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1999 – the European Year

When Bulgaria received an official invitation to start negotiations with the European Union (EU) in 1999, the Open Society Foundation – Sofia established a new policy: to include a European dimension in all programs, yet preserve the flexibility to address other important societal issues.

OSF – Sofia supported the establishment of a European Institute aimed at providing EU expertise to the government and working on government-commissioned research projects. In keeping with its open society agenda, the Foundation participated in strategic initiatives such as the forward-looking National Plan for Economic Development. It also remained committed to longtime priorities such as education and culture.

The cooperation with the European Union strengthened in the past year. The Foundation monitored EU-funded projects and was invited to join the working group for a new EU ACCESS program. The Association of Open Society Clubs administered the PHARE Partnership program of the European Union.

In collaboration with USAID and ABA-CEELI, the Foundation established the Magistrates Training Center, which received an endorsement from the Ministry of Justice and a funding commitment from the European Commission. OSF – Sofia supported a number of projects aimed at democratizing the penitentiary system. Training for penitentiary staff on European and international standards governing the treatment of prisoners was one of several projects for prison reform.

To promote good governance, the Public Administration Staff Training Project and a consortium of higher education institutions trained local government administration representatives in basic managerial skills. To increase citizens' access to information, several projects helped draft the Access to Information Law and carried out extensive public awareness campaigns.

In the field of education, OSF-Sofia focused on harmonizing Bulgarian higher education with EU requirements, quality assurance, and management. A joint project on new information management strategies was launched with the Ministry of Education. A set of indicators was developed for quality management in higher education, a project that was endorsed by the Ministry of Education, the EU, and the World Bank.

Minority issues were another priority area in 1999, with continued support to the 11 Roma Community Centers set up to provide administrative and legal services and mediation with local authorities. Activities included seminars, university scholarships, English language teaching courses, and training for primary school teaching assistants.

Programs of the Media Development Center supported a Romani newspaper and magazine, two Armenian language newspapers, and a Turkish language newspaper and children's magazine. A weekly broadcast in Turkish and a Romani biweekly television show went on the air in 1999. A network of journalists from the Balkan countries produced The Balkans magazine, with a print version in Bulgarian and a website version in English. The Media Development Center also promoted internationally accepted standards of journalism and organized training courses in radio management and journalism skills.

In the area of public health, the Foundation funded a feasibility study that served as a basis for new regulations for hospice management, helped set up a Palliative Care Foundation to launch the first hospice in the country, and provided support to HIV-positive patients through counseling and advocacy.

In response to the war in Kosovo, the Foundation provided medicines and consumables for refugee camps, conducted a needs assessment in a Macedonian hospital in Tetovo, which serviced many Kosovo refugees, and created a website to inform policymakers, journalists, and political scientists throughout the crisis.

An NGO Resource Center was established early in the year with start-up support from OSF – Sofia to provide training, consultation, and information to Bulgarian nonprofit organizations. The movement toward European Union integration is felt particularly in the NGO community, which will have a larger role and more political leverage in civil society as the democratic process unfolds in Bulgaria.

The Open Society Foundation – Sofia continued to support its network of affiliated organizations: the Soros Center for the Arts, the Media Development Center, the Bulgarian NGO Resource Center, the Step by Step Program Foundation, the National Debates Association, the Bulgarian Association for Regional Development, and the Raina Kabaivanska Charity Foundation.

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Financial Profile of OSF's Activity throughout 1999

In 1999 the activity of the Open Society Foundation – Sofia was supported by the Open Society Institute with a grant of 9.2 million US dollars (17 million Bulgarian leva). This amount included 5.7 million US dollars allocated to 20 national programs, 100,000 US dollars donated for the completion of the humanitarian project launched in 1997, and 3.4 million US dollars granted for projects under 33 Soros Network programs.

The funds granted by other organizations and individuals for projects carried out by the Open Society Foundation – Sofia in 1998 amounted to a total of 68,000 US dollars (127,000 Bulgarian leva), the biggest donation of 50,000 US dollars being allocated by the King Baudouin Foundation – Belgium to support the development of the Street Children – Children in the Streets Program.

The Open Society Foundation – Sofia contributed to administering the donations of Carelift International, which included medical equipment, pharmaceuticals and consumables worth 1.8 million US dollars, distributed among more than 80 hospitals around Bulgaria.

In 1999 the total spending amounted to 9.4 million US dollars. 285,000 US dollars were allocated to grants under contracts signed in 1998.*

Program expenditures covered the following categories:

Program Areas	million USD.	%
Democratic Society	2.854	33
Education	2.102	24
European Intergration	1.013	12
Culture	0.982	11
Public Health	0.408	5
Microlending	0.374	4
Media	0.329	4
Internet	0.217	3
Other	0.471	4
Total	8.750	100

The Open Society Foundation – Sofia financed more than 1,100 projects in the above mentioned fields. These include:

- 145 long-term and 95 short-term scholarships and fellowships abroad;
- 300 scholrships for students in Bulgaria;
- 49 seminars in Bulgaria;
- 210 individual projects for participation in conferences and seminars abroad;

- 179 external projects;
- 40 joint projects with other NGOs;
- delivery of specialized literature for 38 organizations;
- 36 publishing projects.

The Open Society Foundation – Sofia supported 411 organizations, 33 teams and 660 individuals. Compared to 1998 the number of supported projects marked a 50 % decrease because OSF – Sofia gave priority to large-scale projects. The grants allocated to external organizations amount to 90 % of the total spending. The relative share of administrative expenses in 1999 was 6 % of the disbursed funds. Administrative expenses amount to a total of 558,000 US dollars covering OSF administrative expenses.

In 1999 the activity of the Open Society Foundation – Sofia was audited by Price Waterhouse Coopers – Bulgaria.

* 1999 expenses are according to the International Accounting Standards and include grants contracted in 1999 and due in 2000, amounting to a total of 1.018 million US dollars, as well as depreciation costs amounting to 318,000 US Dollars.

Program Expenses in 1999 (in thousand US dollars)

Priority Areas and Programs	Expenses covered by:			total expenses	share in total program spending
	Open Society Institute		other donors		
	national programs	network programs			
Education – Programs:					
Academia	428			428	4.9%
Scholarships	288			288	3.3%
Reform in Secondary Education	88	1		89	1.0%
Scholarships in the UK		7		7	0.1%
Academic Exchange		2		2	0.0%
Central European University (CEU)		25		25	0.3%
CEU Summer Schools		6		6	0.1%
Reading and Writing for Critical Thinking	15	13		28	0.3%
Volunteer Training	36	26		62	0.7%
<i>I*EARN</i>	15	23		38	0.4%
Step by Step	450	517		967	11.1%
Debates	50	64		114	1.3%
High School Exchange	14	19		33	0.4%
SPELT	12	3		15	0.2%
Total on Education	1,396	706	0	2,102	24.0%
Democratic Society – Programs:					
Police Reform	18			18	0.2%
Legal Education	43			43	0.5%
Local Government	10			10	0.1%
Civil Society	321			321	3.7%
Empowering Minorities	105			105	1.2%
Women's Program	27	57		84	1.0%
COLPI	362	340		702	8.0%
LGI	293	80		373	4.3%
Roma Program	168			168	1.9%
Open Society Clubs	681		23	704	8.0%
NGO Resource Center	140			140	1.6%
Information Services	181			181	2.1%
Administering Phare–Democracy					
Microprojects Program			5	5	0.1%
Total on Civil Society	2,349	477	28	2,854	32.6%
Microlending and SME Development	44	330		374	4.3%
Culture and Open Society – Programs:					
Programs of the Soros Center for the Arts	648	119		767	8.8%
Libraries Program	142	9		151	1.7%
Translation Project	26	38		64	0.7%
Total on Culture and Open Society	816	166	0	982	11.2%
Public Health	328	73	7	408	4.7%
European Integration	200			200	2.3%
European Institute	430			430	4.9%
East–East Program	19	364		383	4.4%
Media Development Center	303	26		329	3.8%
Internet Program	114	103		217	2.5%
Raina Kabaivanska Charity Foundation	65		82	147	1.7%
Street Children – Children in the Streets and Humanitarian Aid	100		39	139	1.6%
Open Projects	96			96	1.1%
Program Investment	89			89	1.0%

Balance Sheet

1999

	In thousand:	
	leva	US dollars
Assets		
Current Assets		
Cash	1,083	556
Receivables	237	122
Advance payment	23	12
Receivables from the Open Society Institute on approved grants (on accrual basis)	2,105	1,117
Total in current assets	3,448	1,807
Fixed assets		
Long-term investment	2,373	2,657
Total in fixed assets	3,887	3,788
Total in assets	7,335	5,595
Liabilities		
Current liabilities	166	85
Project liabilities (on accrual basis)	1,983	1,019
Total in liabilities	2,149	1,104
Grants		
Open Society Institute	2,254	1,522
Other donors	18	54
Total in grants	2,272	1,576
Capital	2,651	2,915
Depreciation Reserve	263	0
Total in liabilities	7,335	5,595

Note: The figures included in the balance sheet are according to the International Accounting Standards using US dollars as functional currency. The reconciliation made due to the application of International Accounting Standards are certified by the auditor, Price Waterhouse Coopers – Bulgaria.

Income and Expenditures for 1999

	In thousand:	
	leva	US dollars
Income/donations		
from Open Society Institute	17,119	9,152
from other donors	161	56
Total income	17,280	9,208
Expenditures		
Program	16,276	8,769
Administrative	1,227	727
Total expenditures	17,503	9,496
Other income/loss		
Bank interest	34	17
Exchange rate differences	222	-36
Other income/expenditures	831	248
Total on other income/loss	1,087	229
Surplus/deficit for 1999	864	-59

Note: The figures included in the balance sheet are according to the International Accounting Standards using US dollars as functional currency. The figures in national currency are calculated based on the transformation in US dollars. Income from donations is accounted for on an accrual basis (without depreciation costs), including funds for the purchase of fixed assets.

Expenditures include:

- depreciation costs: 318,000 US dollars;
- grants contracted in 1999 and due in 2000: 1,018,000 US dollars.

The corrections made due to the application of International Accounting Standards are certified by the auditor, Price Waterhouse Coopers – Bulgaria.

Scholarships Program

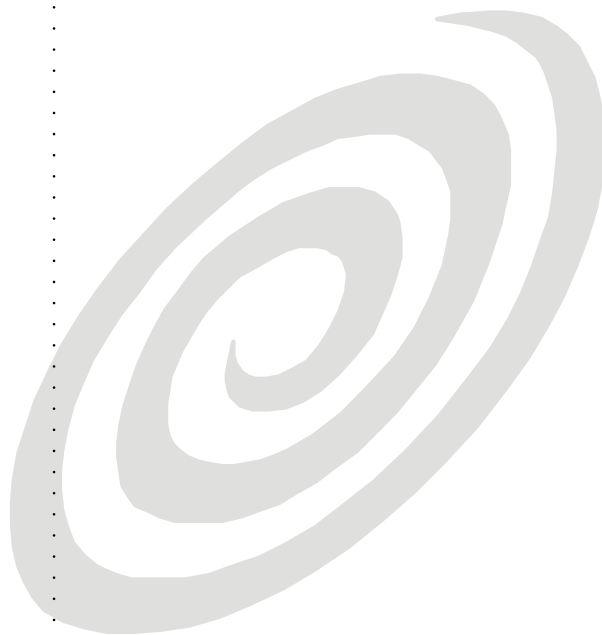
Scholarships and Fellowships Abroad

Aglica Ivanova Stefanova Ph.D. Program in Literature Paris, France	\$2,000	Genadii Milkov Georgiev Master's Program in Business Administration Sandvika, Norway	\$1,000
Albena Kostadinova Yaneva Ph.D. Program in Social Economics Paris, France	\$1,000	Georgi Dimitrov Bonev Master's Program in Business Administration Vienna, Austria	\$1,500
Alla Petrova Zareva Ph.D. Program in Linguistics Buffalo, USA	\$3,000	Georgi Lyubomirov Matov Master's Program in Statistics Edinburgh, UK	\$1,500
Borislav Bozhidarov Ibrishimov Master's Program in Business Administration Milan, Italy	\$3,000	Daniel Zaprianov Zaprianov Master's Program in Law Heidelberg, Germany	\$2,000
Velizar Petrov Savchov Ph.D. Program in Indo-european Linguistics Vienna, Austria	\$3,000	Dessislava Todorova Licheva Master's Program in Commercial Law and Business Rotterdam, the Netherlands	\$2,000
Vessela Raykova Veleva Master's Program in Ecology Lowell, USA	\$2,000	Diana Dinkova Tanamova Master's Program in Business Administration London, UK	\$4,710
Victor Stoyanov Hadzhiev Master's Program in Political Sciences Burnaby, British Columbia, Canada	\$1,000	Dessislava Stoyanova Stoyanova Master's Program in Business Administration London, UK	\$4,710
Victoria Pavlova Dorovska Master's Program in Finance Wooster, USA	\$1,500	Diman Ivanov Dimov Ph.D. Program in Law Osnabrueck, Germany	\$3,000
Vilina Georgieva Krusteva Master's Program in European Integration Bruege, Belgium	\$1,000	Dimiter Iliev Koychev Master's Program in Business Administration Philadelphia, USA	\$3,000
Galina Atanasova Markova-Derelieva Ph.D. Program in Clinical Social Services Northampton, USA	\$4,000	Dimitar Simeonov Staykov Economics, Ecoles Normales Superieures Paris, France	671 leva \$4,739
Galina Tzvetanova Andronova Fellowship Program at the IWM Vienna, Austria	\$9,000	Eva Antonova Atanassova Ph.D. Program in Social Sciences Chicago, USA	\$1,500
		Elena Vladimirova Galinova Ph.D. Program in Education Policy and Theory University Park, USA	\$1,500
		Elisaveta Danailova Petrova Master's Program in Human Rights Padua, Italy	\$3,000
		Emil Assenov Georgiev Master's Program in International Economics and Finance Waltham, USA	\$2,000
		Katya Vassileva Galchanova Master's Program in Business Administration Rotterdam, the Netherlands	\$1,500
		Klemena Bozhidarova Antonova Ph.D. Program in Literature Oxford, UK	\$2,500
		Lyubomira Vassileva Radoilska Ph.D. Program in Philosophy Paris, France	\$3,000
		Mariana Lenkova Dimitrova Master's Program in Law and Diplomacy Medford, USA	\$1,500
		Maria Velinova Koyanova Ph.D. Program in Ethnic Studies Florence, Italy	\$1,000
		Mariana Lukova Tuhchiev Ph.D. Program in European Integration Birmingham, UK	\$3,000

