

## Network Meeting 10-11/09/2015

Objectives of the Meeting were to foster the consolidation, operative functioning and structural coherence of the National Network, focusing on the project proposal-related issues and the general suggestions on good practices. The meeting provided the members with the results and outcomes of the implemented projects and actions. Also, the meeting provided the relevant information on the ALF activities and programs.

Furthermore, the information was shared with the members of the Croatian Network about the planned new Call for proposals, through which the National Foundation for Civil Society Development will tend to tackle civil society organisations (CSOs), focusing on expanding cooperation among the CSOs in the Euro-Med region. The Call, entitled Developmental Cooperation in the Euro-Mediterranean, will target Croatian CSOs that are members of the Croatian Network, but that would have to apply in partnership with two members the other ALF National Networks, of which at least one has to be from the following South Mediterranean countries: Algeria, Egypt, Israel, Jordan, Lebanon, Morocco, Palestine or Tunisia. The total amount for this Call will come from the National Foundation own funding sources.

Finally, the plans for the upcoming activities within the National Network were also addressed during the meeting, including the debate on the possible de-centralisation of the National Network, where the major conclusion was that there is no need expressed among the members that there should be a territorial decentralisation, but instead an idea of clustering and thematic cooperation was supported through a debate.