.osce.org</p> <p>Contact person: Charlotte Altenhoener, Charlotte.Aaltenhoener@hcnm.org</p>
The Norwegian Trekking Association	<p>Introduction of Small Scale Ecotourism in the Kyrgyz Republic, 2007</p> <p>The objective of this project is to assist the Kyrgyz Republic in developing ecologically sustainable tourism based on the experiences of the Norwegian Trekking Association. Project activities include marking trails, development of new maps, construction of cabins, marketing, and organisational development. The project has received support since 2004 and will be concluded in 2008.</p>	<p>2 500 000</p>	<p>DNT Youngstorget 1 NO-0181 Oslo, Norway Tel.: +47 40 00 18 68 Email: info@turistforeningen.no Web: www.turistforeningen.no</p> <p>Contact person: Erik Holtedahl, +47 23 35 79 30, eh@scanteam.no</p>
International Organization for Migration (IOM)	<p>Fighting Trafficking in Human Beings</p> <p>The project provides assistance to trafficked migrant women, men and children stranded outside the Kyrgyz Republic who require protection, return support, rehabilitation and reintegration assistance. The project will strengthen the capacities of local NGOs, crisis centres and rehabilitation centres, and relevant state authorities in dealing with such issues.</p>	<p>1 391 195</p>	<p>IOM Kyrgyz Republic 245 Chuy Avenue Bishkek, Kyrgyz Republic Tel.: +996 312 62 79 36 Fax: +996 312 62 79 40 Email: iom@elcat.kg</p> <p>Contact person: Chief of Mission Zlatko Zigic, +996 312 58 46 55, ZZIGIC@iom.int</p>
United Nations Development Programme (UNDP)	<p>Vocational Education for Street Children in the Kyrgyz Republic</p> <p>The project offers a vocational education programme specifically designed to meet the needs of street</p>	<p>1 550 550</p>	<p>UNDP – Kyrgyz Republic 160, Chui Avenue Bishkek, 720040, Kyrgyz Republic Tel.: +996 312 61 12 11/13 Fax: +996 312 61 12 17/18</p>

	<p>children. The objective is to improve their living conditions and their prospects of supporting themselves in the future. The project is being run in cooperation with Akershus University College, Norway.</p>		<p>Email: registry.kg@undp.org Web: www.undp.kg</p> <p>Contact person: Jyldyz Choroeva, jyldyz.choroeva@undp.org</p>
<p>United Nations Economic Commission for Europe (UNECE)</p>	<p>Travel support for participants from the Kyrgyz Republic to the Ad Hoc Facilitation Project Mechanism and Working Group on Water and Health</p> <p>Financial support for the participation of three experts from the Kyrgyz Republic in the first meeting of the Ad Hoc Facilitation Project Mechanism and Working Group on Water and Health, Geneva 25–27 June 2008.</p>	<p>45 852</p>	<p>United Nations Economic Commission For Europe Palais des Nations CH-1211 Geneve 10 Switzerland</p> <p>Contact person: Francesca Bernardini +41 (0) 22 917 24 63, Francesca.Bernardini@unece.org</p>
<p>Statistics Norway (SSB)</p>	<p>Statistical Cooperation Programme between Statistics Norway and the National Statistical Committee, Kyrgyz Republic – Phase 2</p> <p>The aim is to assist the National Statistical Committee in the Kyrgyz Republic (NSC) in improving the statistical system by building skills at NSC, developing the infrastructure for data collection and processing, and improving analysis expertise.</p>	<p>2 000 000</p>	<p>SSB PO Box 8131 Dep. NO-0033 Oslo, Norway Tel.: +47 21 09 00 00 Fax: +47 21 09 55 60 Email: ssb@ssb.no Web: www.ssb.no</p> <p>Contact person: Coen Hendriks, Coen.Hendriks@ssb.no</p>
<p>Oslo and Majorstuen Rotary</p>	<p>Voenna Antonovka Children Home Vocational School</p> <p>The purpose of the project is to develop a vocational training programme at the Voenna Antonovka Children Home. The project includes the building of classrooms, procurement of necessary equipment, and cooperation with Akershus University College on the development of the educational programme.</p>	<p>1 000 000</p>	<p>Majorstuen Rotary Klubb co/Hoegh Invest AS Postboks 2416 Solli 0201 OSLO Tel.: +47 90 02 38 00 Email: srp@hoegh.com</p> <p>Contact person: Nils Thomas Dannevig, +47 92 25 11 33, nils@dannevig.com</p>