Marta Stefanova Ganeva Literature, Ecoles Normales Superieures Fontenay-aux-Roses, France	650 leva	\$4,738	· Teodora Petrova Todorova · Ph.D. Program in Clinical Psychology · San Francisco, USA	\$2,500
Mila Alexieva Boyuklieva Master's Program in Business Administration Rochester, USA		\$1,000	· Todor Ivanov Velev · Master's Program in Business Administration · Barcelona, Spain	\$2,000
Mihail Iliev Marinov Ph.D. Program in Statistics and Management Salerno, Italy		\$2,000	· Yassen Petrov Deenchin · Master's Program in Finance · Oslo, Norway	\$1,500
Momchil Nikolaev Atanasov Ph.D. Program in Paleoarchaeology Lubbock, USA		\$2,000		
Maurice Jacky Bigerano Ph.D. Program in Political Sciences and Public Administration Orlando, USA		\$3,500		
Nadezhda Anastasova Peeva Master's Program in Business Administration Boston, USA		\$1,000		
Nadezhda Ivanova Hadzhova Master's Program in European and English Law London, UK		\$2,500		
Petko Georgiev Bogoev Master's Program in Hotel and Travel Management Amherst, USA		\$1,500		
Petia Georgieva Hadzhieva Master's Program in Business Administration Barcelona, Spain		\$1,500		
Petia Zdravkova Nikolova Master's Program in Public Administration Syracuse, USA		\$1,500		
Plamen Ivanov Kuzov Master's Program in Business Administration Cleveland, USA		\$1,000		
Raina Dimitrova Tuzlukova-Vetzoa Ph.D. Program in Psychoanalysis Leuven, Belgium		\$5,000		
Radko Atanasov Mihaylov Master's Program in Business Administration London, UK		\$1,500		
Ralitzia Ivanova Boteva Master's Program in Architecture New Jersey, USA		\$1,500		
Rossen Borisov Hadzhiev Master's Program in Business Administration Barcelona, Spain		\$1,000		
Samuil Petrov Markov Master's Program in Business Administration London, UK		\$1,500		
Svetozar Nikolaev Shkutov Ph.D. Program in Finance and Banking Saarbruecken, Germany		\$1,500		
Svetoslava Zareva Tasseva Economics and Management Cachan, France	656 leva	\$4,738		
Stanislava Zaharieva Zaprianova Master's Program in Education Management Brussels, Belgium		\$500		
Tania Lyubomirova Vladova Ph.D. Program in Literature Paris, France		\$2,000		
			· Scholarships and Fellowships in Bulgaria	
			· Scholarships for Students in Bulgarian Universities	267,833 leva
			· St. Kliment Ohridski University of Sofia	
			· University of National and World Economy	
			· Economic University – Varna	
			· D. A. Tzenov Academy of Economics – Svishtov	
			· St. St. Cyril and Methodius University of Veliko Turnovo	
			· Paisii Hilendarski University of Plovdiv	
			· State Academy of Music	
			· National Academy of Drama and Film Arts	
			· National Academy of Arts	
			· Sofia Seminary of Theology	
			· New Bulgarian University	
			· American University in Bulgaria	
			· Bourgas Free University	
			· Projects of Foreign Scholars Working in the Field of Bulgarian Studies	
			· Alexander Anatolievich Prigarin	1,135 leva
			· Lecture in Ukrainian Ethnography	
			· Sofia, Bulgaria	
			· Nikolay Dmitrievich Russev	564 leva
			· Nikolay Nikolaevich Chervenkov	564 leva
			· Writing a Textbook on	
			· History of the Bulgarian People	
			· Veliko Turnovo, Sofia, Bulgaria	
			· Reynol Peres Vasces	1,100 leva
			· Translation of Bulgarian Literature	
			· Sofia, Bulgaria	
			· Students' Projects	
			· Innovation Projects Association	1,320 leva
			· Introducing New Practices in	
			· Public Administration	
			· Sofia, Bulgaria	
			· Team of students at the	
			· Paisii Hilendarski University of Plovdiv	1,502 leva
			· Building Friendships between Children	
			· Attending the Kindergarten in Zelenikovo	
			· Village and Their Peers at	
			· the Foundling Home in Pazardjik	
			· Zelenikovo, Pazardjik, Bulgaria	
			· Team of students at the	
			· St. Kliment Ohridski University of Sofia	
			· and the New Bulgarian University	1,656 leva
			· The Bulgarian Universities in Search	
			· of Their Own Reform Models.	
			· Changes in the New Democratic Situation	
			· after 1989 – Needs and Reform Opportunities	
			· Sofia, Bulgaria	
			· Team of students at the	
			· St. Kliment Ohridski University of Sofia	1,500 leva
			· Images of Bulgaria on the Eve of	
			· the 21st Century – Identity and Adaptation	
			· Sofia, Bulgaria	

Team of students at the St. Kliment Ohridski University of Sofia and the University of National and World Economy The 20th Century from a 21st-century Perspective Sofia, Bulgaria	1,000 leva		Dessislava Velichkova Dragneva Pre-departure Orientation Budapest, Hungary	311 leva	\$50
Team of students at the Bourgas Free University Program for Establishing a Specialized Center to Facilitate the Social Adaptation of Young People without Families Bourgas, Bulgaria	1,500 leva		Ekaterina Stoyanova Balabanova Master's Program in European Studies University of Manchester, UK	941 leva	\$50
			Maria Stoycheva Pantaleeva Developing a Series of Lectures on Personal Identity University of Oxford, UK	582 leva	\$39
			Maya Dimitrova Ivanova Pre-departure Orientation Budapest, Hungary	313 leva	\$50
Education Programs of the Open Society Institute – Budapest and Other Partner Organizations					
Apostol Kunchev Apostolov Pre-departure Orientation Budapest, Hungary	434 leva	\$50	Nevena Nikolova Alexieva-Ivanova Semantic Adaptation of Anglicisms in the Bulgarian Language University of Oxford, UK	628 leva	\$50
Billiana Stefanova Bagasheva Master's Program in Economics and Finance University of Warwick, UK	882 leva	\$110	Petia Atanassova Tanova Textbook on Comparative Economics University of Oxford, UK	530 leva	\$21
Vassilka Valerieva Paunova The Animal Style in Southeast European Antique Art University of Oxford, UK	697 leva	\$50	Plamen Marinchov Borissov Consumers' Protection in the UK University of Oxford, UK	936 leva	\$100
Vessela Ivanova Sotirova-Prodanova Comparative Taxation Law University of Oxford, UK	604 leva	\$50	Roumen Assenov Prodanov Master's Program in Business Administration University of Warwick, UK	569 leva	\$60
Vladimir Stefanov Georgiev Orthodox Churches and Nationalism University of Oxford, UK	530 leva	\$107	Juliana Stoyanova Stoyanova Comparative Research of Slavonic Languages in the Post-totalitarian Period University of Oxford, UK	883 leva	\$100
Georgi Hristov Ranchev Bringing Bulgarian Legislation in Line with the Legislation of the EU University of Oxford, UK	485 leva	\$50			

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Academia Program

Long-term Scholarships and Fellowships Abroad

Maria Rangelova Gyurova The Earliest Archaeological Evidences of the Neolithic Age on Bulgarian Lands Fellowship at the Center for Archaeological Research Antipolis, France	787 leva	
Yanitza Zheliazkova Ivanova Scholarship at the Korean Language Institute Seoul, Korea		\$911
Nelly Yordanova Kaloyanova One-year Fellowship in Sociology of Culture and Religion Berlin, Germany	1,000 leva	

Short-term Scholarships and Fellowships Abroad

Alexander Kamenov Gevrenov American Institute on Political and Economic Systems Prague, the Czech Republic		\$350
Alexander Savov Portalski Summer Course in Greek History and Culture Athens, Greece	\$298	
Atanas Ivanov Ivanov Bryce Harlow Institute on Business and Government Affairs Washington DC, USA	\$542	
BBC Center – Sofia English Language Course for Secondary School Teachers London, UK	\$2,832	
Blagovest Zlatanov Veljchkov International School on Theory of the Humanities Santiago de Compostela, Spain	865 leva	\$3,050
Mariana Manolova Manolova	629 leva	\$70
Maria Noncheva Papazova	629 leva	\$70
Kremena Ivanova Ivanova	629 leva	\$70
Vesselina Dimitrova Popova	629 leva	\$70
Vesselinka Atanasova Siakolova Spanish Language and Culture Course for CEE Teachers Granada, Spain	629 leva	\$70

Gergana Dimitrova Avramova American Law Amsterdam, the Netherlands	322 leva	\$750
Gergana Dimitrova Karadzhoва Internship at the Mission of the Republic of Bulgaria in the European Union Brussels, Belgium	385 leva	
Danka Shtereva Yankulova Dramatic Arts in Education Moscow, Russia	513 leva	
Dobrinka Petrova Vulkova	709 leva	\$227
Dafina Stefanova Dicheva The Totalitarian Style in Bulgarian Urban Space International Institute of Semiotics Imatra, Finland	702 leva	\$234
Pancho Vladigerov State Academy of Music Participation of Students and Professors from the Academy at the International Summer Academy – Semmering '99 Semmering, Austria		\$3,316
Lachezar Koychev Kolev Transnational Law Program at the Duke-Geneve Institute in Transnational Law Geneva, Switzerland	789 leva	\$410
Magdalena Stoyanova Gorin Specialized Course in Teaching Spanish as a Foreign Language Saragossa, Spain	663 leva	
Madlen Vassileva Danova Developing Bachelor's and Master's Programs in American Studies Albany, USA		\$1,000
Svetlana Stefanova Sovadjieva	586 leva	
Maria Petrova Ladovinska	586 leva	
Valentina Yordanova Ivanova	586 leva	
Maria Ivanova Gancheva Specialized Course in Teaching Italian as a Foreign Language Perugia, Italy	684 leva	
Nedialka Mihova Mihova American Institute on Political and Economic Systems Prague, the Czech Republic	170 leva	\$130
Pavel Georgiev Georgiev International Summer Program in European Sciences, University of Vienna Strobl, Austria		\$918
Roumen Dimitrov Alexandrov Internship at the Mission of the Republic of Bulgaria in the European Union Brussels, Belgium	385 leva	
Silvia Dimitrova Petrova American Institute on Political and Economic Systems Prague, the Czech Republic	170 leva	\$350
Siana Dusheva Harizanova British Council Summer School in Teaching English to Children York, UK		\$672
Todor Tzvetanov Hadzhiyski Internship at the Engalitcheff Institute on Comparative Political and Economic Systems Washington DC, USA	874 leva	\$542

Iskra Angelova Likomanova Conference of Language, Culture, and Communications Moscow, Russia	496 leva		Veronika Viktorova Azarova Congress of the International Association for Semiotic Studies Dresden, Germany	476 leva	
Lyuben Petrov Prashkov Conference of the International Committee on the Conservation and Preservation of Mosaics Arles, France		\$300	Daniela Velntinova Boteva International Criminal Law Seminar Salzburg, Austria	190 leva	\$100
Lyudmila Constantinova Kostova Conference of the British Association for Romantic Studies Keele, UK	593 leva		Nikola Petrov Teodossiev Annual Meeting of the European Association of Archaeologists Dorset, UK	592 leva	\$40
Magdalena Blagoeva Ilcheva Millennium Film Conference Bath, UK	1,333 leva		Stefan Stamatov Komandarev Presentation of a Students' Film Nominated at the 15th International Short-film Festival Lille, France	578 leva	\$53
Mariana Dimitrova Niagolova Conference on the Challenges of the Changing Society Moscow, Russia	521 leva	\$46	Tzvetelin Yordanov Stepanov Seminar on „Mountains and Sanctity in Medieval Bulgaria: King Saints and Patron Saints“ Leeds, UK	755 leva	\$50
Marina Dimitrova Stefanova Seminar on Teaching Tolerance. Presentation on Roma Students in Bulgarian Schools: The Need for Sustainable Reforms Prague, the Czech Republic	170 leva	\$45	<i>Academic Forums in Bulgaria</i>		
Maria Atanasova Yovcheva Conference in honour of the 500th Anniversary of the Gennadian Bible Moscow, Russia	511 leva		American University in Bulgaria International Students Conference on Nationalism and Peace on the Balkans Blagoevgrad, Bulgaria	3,734 leva	
Petia Lyubomirova Kabakchieva European Sociological Association Will Europe Work Conference Amsterdam, the Netherlands		\$88	Institute of Mathematics and Informatics Electronic Preservation of Medieval Manuscripts and Books – Summer School under HESP Sofia, Bulgaria	7,454 leva	
Svetoslav Petrov Stefanov Conference on European Enlightenment and its Link to Other Great Cultures and Religions of the 18th Century Saarbruecken, Germany	619 leva	\$20	Bulgarian Association of Military History Conference on the Versailles System and the New World Order Varna, Bulgaria	3,375 leva	
Stefanka Tihomirova Kmetova Annual Meeting of the International Association of Conference Interpreters Posnan, Poland	543 leva	\$108	Bulgarian Gender Studies Research Team Conference on Limits of Citizenship: European Women Between Tradition and Modernity Sofia, Bulgaria	4,440 leva	
Stefka Stefanova Naumova International Conference on Social Sciences and Law Warsaw, Poland	412 leva	\$200	Bulgarian Branch of the International Association of Teachers of English as a Foreign Language 7th National Conference with International Participation Blagoevgrad, Bulgaria	970 leva	
Students' Open Society Club National Academy of Arts Joint Exhibition "Illustration, Calligraphy, Ceramics, and Icons" Frankfurt, Germany	2,963 leva		Bulgarian Kantian Society Theoretic Conference on Kant and the Kantian Tradition in Bulgaria Sofia, Bulgaria	211 leva	
Bulgarian English-speaking Union Public Speaking Competition London, UK		\$664	Varna Free University Urban School on Post-socialist Urban Culture Varna, Bulgaria	1,364 leva	
Stefka Hristova Petkova Adriana Antonova Neykova-Todorova International Conference "Between Management and Public: Records Management and Marketing of Archives in Universities and Research Institutions" Haifa, Israel	719 leva 719 leva		St. St. Cyril and Methodius University of Veliko Turnovo International Summer School on Bulgarian Language and Culture Veliko Turnovo, Bulgaria	3,600 leva	
Boyan Alexandrov Boyanov 4th Students' Film Festival New York, USA	750 leva		Steering Committee on Inter-Balkan Communication in Music and Culture Conference on Inter-Balkan Communication in Music and Culture Stara Zagora, Bulgaria	840 leva	

Center for Education and Cultural Initiatives Project for Establishing a Department for Legal, Psychological, and Information Services within the Center Veliko Turnovo, Bulgaria	1,700 leva		· Students' Open Society Club · University of National and World Economy · Building Practical, Communication, and Management Skills · (a joint project with the Center for Alternative Development) · Bankia, Bulgaria	3,563 leva
St. Kliment Ohridski University of Sofia Department of Cyrillic and Methodian Studies Support for the Fall Session of the Department Sofia, Bulgaria	3,291 leva		· Welcoming the 21st Century Foundation · Bulgarian Education and the Idea of Statehood in the Modern Bulgarian Society in 19th and 20th Century · Sofia, Bulgaria	14,976 leva
St. St. Cyril and Methodius University of Veliko Turnovo Department of Roman Philologies Summer Language Course at the Castilla la Mancha University Toledo, Spain	1,306 leva	\$686	· Research Projects · Students' Team at the D.A. Tzenov Academy of Economics – Svishtov · Loan Certificates as a Funding Resource for Municipalities in Bulgaria · Svishtov, Bulgaria	1,205 leva
Institute for East European Humanitarian Research The Rhodope Mountains – a Model of Tolerance on the Balkans (fourth stage) Smolyan, Bulgaria	6,536 leva		· Academic Ethnologic Society · Ethnologic Research of the Christian and Muslim Communities in the Rhodope Mountains · Bulgaria	5,120 leva
New Bulgarian University Project for Interdisciplinary Training in Intercultural Communication (in cooperation with the Durham University, UK) Sofia, Bulgaria	10,030 leva		· Nessebar 9 Students' Research Team · Archaeological Excavations and Field Research under the Long-term Interdisciplinary Research Project "Messembria Pontica" · Nessebar, Bulgaria	4,368 leva
St. Kliment Ohridski University of Sofia Department of Journalism and Mass Communication Summer Students' Exchange with the Professional College in Wisbaden, Germany Sofia, Bulgaria	2,403 leva		· Reforming Bulgarian Secondary Education – A Project Initiated and Carried out by the Academia Program	\$89,000
Artefacts Students' Team New Bulgarian University Participation in a Drama Festival; Filming a Documentary Chandigar, India		\$1,500		

