

Partnership Forum Germany – Central Asia
from 25th – 27th November 2024 in Berlin

Monday, 25th November 2024			
12:00 – 13:00	Registration of participants		
13:00 – 13:15	Opening <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Jelena Hoffmann, Chairwoman of the Board, West-Eastern Encounters Foundation ○ Robin Wagener, Member of the German Bundestag, Federal Foreign Office, Coordinator for intersocietal cooperation with the Southern Caucasus, the Republic of Moldova and Central Asia (Video message) Welcome Address <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Matthias Platzeck, former State Premier of the Federal State Brandenburg (Video message) 		
13:15 – 14:30	Panel discussion with experts on current civil society cooperation between Germany and Central Asia <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Dr. Beate Eschment, Researcher, Centre for East European and International Studies (ZOiS) ○ Kamaliddin Ishankhojaev, Chairman, The National Association of Non-Governmental Non-Profit Organizations of Uzbekistan (NANNOUz) ○ Dr. Tilo Klinner, Ambassador (ret.) ○ Dr. Alexandra Sitenko, Independent Policy Advisor and Researcher ○ Moderator: Dr. Birgit Wetzell, Journalist 		
14:30 – 15:00 incl. coffee break	Wanted Wall of organisations and participants <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Moderator: Inga Markwart, Trainer 		
15:00 – 17:00	World Café: potentials, challenges and successes of German-Central Asian civil society cooperation		
	Station 1: Make civil society inclusive <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Host: ABiD-Institut Behinderung & Partizipation e. V. (IB&P) (Institute for Disability and Participation) ○ Host: National Union of People with Disabilities of Tajikistan ○ Moderator: Tatjana Joltkévitch, Trainer 	Station 2: Potential of youth exchanges <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Host: Steppe Organization for Peace (STOP) ○ Host: ICAN Germany e. V. ○ Moderator: Inga Markwart, Trainer 	Station 3: Cooperation of Universities <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Host: LOGO e. V. ○ Host: Kazakh-German University ○ Moderator: Irina Peter, Journalist
17:00 – 17:15	Expert keynote <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ „Inter-societal collaboration in the context of skilled labor migration“, Angela Papenburg, Board Member, GP Günter Papenburg AG 		
17:15 – 17:30	Summary and outlook for day 2 Moderator: Inga Markwart, Trainer		
from 17:30	Get Together		

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Tuesday, 26th November 2024			
10:00 – 10:45	Expert keynotes		
10:00 – 10:15	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> „Civil society work in and with Central Asia: an overview “ Dagmar Schreiber, Central Asia expert and author 		
10:15 – 10:30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> „Civil society engagement in nature conservation on the example of Tajikistan“, Katja Kaupisch, NABU e. V. 		
10:30 – 10:45	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> „Urban development, citizen participation and international cooperation“, Adil Nurmakov, Urban Forum Kazakhstan Foundation Moderator: Inga Markwart, Trainer 		
10:45 – 11:00	Coffee break		
11:00 – 13:00	Workshops on ideas and possible projects for civil society cooperation between Germany and Central Asia		
	<p>Workshop 1: Joint growing with education</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Input: Maren Ernst & Nazgul Suleimanova, Uplift-Aufwind e. V. Moderator: Irina Peter, Journalist Room: Rom Language: German-Russian with consecutive translation 	<p>Workshop 2: Joint environment protection</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Input: Aikena Orolbaeva (TU Berlin Center of Technology and Society) & Elbek Khodjanliyazov (Urgench State University, Uzbekistan) Moderator: Inga Markwart, Trainer Room: Barcelona II Language: English without translation 	<p>Workshop 3: Joint culture support</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Input: Louise Amelie und Darja Nesterowa, ArtCity e.V. Moderator: Tatjana Joltkévitch, Trainer Room: Madrid I+II Language: German-Russian with simultaneous translation
13:00 – 14:00	Lunch		
14:00 – 16:30 incl. coffee break	Networking platform, project stands, project pitches, culture		
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Market stands for project presentations and Networking platform Project pitches Ambassadors' round – Moderator: Peter Franke, Chairman of the Federal Association of German West-East-Societies e. V. (BDWO) Cultural presentations Moderator: Inga Markwart, Trainer 		
18:00 – 20:00	Boat trip on the Spree with refreshments		
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Boarding and debarking location: Schiffbauerdamm 12, 10117 Berlin 		

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Wednesday, 27th November 2024	
10:00 – 10:45	Expert keynotes
10:00 – 10:15	○ „Psychosocial support for vulnerable groups in Uzbekistan“, Tatyana Nikitina, Intilish NGO
10:15 – 10:30	○ „Health as a connecting element of civil societies“, Prof. Dr. Helmut Hahn, DUMG Koch-Avicenna e. V.
10:30 – 10:45	○ „The social impact of labor migration - opportunities and challenges“, Dr. Mahabat Sadyrbek, Associate, Max Planck Institute for Social Anthropology
	○ Moderator: Inga Markwart, Trainer
10:45 – 11:00	Coffee break
11:00 – 12:30	Presentation of workshop results and evaluation with participants
	○ Summary of workshop results by experts and moderators
	○ Moderator: Inga Markwart, Trainer
12:30 – 13:00	Closing remarks and outlook
	○ Jelena Hoffmann, Chairwoman of the Board, West-Eastern Encounters Foundation
13:00 – 14:00	Lunch
from 16:30	Visit to the dome of the Reichstag Building

We thank the Federal Association of German West-East-Societies e. V. (BDWO) for the cooperation.

Event Location

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