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Libraries Program

Long-term Scholarships Abroad

Anna Alexandrova Popova 1,273 leva \$146
Scholarship at the Slavic Department
at the Yale University Library
New Haven, USA

Short-term Scholarships Abroad

Alexandra Manolova Alexandrova 1,665 leva \$105
Scholarship for librarians from
Central and Eastern Europe at
the Library of Congress
Washington D.C., USA

Lyubov Dimitrova Dimitrova 627 leva
Training in Public Library Management,
Library Policy, Cooperation and Coordination
Helsinki, Finland

Participation in Forums Abroad

Āāf ŷ Angelova Grashkina 336
Conference on Public Libraries
in the Information Society
Copenhager, the Netherlands

Zorka Todorova Ivanova 463 leva
Congress of the Association of
Turkish Librarians
Ankara, Turkey

Ivanka Encheva Demireva 573 leva
International Conference on
Stabilization and Human Resource
Development in Libraries in
Central and Eastern Europe
Moscow, Russia

Snezhana Vulchanova Yaneva 1,139 leva
Annual Conference of the American
Library Association
New Orleans, USA

Tatiana Ganeva Yanakieva 642 leva \$40
Information Professionals and
the Challenges of the 21st Century
Hanover, Germany

Krassimira Russeva Ignatova 912 leva
Seminar on Introducing Modern
Information Technologies in Public
Libraries: Management and Marketing
Argus, Denmark

Lina Kirilova Yordanova \$170
Agro Web Pages in the Countries of
Central and Eastern Europe"
Budapest, Áóāāī āūā

Membership Fees and Subscriptions

Union of Library and Information
Specialists \$402
Annual membership fee for
EBLIDA for 1999
Sofia, Bulgaria

Forums in Bulgaria

NALIN – 6 Years Later 796 leva
Workshop
Sofia, Bulgaria

„Nikola Furnadjiev“
Regional Library 1,639 leva
Seminar on Public Libraries in
the Period of Transition
Pazardjik, Bulgaria

Stilian Chilingirov
Regional Library 1,705 leva
„Preservation of Library Collections“ –
Seminar for Librarians from Libraries
in North Bulgaria
Shoumen, Bulgaria

Peter Stupov 1,266 leva
Regional Library
„The Role of Public Libraries in
the Modern World“ –
Seminar for Librarians from the Region
Turgovishte, Bulgaria

„Mihalaki Georgiev“
Regional Library 1,614 leva
„Public Libraries: Fund-raising and
Collection Development in a Period of
Economic Crisis“ – Seminar for Librarians
from Libraries in Northwestern Bulgaria
Vidin, Bulgaria

Equipment Donations

Bulgarian Academy of Sciences
Institute of Archaeology – Library 4,478 leva
NALIN Project: Computer Equipment
and Internet Access
Sofia, Bulgaria

Aprilov–Palauzov
Regional Library 4,959 leva
NALIN Project: Establishing an
Information Service Desk
Gabrovo, Bulgaria

P. R. Slaveykov National Library 2,400 leva
NALIN Project: Improving Information
Services at the Library
Veliko Turnovo, Bulgaria

Blagoevgrad Regional Library
Emanuil Popdimitrov 13,296 leva
Regional Library – Kyustendil 9,036 leva
Zora Community Library – Dupnitsa 6,343 leva
NALIN Project:
Joint Project for Improving the Access
to Information Services, Developing Modern
Policies for Enriching Library Collections,
Facilitating Inter-library Borrowing, and
Preserving Library Collections
Blagoevgrad, Kyustendil, Dupnitsa, Bulgaria

Hristo Botev Regional Library 4,434 leva
NALIN Project: Improving Information
Services at the Library, Developing the
Local Computer Network and Providing
Access to the Internet
Vratza, Bulgaria

Nikola Furnadjiev Regional Library 2,259 leva
NALIN Project: Improving Library
Services by Opening Workstations

Providing Access to the Library Database and the Internet Pazardjik, Bulgaria		· Primary School – Gabrovo	183 leva	
		· Ivan Vazov Primary School – Gabrovo	185 leva	
		· Hristo Smirnenski		
		· Primary School – Gabrovo	183 leva	
		· Bulgaria		
Nikola Vranchev Regional Library NALIN Project: Improving Information Services at the Library Smolyan, Bulgaria	2,434 leva	· Prof. Benyo Tzonev Regional Library	408 leva	\$180
		· Donation of Reference and Encyclopedic Literature in Bulgarian and in English		
		· Lovech, Bulgaria		
		· Higher Institute of Medicine		
		· Rheumatology Clinic		\$372
		· Oxford Textbook of Rheumatology		
		· Plovdiv, Bulgaria		
St. St. Cyril and Methodius National Library Creating a Specialized Database of Publications Issued in 1878–1944 Sofia, Bulgaria	2,753 leva	· Aura Community Library	310 leva	
		· Donation of Reference Literature in Bulgarian		
		· Sofia, Bulgaria		
National Gallery of Arts – Library NALIN Project: Establishing an Automated Library and Information System to Facilitate Information Exchange and the Access to the Internet Sofia, Bulgaria	2,128 leva	· Peter Bogdan Community Library	760 leva	
		· Donation of Reference and Encyclopedic Literature		
		· Chiprovtsi, Bulgaria		
		· Prosveta Community Library	1,275 leva	
		· Donation of Textbooks and Reference Literature		
		· Zlatograd, Bulgaria		
Municipality of Blagoevgrad Education Department NALIN Project: Establishing a Library Information Network for School Students in Blagoevgrad with Access to the Internet Blagoevgrad, Bulgaria	29,543 leva	· Prosveta Community Library	310 leva	
		· Donation of Textbooks and Reference Literature		
		· Bania Village, Sofia District, Bulgaria		
Mihalaki Georgiev Regional Library NALIN Project: Computerizing Library and Information Services Vidin, Bulgaria	10,160 leva	· Svetlina Community Library	400 leva	
		· Donation of Textbooks and Reference Literature		
		· Sofia, Bulgaria		
Sofia City Library NALIN Project: Establishing an Information Center Sofia, Bulgaria	9,492 leva	· Tzar Boris III Community Library	450 leva	
		· Donation of Reference and Encyclopedic Literature		
		· Sofia, Bulgaria		
Erevan Union of Armenian Culture and Education Organizations in Bulgaria Library and Archives at the Armenian Cultural Center Specialized Computer Equipment Sofia, Bulgaria	4,748 leva	· Aprilov National High School	463 leva	
		· Vassil Levski Primary School	185 leva	
		· Donation of Textbooks and Reference Literature		
		· Gabrovo, Bulgaria		
Zora Community Library NALIN Project: Improving Information Services at the Library by Providing Access to the Internet Sliven, Bulgaria	2,344 leva	· National High School for Ancient Languages and Cultures	50 leva	
		· Donation of Books in Bulgarian		
		· Sofia, Bulgaria		
		· New Bulgarian University		\$4,723
		· Donation of Specialized Scientific, Reference and Encyclopedic Literature		
		· Sofia, Bulgaria		
N. Y. Vaptzarov Community Library NALIN Project: Computer Equipment for Internet Connectivity Blagoevgrad, Bulgaria	2,799 leva	· Iskra Community Library	778 leva	
		· Donation of Textbooks and Reference Literature in Bulgarian		
		· Gurmen Village, Blagoevgrad District		
		· Bulgaria		
Napreduk Community Library NALIN Project: Computerizing Library Services and Providing Internet Access Pirdop, Bulgaria	2,544 leva	· Love for Humanity Association	1,014 leva	
		· Donation of Textbooks and Reference Publications in Psychology		
		· Pazardjik, Bulgaria		
Stoyan Drinov City Library NALIN Project: Establishing an Automated System for Managing Library Collections Panagyurishte, Bulgaria	3,238 leva	· Raycho Karolev Secondary School	463 leva	
		· Donation of Textbooks and Reference Literature		
		· Gabrovo, Bulgaria		
		· St. Ivan Rilski Seminary of Theology	4,717 leva	
		· Donation of Reference and Encyclopedic Literature and Textbooks in Theology		
		· Sofia, Bulgaria		
		· Dr. Vassiliadi Vocational School of Mechanics	185 leva	
Book Donations				
Donation of Reference and Encyclopedic Literature in Bulgarian for the Libraries at:				
Aleko Konstantinov				
Community Center – Sofia	450 leva			
Dimitar Talev Primary School – Plovdiv	310 leva			
The Seven Saints				
Secondary School – Sofia	490 leva			
Neofit Rilski Primary School – Gabrovo	185 leva			
Tzanko Dyustabanov				

Donation of Textbooks and
Reference Literature
Gabrovo, Bulgaria

Vocational School on Textile Production 278 leva
Donation of Textbooks and
Reference Literature
Gabrovo, Bulgaria

Progress Community Library 310 leva
Donation of Textbooks and
Reference Literature
Liaski Village, Sofia District, Bulgaria

Gotze Delchev Municipal Library 900 leva
Donation of Reference and
Encyclopedic Literature
Gotze Delchev, Bulgaria

Neofit Rilski Southwestern University \$1483
Law Department Library
Donation of Legal Publications in French
Blagoevgrad, Bulgaria

Projects Initiated by the Program

Donation of Latin-Bulgarian Dictionary
to 30 Bulgarian Libraries 900 leva
Sofia, Bulgaria

Donation of History of Bulgaria, vol. 8
to 30 Bulgarian Libraries 1,950 leva
Sofia, Bulgaria

Donation of "Stefan Stambolov: Diaries"
in 7 volumes to 30 Bulgarian Libraries 1,862 leva
Sofia, Bulgaria

Project "Chance for Bulgarian
Libraries in the 21st Century" 3,117 leva

**Joint Projects Carried out in Cooperation with
the Network Library Program of
the Open Society Institute – Budapest**

Central Library of Technology 14,735 leva
NALIN Project: Introducing New
Information Technologies in the Library
Sofia, Bulgaria

International Seminar on Preserving
Photographic Documents in Libraries,
Museums and Archives 4,217 leva \$1,814

Joint Project Carried out in Cooperation
with the Northeastern Center for Paper
Conservation in Andover, USA
Sofia, Bulgaria

**Donation of Periodicals Project
Subscriptions for Foreign Periodicals for 1999–2000:**

St. St. Cyril and Methodius
National Library

Bulgarian Academy of Sciences
Central Library

St. Kliment Ohridski
University of Sofia
University Library

Central Medical Library

Varna University of Economics
University Library

St. St. Cyril and Methodius
University of Veliko Turnovo
University Library

New Bulgarian University
University Library

**Pushkin Library Project Carried out in Cooperation with
the Open Society Institute – Russia**

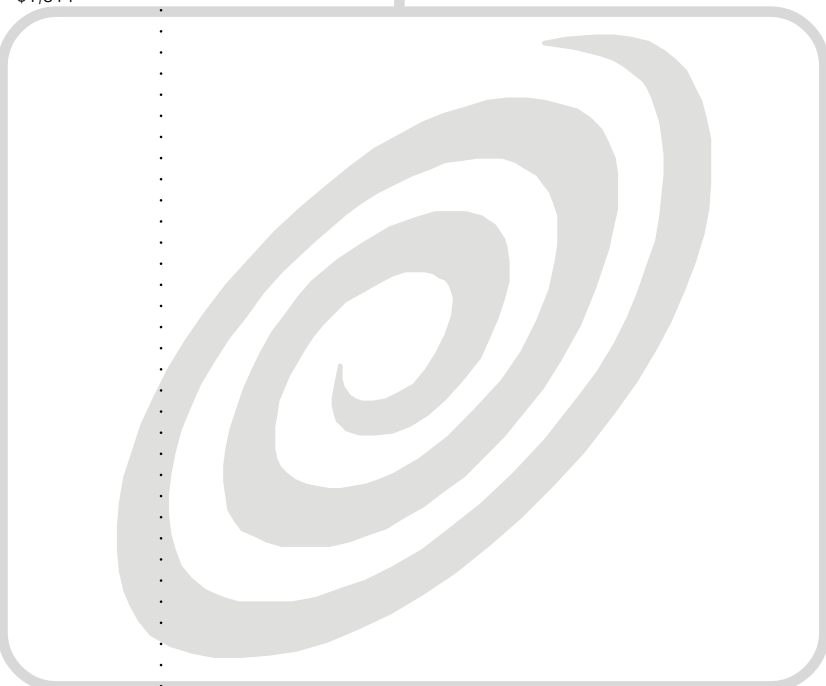
33 Bulgarian libraries benefited from
the first stage of the project.
More than 5 volumes in
Russian have been donated.

**International Association of Music Libraries,
Archives and Documentation Centres**

Music Donations from
Great Britain Project 4,870 leva
Transportation expenses for donated
records, audiotapes and note sheets

Joint Project with the Sabre Foundation

Distribution of donated medical literature
in cooperation with the Center for
the Study of Democracy 27,620 leva
Sofia, Bulgaria



Civil Society and Democratic Institutions Program

Scholarships in Bulgaria

Mustafa Yuseinov Musov	3,649 leva
Aldin Milkov Shaygov	3,649 leva
Silven Veskov Manzurski	3,649 leva
Mariela Velichkova Tananska	3,649 leva
Fatme Yufus Djudo	3,649 leva
Daniela Ventzislavova Hadjieva	3,649 leva
Hussein Sabri Alishkov	3,649 leva
Hussein Mehmed Serdar	3,649 leva
Assen Istilianov Radev	3,649 leva
Hussein Ismet Dail	3,649 leva
Stefka Karamfilova Moskova	3,649 leva
Dragomir Nikolov Stoychev	3,649 leva
Krassimira Georgieva Kastamova	3,649 leva
Emel Yuseinova Pentova	3,649 leva
Fatme Mehmed Muhtar	3,649 leva
Ramadan Nedjipov Zaimov	3,649 leva
Sulza Lilkova Kehayova	3,649 leva
Aliosman Ahmedov Dangov	3,649 leva
Petranka Gorchova Puncheva	3,649 leva
Latinka Vassileva Ivanova	3,649 leva
Rifat Hayretinov Likov	3,649 leva
Issa Mehmed Mersim	3,649 leva
English Language Courses for Minority Students at the American University in Bulgaria Blagoevgrad, Bulgaria	
American University in Bulgaria English Language Courses for Minority Students at the American University in Bulgaria Blagoevgrad, Bulgaria	29,167 leva

Short-term Fellowships Abroad

Blagoy Nikitov Vidin Foreign Relations within the European Union The Hague, the Netherlands	\$ 800
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Emilia Vassileva Vassileva Civil Society and Human Rights Strasbourg, France	757 leva	\$1,490
Lyubov Nedelcheva Draganova Summer University on Human Rights Geneva, Switzerland		\$500
Maria Gancheva Spassova Summer School in International Law Geneva, Switzerland		\$1,000
Irina Rumenova Slavcheva Study of the French Judiciary System Paris, France		\$416
Margarita Serafimova Ilieva Human Rights Session Strasbourg, France	671 leva	\$1,322
Radmila Simeonova Mladenova International Seminar "Physically Challenged People and and How to Talk About Them" London, UK		\$271
Antonia Todorova Angelova 11th International Course in Constitutional Law Marseille, France	755 leva	\$340

Participation in Forums Abroad

Jenia Georgieva Georgieva Global Training Seminar on the Challenges of Democracy Washington D.C., USA	1,426 leva	
Eaoy Yordanova Kalinova Gender, Culture and Equality in Mediterranean Societies Spain		\$164
Ivan Yosifov Ivanov Legal Defense Against Human Rights Violation New York, USA		\$ 3,180
A team of students Participation in an International Public Law Competition the Hague, the Netherlands	2,277 leva	\$80
National Law Students Association 36th General Assembly of the European Law Students Association La Valletta, Malta	2,384 leva	\$1,040

Forums in Bulgaria

Bulgarian Sociological Association International Scientific Conference „Civil Society: Social Criticism and Positive Thinking“ Sofia, Bulgaria	8,347 leva	
Association of the Disabled – Drianovo Civic Involvement among People with Disabilities: Rights and Responsibilities Drianovo, Bulgaria	1,674 leva	
Bulgarian Institute for Development International Conference on the Contribution of Social Sciences for an Effective Economic and Social Policy Sofia, Bulgaria	11,125 leva	

Union of Judges in Bulgaria Training in European and International Law Sofia, Bulgaria	3,326 leva		
Open Society Club – Blagoevgrad Conference on New Economic Perspectives for the Cultural and Natural Heritage of the Western Phodope Region Gotze Delchev, Bulgaria	9,478 leva		
A team of students from the National Academy of Drama and Film Arts, and other universities Discussion on the Social Reaction to the Abolition of the Death Penalty Sofia, Bulgaria	6,343 leva		
Equipment Donations			
Union of the Disabled in Bulgaria Optimizing the Information Services Offered to People with Disabilities Sofia, Bulgaria	5,237 leva		
Publishing Projects and Support for the Media			
Women's Alliance for Development Support for the Zharava Magazine Sofia, Bulgaria	18,565 leva		
Litavra Publishers Support for the book "Gypsies in the Ottoman Empire", the first Bulgarian book included in the European collection "Interface" Sofia, Bulgaria	4,552 leva		
Joint project with the Media Development Center TV documentary „The Attitude of Bulgarian Turks towards the Media Bulgaria	6,407 leva		
Open Society Publishing House Support for the "Bulgaria in Transition" Series Sofia, Bulgaria	21,912 leva		
TV crew led by Reneta Nikolova Support for the TV documentary „Secret Services versus Bulgarian emigrants" Copenhagen, Denmark	\$1,299		
Citizen Association Support for the Democratic Review Magazine Sofia, Bulgaria	9,513 leva		
Evgeni Blagoev Yochev Support for the book "Legislation in Bulgaria from 1878 to 1944" Sofia, Bulgaria	6,528 leva		
Institute for Regional and International Research Support for the book "Regional Infrastructural Projects in Southeastern Europe" Sofia, Bulgaria	5,097 leva		
Center for Independent Living Publishing a Collection of Laws Related to People with Disabilities Sofia, Bulgaria	3,545 leva		
		Charity Projects	
		Valentina Plus Studio Charity Concert „Stars for the Children" – Fourth Edition Sofia, Bulgaria	550 leva
		Valentina Plus Studio Charity Concert „Stars for the Children" TV coverage and program Bourgas, Bulgaria	3,343 leva
		Other Projects	
		B'nei B'rit "The Jews of Bulgaria: Family Memory and Historical Fate" – Cultural and Ethnological Research Sofia, Bulgaria	2,800 leva
		Bulgarian Association of Business- and Self-employed Women Encouraging Self-help Initiatives in a Highly Dynamic Environment Bulgaria	16,739 leva
		State Police Academy Training in Polcie Investigation for Law-enforcement Staff Sofia, Bulgaria	5,260 leva
		Bulgarian National Foundation on Multiple Sclerosis and Mysathenia Gravis Social Integration and Rehabilitation of Multiple Sclerosis and Mysathenia Gravis Patients in Bulgaria through Self-help Sofia, Bulgaria	15,620 leva
		Knights of Knowledge Movement for Children Discover the World of the New Century Sofia, Bulgaria	17,876 leva
		A team of students in political sciences led by Lyubima Yordanova The Language of Change: Sociological and Politological Aspects Sofia, Bulgaria	12,203 leva
		Market Economy Institute The Balkans in 2010 – Economic and Cooperation Scenarios Sofia, Bulgaria	\$5,000
		International Center on Minority Issues and Intercultural Communication Establishing a Network of Centers for Interethnic Relations Sofia-Skopje-Tirana Chisinau-Pristina-Belgrade	25,733 leva
		Insight Youth Center Training and Self-help Initiatives Facilitating the Socialization of Parentless Children Living Outside Foundling Homes Sofia, Bulgaria	13,510 leva
		Legal Initiative for Education and Development Information System for Maintaining Criminal Records Varna, Bulgaria	5,018 leva
		Union of Innovators in Bulgaria Training and Legal Assistance for Innovators in the Transition Period Sofia, Bulgaria	6,699 leva

Support for the Disabled Foundation Training for Physically Challenged Lawyers Sofia, Bulgaria	11,122 leva	· Sociological Research and Interdisciplinary · Study of Several Roma Communities · Bulgaria	
Access to Information Program Foundation Access to Information Training for Journalists and Representatives of Local NGOs Sofia, Bulgaria	38,667 leva	· Outward Bound – Bulgaria · Outward Bound Training for · Disadvantaged Children · Sofia, Bulgaria	25,687 leva
Business Management and Entrepreneurship Center Citizens and Local Governments as Partners in Managing Municipal Property Varna, Bulgaria	15,233 leva	· Help for Charity in Bulgaria Foundation · The Charity Aid Foundation and · Its Experience: Lessons for · Bulgarian Charity Organizations · Russia	9,500 leva
UN Development Program National Early Warning System in Bulgaria 2000–2001 Sofia, Bulgaria	28,966 leva	· Bulgarian NGO Resource Center · Training Program for Bulgarian · Community Centers · Bulgaria	15,731 leva
Future Association Improving Public Services and Sanitary Practices in a Residential District in Pazardjik Pazardjik, Bulgaria	18,125 leva	· Rehabilitation of Sight Impaired · Patients Foundation · Establishing a Resource Center for · Sight Impaired People in Plovdiv, Sofia, · Sliven, Varna, Stara Zagora and Gabrovo · Bulgaria	33,401 leva
Training for Volunteers and NGO Workers in the Eastern Rhodope Region	7,782 leva	· Roma Self-help Bureau Foundation – Sliven · Increasing Public Awareness of the Facts · That Illustrate the National Policy on Issues · Addressed by the Framework Convention · for the Protection of National Minorities · Sliven, Bulgaria	15,560 leva
Help for Children at Risk Association Children's Social Service Bureau Patalenitza Village Pazardjik Region, Bulgaria	8,924 leva	· Sapareva Bania Foundation · Current Conditions and Reform Efforts · in Managing Irrigable Waters in · the Gorno Pole Village · Sapareva Bania, Bulgaria	8,747 leva
Justice '96 Association Public Campaign for Social Protection of Stray Children and Underaged Girls Involved in Prostitution from the Stolipinovo Roma Neighborhood Plovdiv, Bulgaria	19,660 leva	· Tolerance Foundation · Public Attitude Towards · Religious Minorities in Bulgaria · Bulgaria	18,131 leva
Union of Bulgarian Foundations and Associations Institutional Support Network – part I Bulgaria	10,542 leva	· Social Adaptation Center Foundation · Social Services and Re-training for · Unemployed Middle-aged Professionals · Sofia, Bulgaria	17,922 leva
Union of the Deaf in Bulgaria Regional Association of the Deaf – Sofia Establishing a Video Center at the Regional Association of the Deaf in Sofia Sofia, Bulgaria	8,257 leva	· Orphan Foundation · Municipal Center for the Protection · of Children's Rights – Blagoevgrad · Blagoevgrad, Bulgaria	17,284 leva
Union of the Deaf in Bulgaria Central Council Integrated Education for Hearing Impaired Children – Training for School Teachers Sofia, Bulgaria	10,391 leva	· Center for Youth Strategies · Public Policy Magazine on the Internet · Sofia, Bulgaria	5,591 leva
Initiatives and Civic Participation Foundation Establishing a Regional System for Preventing Drug Abuse, Violence, and AIDS Pazardjik, Bulgaria	8,744 leva	· Joint Project with the National Center · for Non-profit Boards – Washington D.C. · Capacity Building in · Bulgarian NGO Boards · Sofia, Bulgaria	6,360 leva
Interethnic Human Rights Initiative Foundation Establishing an Interethnic Civic Fund for Development Bulgaria	3,889 leva	· International Center on Minority Issues · and Intercultural Communication · Documentary Research on the East · Rhodope Region · Sofia, Bulgaria	402 leva
International Center on Minority Issues and Intercultural Communication „Poverty and Ethnicity in Societies in Transition“ – International Comparative	28,755 leva	· Transparency without · Frontiers Association · Institutional Support · Sofia, Bulgaria	35,954 leva
		· Psychological and Social · Development Foundation · Dynamics Research Project · Sofia, Bulgaria	5,500 leva

European Integration and Human Rights Association Establishing an Agency for Free Legal Assistance in Cases of Human Rights Violation and in Public Interest Lawsuits Plovdiv, Bulgaria	18,146 leva	Legal Initiative for Education and Development Reforming Criminal Justice and Harmonizing Bulgarian Criminal Law with the European Standards Varna, Bulgaria	37,865 leva
Joint Legal Program of OSF – Sofia abd COLPI			
European Integration and Human Rights Association Human Rights Training Program for Legal Practitioners Plovdiv, Bulgaria	10,000 leva	Human Rights Project Monitoring Human Rights Protection in the Bulgarian Roma Community Sofia, Bulgaria	26,681 leva
European Integration and Human Rights Association Developing Legal Mechanisms for Human Rights Protection Plovdiv, Bulgaria	35,542 leva	Drom Association Free Legal Assistance for Roma in Cases of Human Rights Abuse Vidin, Bulgaria	31,826 leva
Association for Facilitating the Re-socialization of Convicts Introducing International Human Rights Protection Standards in Bulgarian Correctional Facilities – Training Program for Penitentiary Staff Stage I Sofia, Bulgaria	28,609 leva	Initiatives and Civic Participation Foundation Introducing a Model for Social Re-integration of Former Convicts Pazardjik, Plovdiv, Stara Zagora Bulgaria	35,515 leva
Association for Facilitating the Re-socialization of Convicts Introducing International Human Rights Protection Standards in Bulgarian Correctional Facilities – Training Program for Penitentiary Staff Stage II Sofia, Bulgaria	33,969 leva	Partners – Bulgaria Foundation Developing and Introducing an Alternative Conflict Resolution Program in the Curricula of Bulgarian Law Departments Sofia, Bulgaria	60,380 leva
Bulgarian Association for Civil Society and Legal Initiatives Introducing Civic Control in Public Administration Institutions Sofia, Bulgaria	51,381 leva	Partners – Bulgaria Foundation Establishing a System for Effective Conflict Resolution Mediation and Opening Mediation Units at Bulgarian Correctional Facilities Sofia, Bulgaria	11,690 leva
Bulgarian Helsinki Committee Survey on the Conditions in Bulgarian Correctional Facilities Sofia, Bulgaria	18,731 leva	Access to Information Program Foundation Where and how to Exercise the Right to Information Sofia, Bulgaria	87,177 leva
Open Society Club – Bourgas Re-socialization Program for Inmates at the Bourgas Correctional Facility Bourgas, Bulgaria	11,664 leva	Romani Bach Foundation Free Legal Assistance for Roma Sofia, Bulgaria	19,276 leva
Assistant Prof. Doncho Hrusanov and Team Establishing a Legal Clinic at the Law Department of the St. Kliment Ohridski University of Sofia Sofia, Bulgaria	11,566 leva	Romski Put Foundation Legal Assistance and Legal Education for Inhabitants of Roma Neighborhoods Sofia, Bulgaria	43,325 leva
Friendship Youth Center Improving the Psychological Climate and Facilitating the Re-socialization of Convicts at the Kremikovtzi Minimum Security Prison Sofia, Bulgaria	17,775 leva	Judicial Training Center Foundation Establishing a Judicial Training Center Sofia, Bulgaria	86,748 leva
Ministry of Defense Military Police Department Human Rights Protection Training Program for Military Police Staff Sofia, Bulgaria	39,003 leva	Legal Assistance Center Foundation Establishing a Legal Clinic at the Paisii Hilendarski University of Plovdiv Plovdiv	64,748 leva
Ministry of Defense Military Police Department Opening a Hotline at the Department Sofia, Bulgaria	37,830 leva	NGO Center – Razgrad Rallying Public Support for the Crime Prevention Efforts of the Police Razgrad, Bulgaria	21,043 leva
Joint Program of OSF – Sofia abd LGI			
Short-term Fellowships Abroad			
Antonia Gospodinova Gospodinova Amsterdam, the Netherlands			\$800
Rumiana Georgieva Mutafova Fellowship in Banking Law Salzburg, Austria			\$725

Svetlana Koleva Alexandrova Economic Indicators for Freedom and Democracy in Bulgaria Vancouver, Canada	1,658 leva	\$120	· "Reborn Civil Society" · Regional Association · Dialog Project · Pleven, Dolni Dubnik, Bulgaria	20,968 leva
Maria Petrova Karadjova Federalism, Decentralization and Their Derrivatives Switzerland		\$322	· Civic Participation Association · Project for Establishing Local Community · Centers for Civic Participation · Dobrich, Bulgaria	19,088 leva
Participation in Forums Abroad				
Georgi Todorov Dankov Annual Conference of the International Municipal Lawyers Association Barcelona, Spain		\$1,000	· Nevrokop Region Development Center · Providing Assistance for Illiterate and Semi-literate Citizens in Applying for Social Services · Gotze Delchev, Gurmen, Satovcha · Bulgaria	14,389 leva
Dimiter Georgiev Rashev 89th Regular Session of the Legal Committee of the European Broadcasting Union Geneva, Switzerland		\$688	· Union of Bulgarian Architects · Effective Municipal Management as an Instrument for Limiting · Illegal Construction · Sofia, Bulgaria	20,492 leva
Rositza Nikolaeva Kukusheva 89th Regular Session of the Legal Committee of the European Broadcasting Union Geneva, Switzerland		\$699	· Apel Foundation · Let's Work Together Project · Glojene, Bulgaria	9,435 leva
Project Expenses				
Middle Class Development Association Peripheral Municipalities: Resources for Local Development Sofia, Ihtiman, Svilengrad, Bulgaria	28,257 leva		· Future for Bulgaria Foundation · Building Bridges Project · Bulgaria	168,948 leva
Bulgarian Association for Fair Elections and Civil Rights – Razgrad Office The Public Mediator as a Civic Consultant and Advisor Loznitza, Bulgaria	8,084 leva		· Future Foundation · Improving Sanitary Conditions in the Roma Neighborhood · Rakitovo, Bulgaria	\$7,918
Bulgarian Association of Social Workers Developing Mechanisms for Introducing a Code of Ethics in Social Services Sofia, Bulgaria	20,890 leva		· Orpheus Foundation · Improving the Cooperation Between Citizens and Local Administration · Satovcha, Bulgaria	7,517 leva
Danish Education Center Introducing Effective Civic Participation Practices in the Local Government of Krushari Municipality Krushari, Bulgaria	6,622 leva		· Center for the Study of Democracy · Reforming the Structures and the Practices of Local Administration Institutions and Establishing a National Infrastructure for Electronic Information Exchange · Sofia, Bulgaria	5,398 leva
Market Economy Institute Regional Policy and Regional Development: Support for the Razgrad Region Razgrad, Bulgaria		\$13,870	· Bulgarian Association for Economic Development · Improving Local Government Administration by Developing and Introducing Specialized Hardware and Software · Dolna Mitropolia, Bulgaria	6,044 leva
Institute for Regional and International Research Developing Bulgarian-Macedonian Relations in Political, Infrastructural, Cultural, and Civil Cooperation Bulgaria	9,337 leva		· University of National and World Economy · New Bulgarian University, Local Government Development Foundation, International Institute of Municipal Clerks · Training Program in Municipal Property Management · Sofia, Bulgaria	71,998 leva
Open Society Club – Vratza Traditional Ways for Recycling and Reducing the Disposal of Waste Vratza, Bulgaria	16,176 leva		· Povik Foundation · Encouraging Civic Participation in Local Government	15,424 leva
Open Society Club – Gabrovo Opening an Anti-corruption Hotline for Complaints Against Local Government Institutions and Officials in the Gabrovo Region Gabrovo, Bulgaria	14,997 leva		· Stefka Angelova and team · Research Study on the Reasons Perpetuating Illegal Construction in Bulgaria · Bulgaria	11,153 leva
			· Partners for the Future Association · Democratization in Local Government · Bulgaria	10,434 leva

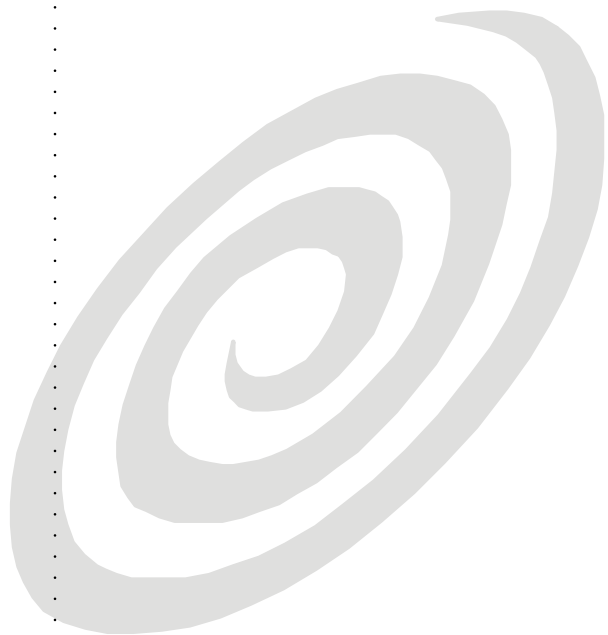
Temporary Donation of Equipment

Regional Development and European Integration Association Facilitating the Cooperation between the Private and the Public Sectors in Preserving and Developing Local Resources Sofia, Bulgaria	2,894 leva
Romani Bach Foundation Encouraging Transparency in the Activity of Social Services and Enhancing Cooperation with the NGO Sector and the Local Community Sofia, Bulgaria	17,817 leva
Bulgarian Association for Economic Education Introducing Modern Practices of Good Governance Pleven, Bulgaria	16,655 leva
Assistant Prof. Lyubomir Hristov Lilov and Team The Civil Society as a Factor in Building Sustainable Communities Perushtitza, Bulgaria	8,722 leva
Ogosta '98 Regional Development Foundation Basic Education and Training Program for 15 Unemployed People from the Local Roma Community Montana, Bulgaria	1,612 leva
Economics 2000 Club New Mechanisms for Allocating Municipal Funds Sofia, Bulgaria	17,860 leva

**Street Children – Children in the Streets Program
A Joint Program of the Open Society Foundation – Sofia,
the King Baudouin Foundation, Belgium, and the World Bank**

Karitas Association A Better World for Street Children Project Bourgas, Bulgaria	13,094 leva
Rada Kirkovich Foundling Home Board of Trustees Establishing a Boarding House for Street Children Plovdiv, Bulgaria	18,517 leva
The Ő Society The Fox and the Little Prince Project Rousse, Bulgaria	18,462 leva
Free and Democratic Bulgaria Foundation New Opportunities for Street Children Project Sofia, Bulgaria	19,209 leva
Gavroche Association Facilitating the Socialization of Street Children Varna, Bulgaria	19,228 leva
Hope Association Knowledgeable Kids School Bourgas, Bulgaria	11,963 leva
Chance and Protection Association Establishing a Day Care Center for Street Children Haskovo, Bulgaria	19,209 leva
Samaritans Humanitarian Foundation Off the Street and Into School Project Stara Zagora, Bulgaria	14,401 leva

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Roma Program

Scholarships in Bulgaria

Joint Competition for Minority Students
Organized by the Roma Program and
the Scholarships Program

Axenia Emilova Chausheva Sofia, Bulgaria	495 leva	Zdravka Dimitrova Yorgova Dupnitsa, Bulgaria	204 leva
Aleko Alekov Assenov Shoumen, Bulgaria	495 leva	Kostadin Georgiev Marinov Sofia, Bulgaria	495 leva
Alexander Kracholov Ivanov Stara Zagora, Bulgaria	306 leva	Christina Atanasova Georgieva Plovdiv, Bulgaria	495 leva
Andrey Ivanov Iliev Varna, Bulgaria	324 leva	Liliana Danailova Karameshineva Sofia, Bulgaria	450 leva
Anelia Ilieva Dancheva Vratza, Bulgaria	300 leva	Margarita Alexandrova Mihaylova Sofia, Bulgaria	495 leva
Aneta Angelova Perova Sliven, Bulgaria	450 leva	Maria Nikolova Markova Bourgaz, Bulgaria	102 leva
Assen Boyanov Minchev Sofia, Bulgaria	495 leva	Milena Ivova Ilieva Sofia, Bulgaria	495 leva
Assen Kirilov Konchev Sofia, Bulgaria	495 leva	Miroslava Mitkova Atanasova Sofia, Bulgaria	153 leva
Billiana Ilieva Raykova Vratza, Bulgaria	150 leva	Kapka Shabanova Georgieva Sofia, Bulgaria	495 leva
Borislav Petrov Borissov Sofia, Bulgaria	300 leva	Zdravko Goranov Zdravkov Sofia, Bulgaria	450 leva
Borislav Petrov Borissov Sofia, Bulgaria	300 leva	Irena Gancheva Hristova Vratza, Bulgaria	895 leva
Valentin Simeonov Blagoev Blagoevgrad, Bulgaria	495 leva	Ivo Apostolov Karamitev Veliko Turnovo, Bulgaria	495 leva
Venelina Pavlova Yurukova Sofia, Bulgaria	450 leva	Paolina Pavlova Asparuhova Sofia, Bulgaria	495 leva
Veronika Gancheva Hristova Sofia, Bulgaria	730 leva	Peter Goranov Ivanov Sofia, Bulgaria	495 leva
Vesselina Ivanova Dimitrova Sliven, Bulgaria	450 leva	Rossen Yosifov Atanasov Varna, Bulgaria	495 leva
Victoria Petrova Borissova Sofia, Bulgaria	357 leva	Sezgin Mumun Bekir Sofia, Bulgaria	495 leva
Darina Milcheva Boshnakova Sofia, Bulgaria	450 leva	Sylvia Vassileva Sasheva Shoumen, Bulgaria	495 leva
Dimiter Strahilov Dimitrov Sofia, Bulgaria	495 leva	Sylvia Stefanova Naydenova Sofia, Bulgaria	300 leva
Dimo Stefanov Atanasov Stara Zagora, Bulgaria	495 leva	Natalia Binkova Uzunova Sofia, Bulgaria	495 leva
Dinko Bankov Atanasov Plovdiv, Bulgaria	495 leva	Natasha Zarkova Assenova Blagoevgrad, Bulgaria	495 leva
Dincer Mustafa Yakub Bourgaz, Bulgaria	495 leva	Nikolay Nenchev Kolchev Sofia, Bulgaria	495 leva
Dian Georgiev Ivanov Stara Zagora, Bulgaria	495 leva	Stela Stefanova Kostova Sofia, Bulgaria	153 leva
Elena Russinova Assenova Vidin, Bulgaria	300 leva	Stefko Mihaylov Borissov Stara Zagora, Bulgaria	204 leva
Emil Yulianov Chukov Blagoevgrad, Bulgaria	495 leva	Tamara Mihaylova Shipova Gabrovo, Bulgaria	495 leva
Zaprian Trifonov Hristov Kurdjali, Bulgaria	642 leva	Todorka Ivanova Dimitrova Sliven, Bulgaria	450 leva
		Tony Nikolaev Chakurov Shoumen, Bulgaria	495 leva
		Hristo Filipov Penchev Vidin, Bulgaria	200 leva
		Yavor Andreev Kirilov Sofia, Bulgaria	495 leva
		Veliana Romanova Chileva Shoumen, Bulgaria	330 leva
		Violeta Dimitrova Draganova Plovdiv, Bulgaria	306 leva
		Zaprian Trifonov Hristov Plovdiv, Bulgaria	300 leva
		Rozalia Boyanova Manevska Svishtov, Bulgaria	328 leva
		Ivan Dimitrov Georgiev Stara Zagora, Bulgaria	204 leva
		Mitko Assenov Iliev Stara Zagora, Bulgaria	204 leva
		American University in Bulgaria Scholarships for Minority Students Studying English at the AUBG – a Joint Program with the Academia Program Blagoevgrad, Bulgaria	7,574 leva

Participation in Forums Abroad

Vereya-Roma Association Participation in an International Music Festival Montpellier, France	942 leva	\$575
Valentin Simeonov Grigorov Roma in the 21st Century Budapest, Hungary		\$160

Forums in Bulgaria

Roma Culture and Education Organization II National Roma Poetry Competition – Shoumen '99 Shoumen, Bulgaria	3,657 leva	
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Trust Nonprofit Association – Vidin Joint Performance of the Drama Group at the Nadezhda Foundling Home and the Theater Company at the Razvitie Community Center within the Month of Roma Culture in Belogradchik Vidin, Lom, Belogradchik, Bulgaria	723 leva	
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Union of Bulgarian Composers Roma Music Concert Sofia, Bulgaria	2,794 leva	
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Project Expenses

SOS Roma Association Establishing a Roma Advisory Center at the Lyulin Residential District Sofia, Bulgaria	6,253 leva	
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Union of Roma Foundations and Associations – Sofia Developing Legal, Social, and Cultural Services at the Kremikovtzi Community Center Sofia, Bulgaria	5,601 leva	
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Mag Chris – Vidin Show Artistic Trio Participation in a National Variety Show Competition – Varna 1999 Varna, Bulgaria	360 leva	
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Peter Georgiev and Team International Roma Day Sofia, Bulgaria	455 leva	
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Advancement Foundation Future Association Establishing a Community Center Pazardjik, Bulgaria	10,845 leva	
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Future for Bulgarian Roma International Foundation Establishing an Advisory Center for Legal, Social, and Employment Services Stara Zagora, Bulgaria	5,489 leva	
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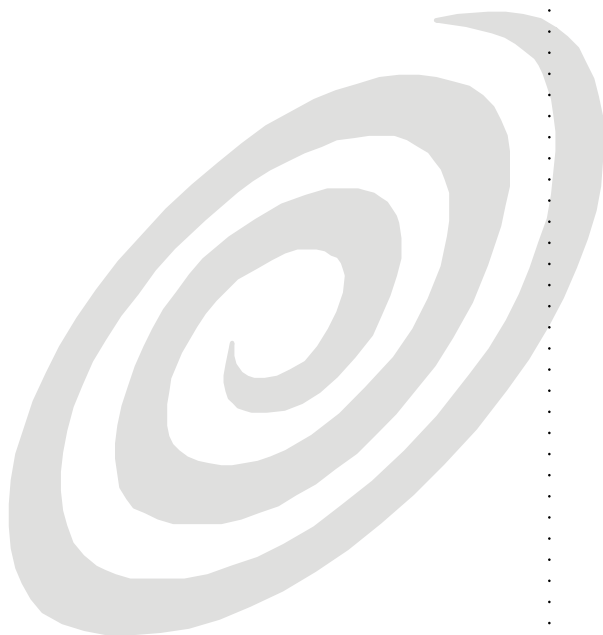
Roma Youth Club – Stolipinovo Intercultural Education – the Netherlands '99 Amsterdam, the Netherlands	11,495 leva	
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Elena Lyubanova Sachkova Education Policies and Ethnic Traditions in Bulgaria 1878-1999 Sofia, Bulgaria	2,267 leva	\$367
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· National Roma Center · Establishing a Roma Community Center · Bulgaria	7,574 leva
· Union of Roma Foundations · and Associations – Sofia · Establishing a Roma Community Center · in the Slatina Municipality · Sofia, Bulgaria	5,700 leva
· United Roma Alliance · Regional Organization – Rossen Village · Hederlezi '99 – Celebration of · the Traditional Roma Day · Rossen Village, Bulgaria	946 leva
· United Roma Alliance · Regional Organization – Haskovo · Establishing an Information · and Support Center · Haskovo, Bulgaria	5,543 leva
· Roma Youth Organization · Center for Roma Integration · Sliven, Bulgaria	11,078 leva
· Iskra Roma Foundation – Shoumen · Establishing a Roma Community Center · Shoumen, Bulgaria	2,866 leva
· Doverie MR Association · Establishing a Roma Community Center · in Loznitza District · Assenovgrad, Bulgaria	7,329 leva
· Roma Women Association – Plovdiv · Roma Rituals and Festive Traditions: · Training Program for Roma Students · at the Pencho Slaveykov School · Plovdiv, Bulgaria	1,127 leva
· Cultural Center for Social Integration · International Festival Participation · Orenburg (Russia), · Bourgas, Stara Zagora, Bulgaria	752 leva
· Nov Put '98 Association · Establishing a Roma Children · Song and Dance Group · Turgovishte, Bulgaria	3,862 leva
· Roma Art Academy Foundation · Roma Art Academy · Sofia, Bulgaria	3,758 leva
· Lozenetz Foundation · VII National and I European Festival of · Roma Music and Song – 1999 · Stara Zagora, Bulgaria	9,000 leva
· Interethnic Human Rights · Initiative Foundation – Sofia · Introducing Roma Assistant Teachers · in Bulgarian Schools · Sofia, Bulgaria	6,069 leva
· Mission-New Generation-Roma Foundation · General and Sexual Health Training · Program for the Inhabitants of · the Roma Neighborhood in Sliven · Sliven, Bulgaria	3,758 leva
· Rominterne – Right to Live Foundation · Roma Art Festival Featuring Roma · Films and Documentaries – Osikovizta '99 · Osikovizta, Bulgaria	1,867 leva

Rominterne – Right to Live Foundation Providing Textbooks and Training Aids for Primary School Students Whose Parents Have Been Institutionalized in the Stara Zagora Correctional Facility Stara Zagora, Bulgaria	2,112 leva	Bulgarian Teachers Syndicate Children of Bulgaria Project Sofia, Bulgaria	1,867 leva
Roma Bureau Foundation – Montana Establishing a Roma Community Center in the Vulchedrum Village Vulchedrum, Bulgaria	7,454 leva	Vassil Vassilev and a Team of Cinematography Students Documentaries Publicizing Roma Culture Sofia, Bulgaria	1,353 leva
Social Protection for Bulgarian Roma Foundation Computer Training for Young Roma Shoumen, Bulgaria	2,637 leva	Romano Drom Foundation Qualification and Employment Opportunities for Roma Sofia, Bulgaria	1,691 leva
Blagovestie Christian Institute Overcoming Prejudice between Bulgarian and Roma Communities in Berkovitz. Limiting the Unemployment of Roma Berkovitz, Bulgaria	6,930 leva	Roma Program Project for Celebrating the International Roma Day	4,343 leva
		Media Development Center Competition for Media Productions on Minority Issues Sofia, Bulgaria	\$20,000

Open Society Foundation Sofia



European and Atlantic Integration Program

Open Society Foundation Sofia

Long-term Scholarships and Fellowships Abroad	
Mariana Hristova Gerenska European Integration and Human Resource Development Bruege, Belgium	\$2,000
Emilia Yordanova Gigova International and European Relations Clairmont Ferrand, France	653 leva \$100
Irina Daskalova Gancheva Master's Degree in European and International Studies Nice, France	\$990
Stanislava Krumova Dragomirova Master's Program in European Studies Leuven, Belgium	\$1,041
Elisaveta Zdravkova Simeonova European Macroeconomics Paris, France	\$3,500
Danka Lekova Todorova European Studies Leipzig, Germany	\$3,000
Stanislava Krumova Dragomirova Master's Program in European Integration Leuven, Belgium	\$2,041
Forums in Bulgaria	
UN Society in Bulgaria UN Decision-making Model Sofia, Bulgaria	3,037 leva
European Youth Movement European Youth Week Bulgaria	5,523 leva
Youth Euroatlantic Society General Assembly of the Young Political Leaders Atlantic Association Sofia, Bulgaria	13,698 leva
Publishing Projects and Support for the Media	
International Law Institute Publishing a Series of Monographs on Judiciary Systems within the EU Sofia, Bulgaria	8,667 leva
Classic FM Radio A Series of Radio Programs on European Integration and EU History Sofia, Bulgaria	16,327 leva
Europe 2001 Magazine 250 Subscriptions Sofia, Bulgaria	5,065 leva
Journalists for European Unity Association Information Newsletter on European Integration Sofia, Bulgaria	4,964 leva
Project Expenses	
ACCESS Association Analysis of the Situation in Yugoslavia Sofia, Bulgaria	11,847 leva \$2100
Social Research Association Problems in the Relations between Local Governments and EU Structures Sofia, Bulgaria	11,693 leva
Balkan Youth Club Our Common Future Project Sofia, Bulgaria	3,017 leva
Dimiter Ivanov Avramov Research on Atlantic Integration and Regional Security Sofia, Bulgaria	662 leva
Museum of History – Plovdiv The Millennial Christian History of Plovdiv Plovdiv, Bulgaria	1,694 leva
Open Society Club – Pleven The Road Towards Europe Pleven, Bulgaria	4,105 leva
Center for Liberal Strategies Analysis of the Situation in Macedonia Sofia, Bulgaria	5,098 leva \$2,000
Arts Studies Institute International Balkan Arts Symposium Plovdiv, Bulgaria	1,169 leva
German Marshall Fund Scholarships for the Bulgarian Fellows Included in a Training Program for Southeastern Europe Washington D.C., USA	\$10,000

Public Health Program

Project Expenses

Bulgarian Samaritan Union Changing the Practices of Treating Tuberculosis Among Convicts Sofia, Bulgaria	18,455 leva
Association of Medical Students International Internship Program for Medical Students Sofia, Bulgaria	10,605 leva
Bulgarian National UNICEF Committee Teaching Values Program for Children with Mental Disabilities Elhovo, Bulgaria	3,499 leva
Bulgarian Red Cross Hotline for Free Psychological Assistance. Significance and Potential in the Transition Period Sofia, Bulgaria	8,750 leva
Dr. M. Marinov and Team Humanizing Hospital Services Veliko Turnovo, Bulgaria	13,212 leva
Assistant Prof. B. Davidov and Team Developing a Healthcare Investment Management System Sofia, Bulgaria	3,728 leva
Open Society Club – Veliko Turnovo Are Healthy People Really Healthy? Veliko Turnovo, Bulgaria	1,000 leva
Open Society Club – Vratza Project for Encouraging Joint Efforts against Drug Abuse Vratza, Bulgaria	5,316 leva
Open Society Club – Stara Zagora Pre-health Reform Training for Medical Staff and Patients in Stara Zagora Region Stara Zagora, Bulgaria	5,039 leva
Dessislav Kostadinov and Team Collecting Information on Donations of Pharmaceuticals, Medical Equipment, and Consumables Donated to Bulgarian Hospitals Sofia, Bulgaria	18,788 leva
Bulgarian NGO Resource Center Medical Evaluation of Army Officers Discharged from Duty Sofia, Bulgaria	19,311 leva

· Topteam Company · Opening a Bulgarian Medical Internet Portal – www.medic.bg · Sofia, Bulgaria	18,771 leva
· Doverie Association · In-house Social Services for Elderly Citizens · Bourgas, Bulgaria	5,471 leva
· Rhodope Mountains Association · Training Program for the Prevention of Postmenopausal Osteoporosis · Smolyan, Bulgaria	1,789 leva
· Association of Bulgarian Broadcasters · Campaign for Increasing Public Awareness of Socially Significant Diseases – 2 · Bulgaria	2,454 leva
· Healthcare and Minorities Foundation · Improving Sanitary and Healthcare Practices and Preventing the Spread of Hereditary Diseases among Members of the Roma Community · Sofia, Bulgaria	12,176 leva
· Caspar Foundation · Counseling and Support Services for People Living with HIV/AIDS · Sofia, Bulgaria	14,093 leva
· Alma Association · Project for Increasing Public Awareness of the Rights of Hospitalized Patients · Sofia, Bulgaria	16,060 leva
· Association of Stomatology Clinics · Project for Providing Healthcare Information to Patients · Plovdiv, Bulgaria	7,202 leva
· Research Team at the Healthcare Information Center of the Ministry of Healthcare · Research on the Public Attitude towards Healthcare Reform Efforts · Sofia, Bulgaria	14,892 leva
· Team of Employees at the Vratza Correctional Facility · Crime Prevention among Drug and Alcohol Addicts · Vratza, Bulgaria	5,410 leva
· Solutions Center – Rousse · Research Study on the Quality of Life of Patients with Chronic Kidney Failure · Rousse, Bulgaria	9,442 leva
Forums in Bulgaria	
· Bulgarian Association on Infertility · I National Symposium on Infertility and Birth Control · Bansko, Bulgaria	2,593 leva
· Bulgarian Anatomy Society · ŐIV Congress of the Bulgarian Anatomy Society · Pleven, Bulgaria	1,110 leva
· Bulgarian Headache Association · First Bulgarian–Italian Symposium on Headache · Varna, Bulgaria	2,811 leva
· Bulgarian Society for Psychological and Social Rehabilitation	3,717 leva

Regional Southeast European Conference on Cognitive and Behavioral Psychotherapy Sofia, Bulgaria		Binka Konstantinova Popova-Ruseva Fellowship in Replantation and Microsurgery Louisville, USA	1,442 leva	
National Society for Aesthetic Surgery and Medicine International Congress on Aesthetic Surgery and Medicine Varna, Bulgaria	1,772 leva	Borislav Mihaylov Kyuchukov The Vitreoretinal Interface in Health and Disease Comparative study with OCT and 3D Echography Ghent, Belgium	657 leva	
Ecoglasnost National Movement „Ecology, Healthcare, Society“ – A Series of Training Seminars for NGO Representatives Sofia, Bulgaria	1,490 leva	Galina Ivanova Kirova-Nedyalkova Computer Tomography Reconstructional Techniques for Evaluating the Dissemination of Lung Carcinoma Marseille, France	707 leva	
First Balkan Conference on Microbiology Steering Committee First Balkan Conference on Microbiology Plovdiv, Bulgaria	3,739 leva	Dancho Petrov Dekov Medical Expertise of Body Trauma and Trauma of the Face St. Petersburg, Russia	353 leva	
Finsys-Hristovich Ltd. National Seminar on the Reform in the Bulgarian Healthcare System Sofia, Bulgaria	3,160 leva	Iveta Gancheva Petrova Master's Program in Cardiology Pisa, Italy	723 leva	
Heart of a Child – Martin Eliot Foundation 34th Regular Congress of the European Pediatric Cardiology Association Sofia, Bulgaria	5,523 leva	Kiril Vurbanov Mladenov Practical Application of the Prognostic Symptoms for Inborn Hip Joint Luxation Paris, France	656 leva	
Publishing Projects				
„Nalya-2“ Ltd. Publishing a Bulgarian-English Medical Dictionary Sofia, Bulgaria	4,000 leva	Krassimit Ivanov Oreshkov Fellowship in Clinical Oncology Nantes, France	667 leva	
Bulgarian Surgeons' Society Support for the Surgery Magazine Sofia, Bulgaria	1,879 leva	Maria Stoycheva Chomarova Fellowship at the Tabucktok Clinic London, UK	\$1,500	
Ministry of Transportation Publishing and Distribution of Specialized Reference Publications: 1. Transport Services for Elderly and Disabled Persons 2. Transportation Policy for the Disabled (translation) Sofia, Bulgaria	4,162 leva	Maya Nikolova Yordanova Alogenic and Autologous Transplantation of Peripheral Stem Cells in Treating Malignant Tumors Berlin, Germany	625 leva	
Emergency Medicine Magazine Publishing Expenses for 1999 Sofia, Bulgaria	3,834 leva	Mihail Mitkov Demirev Fellowship in Anesthesiology Lille, France	646 leva	\$50
Heart and Health Foundation Publishing a Series of Information Brochures on Socially Significant Diseases Designed to Improve the Quality of Life of Elderly Persons Bulgaria	13,484 leva	Nelly Gateva Gateva Fellowship in Pulmonary Pathology Graz, Austria	\$405	
Healthcare Management Magazine Publishing Expenses for 1999 Sofia, Bulgaria	2,453 leva	Nikolay Dimitrov Toporov Fellowship in Surgery Paris, France	859 leva	
Central Medical Library Magazine on Cerebral and Psychiatric Diseases Sofia, Bulgaria	1,650 leva	Pavlina Toteva Draganova Fellowship in Pediatrics and Neonatology Bergen, Norway	1,262 leva	
Long-term Scholarships and Fellowships Abroad				
Angelina Nikolova Vassileva Fellowship in Cardiology Bergamo, Italy	780 leva	Hristo Georgiev Tzekov Fellowship in Liver and Pancreatic Transplantation Paris, France	679 leva	
		Hristo Kamenov Naydenov Application of Antithrombine III in Patients with Severe Sepsis Paris, France	649 leva	
		Julian Ivanov Krushkov Tissue-Ultrasound Evaluation of the Systolic Function of the Left Ventricle of the Heart for Patients with Ischemia Zurich, Switzerland	760 leva	

Stefan Lionov Stefanov Carotid Arteries and Distal Arterial Reconstruction in Diabetes Patients Vienna, Austria	532 leva		Nelly Gancheva Ilieva Fellowship in Anaesthesiology and Intensive Care Be'er Sheva, Israel	606 leva	
Anastasia Petrova Mihaylova Polymorphism of the Genes of NK Cell Receptors in the Tumor Process of Patients with Melanoma Paris, France	669 leva		Nelly Georgieva Zhekova-Pancheva Echocardiography and Dopler Sonography of Newborns with Cardiovascular Problems Bordeaux, France	1,031 leva	
Anna Assenova Kostova-Konstantinova International Course on AIDS and other Sexually Transmitted Diseases Paris, France	585 leva		Nikolay Nikiforov Kovachev Fellowship in Laparoscopic Surgery Paris, France	797 leva	
Anna Nikolova Neykova Internship in Cardiology Turin, Italy	550 leva		Ognian Kostadinov Kulev Fellowship in Neuropathology Vienna, Austria	539 leva	
Borislav Stefanov Sultanov New Methods for Examining the Immunopathological Illness Associated with Uveites Paris, France	748 leva		Parashkeva Georgieva Boyadjieva Research on Autoimmune and Allergic Diseases Copenhagen, Denmark	771 leva	
Georgi Kirilov Kunin Scientific Research on Biochemical Monitoring during Brain Surgery Operations Chicago, USA	1,417 leva		Plamen Hristov Yakovliev Internship in Allergology and Autoimmunology Aalst, Belgium	749 leva	
Dida Dimitrova Kazakova Bronchodilants in Close-angle Glaucoma Milano, Italy		\$345	Raycho Ivanov Kehayov Fellowship in Child Orthopedics Paris, France	666 leva	
Dimiter Georgiev Terziyski Diagnosis and Treatment of Sepsis Conditions and Polytraumatism Be'er Sheva, Israel	606 leva		Rumiana Videnova Alexieva Internship in Endodontics Nantes, France	724 leva	
Dorotea Kirilova Vezeva-Mihaylova Internship in a Pain Treatment Clinic Be'er Sheva, Israel	606 leva		Pharmacy Students' Scientific Society International Exchange Program in Pharmacy: Short-term Fellowships for Pharmacy Students	2,100 leva	
Jasmina Mhaylova Milanova Fellowship in Lung Cancer Treatment Perugia, Italy	838 leva		Stefan Tzenov Ganchev New Methods in Traumatology Israel		\$450
Ilsa Konstantinova Purjeva Overcoming Multiple Drug Resistance Halle, Germany	705 leva	\$59	Stefanka Nikolova Mihova Voice Rehabilitation Paris, France	746 leva	
Iliia Borissov Kyutukchiev International Program in Medicine Tel Aviv, Israel	836 leva		Hristina Dimitrova Naumova Postgraduate Program in Ophthalmology Tel Aviv, Israel	946 leva	
Iliana Hristova Pacheva Fellowship in Pediatrics Edinburgh, UK	812 leva		Hristo Antonov Hadzhiatanasov Fellowship in Intensive Care and Anaesthesiology Be'er Sheva, Israel	606 leva	
Constanza Nikolaeva Alexieva Arthroscopic Treatment of Chronic Humerus Bone Instability Montpellier, France	935 leva		Lyubomir Assenov Damyanov Hristo Atanasov Damyanov Business Seminar in Healthcare Marketing and Management Tampa, USA		\$2,000 \$2,000
Lilyana Dimitrova Chakova-Petrova Application and Monitoring of Ketogenic Diet in Pediatric Epilepsy Baltimore, USA	1,235 leva		Yuri Marinov Petkov Fellowship in Intensive Care and Anaesthesiology Osaka, Japan	1,602 leva	\$20
Marin Atanasov Bozhikov Fellowship in Nephrology, Dialysis and Kidney Transplantation Paris, France	739 leva		Network Harm Reduction Program		
Milena Ivanova Ivanova One-month Internship in a DNA Lab Utrecht, the Netherlands	557 leva		Dose of Love Association Syringe and Needle Exchange Program Bourgas, Bulgaria	12,368 leva	
			Open Society Club – Plovdiv Syringe and Needle Exchange Program Plovdiv, Bulgaria	10,900 leva	

Open Program

Participation in Forums Abroad

Chamber Music Trio 1,686 leva
Days of Bulgarian Culture in Berlin
Berlin, Germany

Forums in Bulgaria

Balkan Ecofederation 1,670 leva
Round-table Discussion on
the Ecologic Situation on the Balkans
Sofia, Bulgaria

Bulgarian Academy of Sciences 1,449 leva
Institute of Folklore
Scientific Conference on Cultural Identity
and Traditions in Northwestern Bulgaria
Chiprovtsi, Bulgaria

Rodolyubie National Club – Sofia 450 leva
National Students' Competition
in Bulgarian History and Culture
Sofia, Bulgaria

Plovdiv Renaissance Association 2,801 leva
Archaeology Documentary Films Festival
Plovdiv, Bulgaria

Bulgarian Academy of Sciences 1,986 leva
6th Bulgarian–American Conference
„Bulgarian Studies on the Eve of
the 21st Century”
Blagoevgrad, Bulgaria

Union of Bulgarian Journalists 2,000 leva
Summer Camp for Children of
Killed Bosnian and Serb Journalists
Bulgaria

Alternative 2000 Foundation 243 leva
Music as a Legend Competition,
European Month of Culture Plovdiv '99
Plovdiv, Bulgaria

Antique Europe Foundation 4,500 leva
8th International Congress in Tracology
Sofia, Bulgaria

Koprivshtitza Foundation 1,878 leva
Participation of Several Folkloric Groups
at the Koprivshtitza '99 Folkloric Festival
Koprivshtitza, Bulgaria

Project Expenses

Bulgarian Academy of Sciences
Museum of Ethnography 1,000 leva
Research on the History, Language, and
Culture of the Godech-Tzaridbrod Region
Bulgaria

Bulgarian Information Society 5,750 leva \$1,260
Research on the Assimilation Policy towards
Bulgarian Turks in the Period 1984–1989
Bulgaria, Turkey

Vassil Yoakimov Balevski 294 leva
The Return of the Modern Slavic
Emigrant Literature: Odysseus Travels Home
Germany

Lyubomir Milchev and Team 379 leva
A Flanker in Sofia –
Documentary Research Project
Sofia, Bulgaria

Emil Ivanov Dimitrov 569 leva \$195
Promotion of the Book „Messembria –
A Bulgarian–Russian Monograph
in Honor of Sergey Averintsev”
Vienna, Austria

Zlatozara Boneva Gocheva 576 leva \$184
Participation in a Work Group on
Compiling a Thesaurus of Antique
Cults and Rituals
Paris, France

Yordan Doychev Yanev 628 leva
Opening a Bulgarian Cultural and
Information Center in Luxembourg
Luxembourg

National Federation of Masquarade
and Carnival Rites and Rituals 12,800 leva
13th International Festival of Masquarade
and Carnival Rites and Rituals
Pernik, Bulgaria

Assumption of Virgin Mary Church 931 leva
Restoration and Conservation of a
13th-century Icon of Virgin Mary and Christ
Varna, Bulgaria

Bulgarian Ecology Society Foundation 5,461 leva
Public Debate on the Consequences of
Radioactive Pollution
Bulgaria

Ecology, Sport, Health Foundation 3,721 leva
Enhancing the Cooperation between
State Institutions, NGOs and Businesses
in Preserving the Natural Environment
of the Rousse Region
Sliven, Bulgaria

St. Theodore Stratilate Monastery
Board of Trustees – Balsha Village 1,892 leva
Mural Painting in the Interior of the
10-12 Century Church of the Monastery
Sofia, Bulgaria

Project Initiated by the Program 5,056 leva
Research on Political Organizations
Established by Bulgarian Emigrants
after September 9, 1944
Sofia, Bulgaria

Cash and Equipment Donations

Bulgarian Academy of Sciences
Institute of Archaeology
Technical Support for Establishing
a Digital Archive of the Institute
Sofia, Bulgaria 2243 leva

A Local Group from the Izgrev Village
Restoration and Reconstruction
of the Local Church
Izgrev Village, Bourgas Region, Bulgaria 3,656 leva

Transfiguration of Christ Church
Support for the Restoration of the Church
Panagyurishte, Bulgaria 1,917 leva

Publishing Projects and Support for the Media

Nota Bene Ltd.
Publishing a Monograph on the
History of the Bulgarian Agrarian Union
Sofia, Bulgaria 933 leva

Oblik Association
Publishing Expenses for the Monthly
Illustrated Magazine „The Insider“
Sofia, Bulgaria 46,310 leva

Slavika Publishers
Publishing the Book „State and
Church in the 13th Century“
Sofia, Bulgaria 1,213 leva

Stigmati Publishers
Publishing a Collection of
Turkish Tales and Legends
Sofia, Bulgaria 3,605 leva

Vector Publishing House
Publishing the Book „Bulgarian-Russian
Cultural Relations in the Renaissance Period“
by Prof. Dr. Nikolay Genchev
Sofia, Bulgaria 1,921 leva

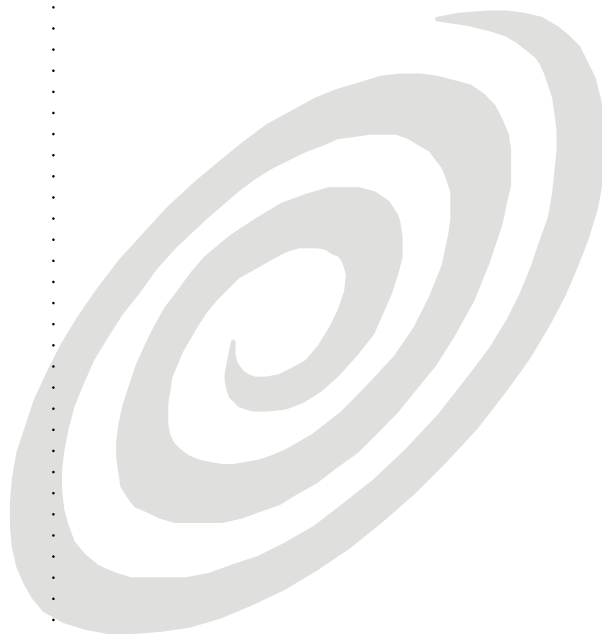
Sonm Publishers
Publishing a Collection of Folkloric
Songs from the Pernik Region
Pernik, Bulgaria 1,010 leva

Fakel Publishing House
Publishing the Book “Chronicles” by
Prof. Guiseppe Del’Agato
Sofia, Bulgaria 1,828 leva

Scientific Society of Bulgarian Studies
Experts in Moldova
Publishing a Collection of Articles on the
History and Culture of the Bulgarian Minority
in Moldova and Ukraine
Chisinau, Moldova \$1,380

Bulgarian National Radio
Radio Programs for Foreign Stations in
Bulgarian, Russian, English, French,
German, Serb, Turkish, Albanian,
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Sofia, Bulgaria 4,802 leva

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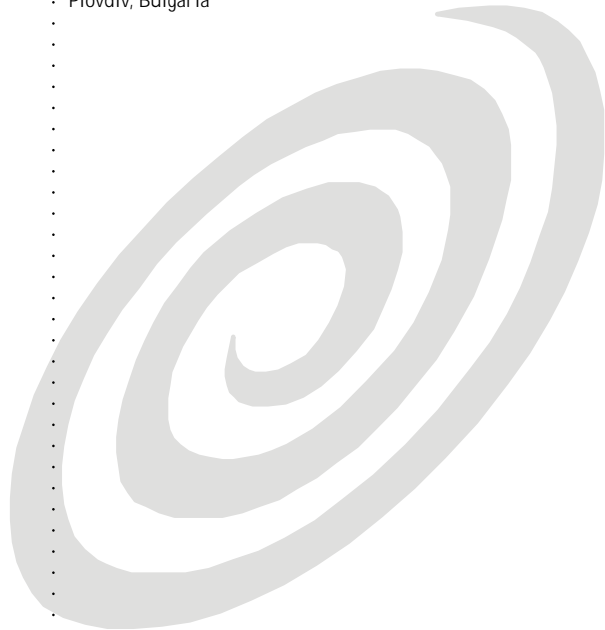
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Alexander Vladimirov Razderski Pavlina Ilieva Kishelieva Economic Development, Crisis, and Regional Cooperation in the Baltic Region St. Petersburg, Russia	561 leva 561 leva	\$140 \$140	· Anelia Wilhelm Dimitrova · Assya Raycheva Kavrakova · Valeryi Penchev Rousanov · Nikolay Evtimov Mladenov · Evelina Petrova Kelbecheva · Ivanka Dimitrova Petkova · Ivaylo Stefanov Dichev · Ivan Yotov Krastev · Lydia Dimitrova Vurbanova · Elena Poptodorova · Ognian Dimitrov Minchev · Pencho Petrov Mihnev · Rumiana Petrova Kolarova · Working Groups on Issues of Crucial · Importance to Southeastern Europe: · An Agenda for 21st Century · Budapest, Hungary	920 leva 920 leva 920 leva 301 leva 920 leva 920 leva 755 leva 889 leva 789 leva 301 leva 592 leva 920 leva	\$40 \$40 \$40 \$33 \$65 \$37 \$40 \$40 \$38 \$65 \$36 \$40
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Alexander Stoyanov Stoyanov New Economic Factors and Institutions in Central Europe Budapest, Hungary	336 leva	\$25	· ACCESS Association · Visit of Bulgarian Journalists to Moldova · Chisinau, Moldova	376 leva 376 leva	\$113 \$113
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Anelia Atanasova Bozhkova Boyko Kirilov Rangelov Galina Toneva Pirovska Emilia Hristova Kostakieva Zheko Nikolov Stanev Ivan Nikolov Nikov Madlen Ananieva Georgieva Margarita Alexandrova Harbova Rashko Mihaylov Robev Svetoslav Gerasimov Tzvetkov Tzacho Minkov Tzachev Erosion and Preservation of the Cultural and Historical Heritage along the Trans-european Corridor No 8 Golem, Albania	\$287 \$287 \$287 \$287 \$287 \$287 \$287 \$287 \$287 \$287 \$287		· Atanaska Kovacheva Ivanova · Lilliana Zhelyova Kovacheva · Slavka Russinova Petrakieva · Snezhana Radkova Ivanova · Svetlana Andreeva Vassileva · Romani Women and Public Policies: · Romania, Bulgaria, Macedonia, Yugoslavia · Bucharest, Romania · Biliiana Yordanova Baleva · Diana Todorova Yordanova · Monica Yankova Kostadinova · Life Experiences from the · Decade of Transition · Timisoara, Romania	368 leva 368 leva 364 leva 341 leva 340 leva	\$25 \$25 \$25 \$25 \$25
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Yordanka Petrova Vulcheva-Stankova	840 leva	\$50	Stanka Peneva Miteva	238 leva	\$87
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Martin Bozhidarov Dinkov	940 leva	\$69	Emilia Konstantinova Kissimova	1,018 leva	\$50
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Milka Stefanova Semova	604 leva	\$109	Darina Bozhidarova Milanova	581 leva	\$40
Junior Achievement International Student Camp: Economic Co-operation in Central and Eastern Europe Riga, Latvia			Pavel Kirilov Malinov	581 leva	\$40
Valeryi Penchev Rousanov	49 leva	\$600	Training Workshop for People Living with HIV/AIDS St. Petersburg, Russia		
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Katia Kuncheva Kuncheva	810 leva	\$150	Marina Kostadinova Kostova	386 leva	\$25
Lyuben Karavelov Marinov	546 leva	\$150	Summer School in Demography and Geodemography Prague, the Czech Republic		
Maria Sotirova Sotirova	368 leva	\$150	Diana Ivanova Iskreva	1,053 leva	\$121
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Vanina Dimitrova Bozhikova	369 leva	\$73	Dimitrina Yankova Mihaylova	775 leva	\$25
Irina Dimitrova Durlianova	369 leva	\$74	Irina Petrovna Zaharieva	1054 leva	\$25
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Vassil Stoyanov Chaprazov	45 leva	\$70	Dimitar Kostadinov Kamburov	872 leva	
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Third International Conference of Directors and Chief Editors of Roma Media Ohrid, Macedonia			Life without Violence: Expanding the Network against Male Violence Skopje, Macedonia		
Victoria Dimitrova Tomova		\$212	Elena Petrova Andonova	461 leva	\$25
Margarita Simeonova Kyurkchieva		\$231	Round-table Discussion on Teaching and Developing Case Studies in Central and Eastern Europe Kiev, Ukraine		
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Seminar in Bohemian Studies Prague, the Czech Republic			Peter Nikolaev Nikolov	26 leva	\$25
Gayane Garabed Minasian	1,275 leva	\$84	Young Political Leadership Seminar Ohrid, Macedonia		
Svetlana Koleva Alexandrova	1,275 leva	\$85			
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Development of the NGO Sector: Possibilities for Fund-raising Warsaw, Poland					
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Mariana Malinova Velikova	439 leva	\$25			
Creating Positive Images of Roma in the Media Prague, the Czech Republic, Ť õäää					
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Iveta Petkova Todorova Demons, Ghosts, and Witches: Folk Mythology Budapest, Hungary	365 leva	\$77	· Ognian Georgiev Lipovski · Grassroots Initiatives and the State: · International Discussion Forum · Prague, the Czech Republic	562 leva	\$40
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Yordan Angelov Baev Poland 1986-1989: The End of the Communist System Warsaw, Poland	430 leva	\$40	· Plamen Mateev Makariev · Dialogue between Civilizations · Moscow, Russia	546 leva	\$75
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Yochka Tzakova Anastasova Strategic Bases for the Development of Adult Education Tallinn, Estonia	1,245 leva	\$25	· Union for the Protection of · the Environment · Trilateral Conference · Bulgaria-Macedonia-Albania · Skopje, Macedonia	1,630 leva	\$846
Lyubomira Alexandrova Kolcheva Developing Borderline Areas in Southeastern Europe Budapest, Hungary	317 leva	\$34	· Tonia Nedelcheva Yordanova · Challenges and Solutions in · the Post-Privatization Period · Ohrid, Macedonia	50 leva	\$25
Marin Petrov Lesenski The Impact of the Totalitarian Past on New Democracies in Central and Eastern Europe Chisinau, Moldova	364 leva	\$130	· Tzvetan Georgiev Momekov · Cooperation between the Council of Europe · and NGOs in Central and Eastern Europe · and the Former Soviet Union · Novosibirsk, Russia	719 leva	\$100
Milena Georgieva Stateva The Magdalena Project: Training Seminar on Trafficking in Women and Forced Prostitution Timisoara, Romania	389 leva	\$64	· Julian Dinev Atanasov · Liberalism: The Future of Social Justice? · Prague, the Czech Republic	440 leva	\$45
Milena Ivanova Stoycheva International Meeting of European Junior Achievement Directors Vilnius, Lithuania	1,415 leva	\$25	Forums in Bulgaria		
Nadia Bozhidarova Kozhuharova Achievements and Challenges in Anti-Trafficking Campaigns in Central and Eastern Europe Warsaw, Poland	417 leva	\$45	· Apos Association – Lovech · Volunteers' Support for · the Re-socialization of Convicts · Lovech, Bulgaria	8,202 leva	
Nadia Georgieva Boyazhieva Kostadin Ivanov Grozev Christian Plamenov Roussev Intensive Training Course in European Law Torun, Poland	355 leva 355 leva 263 leva	\$93 \$93 \$93	· Union of Roma · Foundations and Associations · Establishing a Balkan Roma Federation · Sofia, Bulgaria	32,668 leva	
Nevena Milanova Pargova Youth Activities Development in Central and Eastern Europe Drushkinkaj, Lithuania	714 leva	\$145	· Citizen Association · International Conference · on Dissidents' Vocabulary · Sofia, Bulgaria	16,664 leva	
Nikolay Evtimov Mladenov Southeast European Policy Institute Network Meeting Budapest, Hungary	969 leva	\$25	· Association for the Protection of · the Environment – Kyustendil · Ecology School · Kovachevtzi, Bulgaria	23,394 leva	
Nikolay Evtimov Mladenov Shall We Coordinate Ourselves? Regional NGO Information Network Skopje, Macedonia	50 leva	\$25	· Association for Minority Research · Minorities in Dobrudja and Galicia · Dobrich, Silistra, Bulgaria	13 668 leva	
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			· Bulgarian Academy of Sciences · Institute of Literature · The Languages of European Modernity · Sofia, Bulgaria	9,175 leva	

Institute for Regional and International Research The Policy Agenda of Southeastern Europe on the Eve of 21st Century Varna, Bulgaria	43,126 leva		· ACCESS Association · Research Findings on Media Images of the "Other" in the Balkans · Sofia, Bulgaria	7,580 leva
NGOs Against Poverty Information Center Southeast European Regional Forum for Poverty Eradication Sofia, Bulgaria	19,447 leva		· Charity Hospice Foundation · Planning Your Own Future: Training Seminar on Organization Development for NGOs Working with Elderly Citizens · Sofia, Bulgaria	21,822 leva
St. Kliment Ohridki University of Sofia Department of History and Theory of Culture International Conference: "Talking History" Kiten, Bulgaria	6,980 leva		· Values Foundation · Annual Lectures in Honor of Galina Starovoirova · Sofia, Bulgaria	30,791 leva
New Bulgarian University Music and Performing Arts Department International Conference "Rock-cut Megalithic Monuments: Problems and Ways of Solving Them" Sofia, Bulgaria	43,908 leva		· History Foundation · The White Russian Emigration in Bulgaria and the Bulgarian Cultural Process · Sofia, Bulgaria	7,599 leva
Union for the Protection of the Environment Partnership Conference Bulgaria-Macedonia-Albania: Nature-friendly Agriculture, Re-cultivation and Recovery of Damaged Terrain along the European Corridor No 8 Sofia, Bulgaria	18,427 leva		· Free and Democratic Bulgaria Foundation · Journalists' Exchange between Bulgaria and Macedonia · Sofia, Bulgaria	23,699 leva
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Union of Scientific Medical Associations in Bulgaria Principles of Risk Assessment Varna, Bulgaria	9,623 leva		· Center for the Study of Democracy · Coalition Building and Monitoring in Anti-Corruption: Strategies and Impact in Central and Eastern Europe · Varna, Bulgaria	18,650 leva
Academic Vazov Society The Literatures of Bulgaria and Macedonia: Similarities and Conflicts Sofia, Bulgaria	7,915 leva		· Media Development Center · International Conference: · Are the State Electronic Media in Bulgaria, Albania and Macedonia Really Independent? · Sofia, Bulgaria	12,548 leva
St. Kliment Ohridski University of Sofia Department of Primary and Pre-school Teaching Integration of Socially Disadvantaged Children Kiten, Bulgaria	16,552 leva		· Projects Initiated by the Program · Summer University · Europe and the Balkans: · Imaging Institutions, · Institutionalizing Images · Plovdiv, Bulgaria	50,915 leva \$4,726

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Anna Ivanova Bozhidarova	316 leva	\$160
Diana Georgieva Videva	307 leva	\$170
Evgenia Prokopieva Kiranova	296 leva	\$160
Zhivka Ganeva Marinova	296 leva	\$170
Maria Stoyanova Zagorska	296 leva	\$170
Pavlina Kirilova Filipova	296 leva	\$170
Radka Genkova Vulkova	281 leva	\$170
Rumiana Ivanova Ilieva	296 leva	\$165

Second Seminar under the Project „Women's Rights Are Human Rights. Step by Step”
Budapest, Hungary

Anna Ivanova Bozhidarova	324 leva	\$180
Diana Georgieva Videva	323 leva	\$180
Evgenia Prokopieva Kiranova	299 leva	\$180
Zhivka Ganeva Marinova	299 leva	\$180
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Radka Genkova Vulkova	299 leva	\$180
Rumiana Ivanova Ilieva	299 leva	\$180

Third Seminar under the Project „Women's Rights Are Human Rights. Step by Step”
Budapest, Hungary

Vania Peneva Stratieva	125 leva	\$140
Velina Nikolova Kostova	150 leva	\$140
Diana Georgieva Videva	150 leva	\$140

NGO Exchange Program
Begrade, Yugoslavia

Iljana Nikolova Dimitrova	365 leva	\$113
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Women Against Violence Training Program
Budapest, Hungary

Irina Nikolova Muleshkova		\$878
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Participation in the Session of the UN Committee on Economic, Social, and Cultural Rights
Geneva, Switzerland

Kalinka Ivanova Slivkova	1,347 leva	\$113
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NGO Exchange Program at the National Anti-Violence Center
Ulan Bator, Mongolia

Stanimira Rangelova Hadjimitova	90 leva	\$402
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Stability Pact Gender Task Force
Sarajevo, Bosnia and Herzegovina

Equipment Donations

Anna Ivanova Bozhidarova	5,652 leva
Diana Georgieva Videva	5,497 leva
Evgenia Prokopieva Kiranova	5,512 leva
Zhivka Ganeva Marinova	5,524 leva
Maria Stoyanova Zagorska	5,512 leva
Pavlina Kirilova Filipova	5,524 leva
Radka Genkova Vulkova	5,602 leva
Rumiana Ivanova Ilieva	5,599 leva
Donation of Computer Equipment under the Project „Women's Rights Are Human Rights. Step by Step”	

Publishing Projects

Virga and Co. Publishing House „P. S.” Magazine for Gender Integration Sofia, Bulgaria	9,707 leva
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Scholarships

Anna Ivanova Bozhidarova	2,251 leva
Diana Georgieva Videva	2,240 leva
Evgenia Prokopieva Kiranova	2,232 leva
Zhivka Ganeva Marinova	2,234 leva
Maria Stoyanova Zagorska	2,252 leva
Pavlina Kirilova Filipova	2,238 leva
Radka Genkova Vulkova	2,244 leva
Rumiana Ivanova Ilieva	2,247 leva

Full One-year Scholarships under the Project „Women's Rights Are Human Rights. Step by Step”

Forums in Bulgaria

National Conference of Bulgarian NGOs Addressing Women's Issues Workshops Sofia, Bulgaria	7,249 leva
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Project Expenses

Democratic Women's Union – Silistra Women in a Changing World – Training of Trainers Healthcare Program for Minority Women Silistra, Bulgaria	11,038 leva
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Hope Association – Vidin Healthcare Training for Roma Women Vidin, Bulgaria	5,636 leva
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Change for the Children Association Training of Trainers Healthcare Program for Minority Women Dobrich, Bulgaria	5,512 leva
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Women for Dignity Union Let's Make Formal Rights Real Sofia, Bulgaria	12,623 leva
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Bulgarian Gender Studies Foundation Campaign for Providing Free Legal Services to Bulgarian Women Bringing Cases of Violence to Court Sofia, Bulgaria	12,733 leva
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Values Foundation Exchange Training Program for Women Leaders in Southeastern Europe Establishing a Network for Training Women Leaders Ljubljana, Slovenia	12,037 leva
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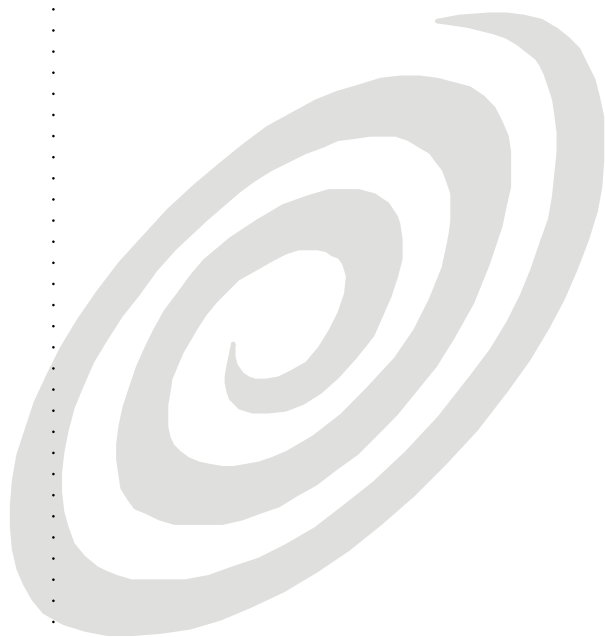
Master's and Doctoral Programs

Anton Antonov Nakov Master's Program in Economics Budapest, Hungary	313 leva	\$90	Ventzislav Penchev Penchev Master's Program in Economics Budapest, Hungary	308 leva	\$90
Assen Stoyanov Gasharov Master's Program in Ecology Budapest, Hungary	315 leva	\$90	Vessela Dimitrova Vassileva Master's Program in Social Sciences Warsaw, Poland	364 leva	\$107
Biliana Raycheva Raycheva Master's Program in Economics Budapest, Hungary	309 leva	\$90	Viara Georgieva Djoreva Master's Program in Political Sciences Warsaw, Poland	386 leva	\$107
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Valentin Marinov Marinov Master's Program in Economics Budapest, Hungary	311 leva	\$90	Damyana Savov Stanchev Master's Program in Political Sciences Budapest, Hungary	323 leva	\$90
Vassil Petrov Vassilev Master's Program in Ecology Budapest, Hungary	315 leva	\$50	Daniela Vassileva Kalkandjieva Doctoral Program in History Budapest, Hungary	551 leva	\$90
Vassilena Simeonova Parashkevova Master's Program in Social Sciences Warsaw, Poland	384 leva	\$107	Darin Nikolaev Stefanov Master's Program in Nationalism Budapest, Hungary	324 leva	\$90
			Desislava Svetozarova Dragomirova Master's Program in Economics Budapest, Hungary	312 leva	\$90
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			Elisaveta Stefanova Marinkeva Master's Program in History Budapest, Hungary	324 leva	\$90
			Zornitza Kirilova Pavlova Master's Program in Economics Budapest, Hungary	307 leva	\$90
			Ivaylo Zafirov Zafirov Master's Program in Ecology Budapest, Hungary	315 leva	\$90
			Ivan Borissov Spassov Master's Program in Political Sciences Budapest, Hungary	313 leva	\$90
			Igor Igorievich Valentovich Master's Program in Political Sciences Budapest, Hungary	311 leva	\$90
			Ilin Zhelev Stanev Master's Program in Political Sciences Budapest, Hungary	322 leva	\$90

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Krassimir Tanev Atanasov Master's Program in Economics Budapest, Hungary	314 leva	\$90		Svetla Vassileva Vitanova Master's Program in Economics Budapest, Hungary	314 leva	\$90
Krassimira Emilova Yordanova Master's Program in Economics Budapest, Hungary	324 leva	\$90		Svetla Velcheva Hristeva Master's Program in Economics Budapest, Hungary	313 leva	\$90
Margarita Kirilova Poromanska Master's Program in Ecology Budapest, Hungary	538 leva	\$90		Svetla Venelinova Balutzova Doctoral Program in History Budapest, Hungary		\$464
Maria Eneva Bakalova Master's Program in Nationalism Budapest, Hungary	322 leva	\$90		Svetlana Dimitrova Hristova Master's Program in Social Sciences Warsaw, Poland	381 leva	\$107
Maria Manolova Jurnalova Master's Program in Comparative Constitutional Law Budapest, Hungary		\$90		Stanimira Stoycheva Stoycheva Master's Program in Nationalism Budapest, Hungary	314 leva	\$90
Mila Nikolova Mancheva Doctoral Program in History Budapest, Hungary	347 leva	\$90		Stanislav Ganev Bozhkov Master's Program in Economics Budapest, Hungary	324 leva	\$90
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Nikolay Andreev Andreev Master's Program in Social Science Warsaw, Poland	386 leva	\$125		Stoyanka Vulcheva Petrova Master's Program in Economics Budapest, Hungary	309 leva	\$90
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Peter Gospodinov Iliev Master's Program in Economics Budapest, Hungary	314 leva	\$90		Tzvetalina Ivanova Petrova Master's Program in International Relations and European Studies Budapest, Hungary	277 leva	
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Petia Ivanova Ivanova-Radovanova Module Training Course in Ecology Budapest, Hungary	329 leva	\$50		<i>Short-term Scholarships and Fellowships</i>		
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Communication Foundation
Internet Training for NGOs –
Third Stage of the Project
„Sustainable Development and
the Democratic Network Program“
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Covering the Problem of Licensing
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Folklore Music
Sofia, Bulgaria 5,538 leva

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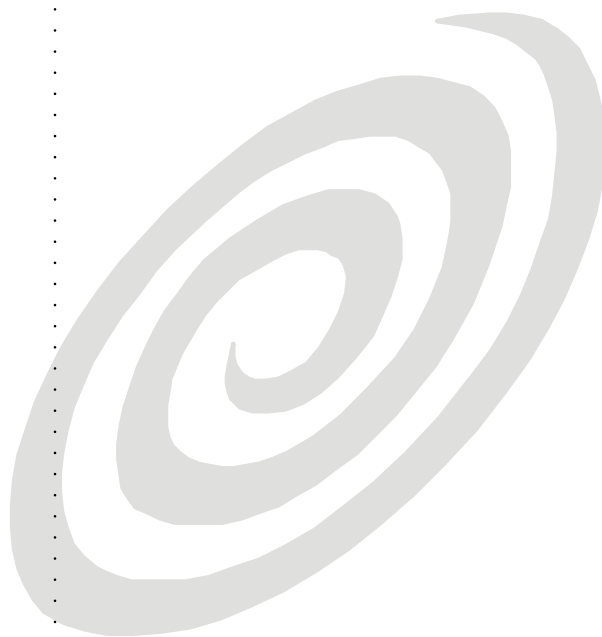
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1st English Language School – Varna, Bulgaria	323 leva	Aleko Konstantinov Elementary School – Plovdiv, Bulgaria	686 leva
Ivan Vazov High School – Svilengrad, Bulgaria	291 leva	Nancho Popovich High School of Mathematics – Shoumen, Bulgaria	444 leva
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Peter Beron High School – Svilengrad, Bulgaria	344 leva	Peyo Yavorov Secondary School – Plovdiv, Bulgaria	162 leva
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Network Education Programs

Reading and Writing for Critical Thinking Program

Program spending for 1999: \$27,000 (provided by the Open Society Institute – New York, and the Open Society Foundation – Sofia).

In the first year of this three-year program 30 Bulgarian schoolteachers and university professors were trained under the guidance of US lecturers. The RWCT qualification program was developed by educators from the International Reading Association, the University of Northern Iowa, and the William and Mary College. Following the train-the-trainer model, the participants mastered new teaching methods and strategies for encouraging independent learning, critical thinking and problem solving. The Bulgarian trainers formed teams and organized a series of demonstration seminars in Veliko Turnovo, Pernik, Pleven, Plovdiv, Razgrad, Silistra, Stara Zagora, and Sofia, which brought together nearly 250 schoolteachers, headmasters,

university professors, and representatives of the Ministry of Education and Science and the Regional Inspectorates on Education. The trainers continued their work among their students and prepared a portfolio of the program offering a description of its methods and strategies, as well as sample texts in different subject areas, adapted to the learning needs of different age groups. The American volunteers conducted additional seminars and lectures in Pleven and in Sofia with another 50 educators and 50 students at the New Bulgarian University and the St. Kliment Ohridski University of Sofia.

A small library of English language publications on various problems of education was established under the program to meet the needs of schoolteachers, university professors, students, and professionals in this field.

Undergraduate Exchange Program

Program spending for 1999: \$70,000 (provided by the Open Society Institute – New York, and related US universities and colleges).

The program offers one-year scholarships for studies in US universities and colleges. In the academic year 1999/2000 the scholarship students of the program included: Alexandina Zanova (St. Kliment Ohridski University of Sofia) at the University of Montana, Gergana Georgieva (St. Kliment Ohridski University of Sofia) at the State University of New York College Oswego, Hristina Ninova (St. Kliment Ohridski University of Sofia) at the University of Wisconsin – Eau Claire. Students receive a scholarship, which covers travel expenses to the United States and all other education related expenses (tuition, accommodation and food, textbooks, medical insurance, personal expenses, orientation).

Secondary School Scholarships for Studies in the USA or the UK

Program spending for 1999: \$100,000 (provided by the Open Society Institute – New York, the Rotary International, ASSIST, CCI, CHI, Syracuse University, Choate Rosemary Hall, West Chester University, Olomouc University, Headmasters' Conference Projects in Central and Eastern Europe).

In a highly contested competition 29 students from 11 foreign language teaching high schools around Bulgaria received scholarships to study under 8 programs in the USA and the UK for one academic year (15 students), one semester (6 students), 6 weeks (8 students). Students receive scholarships covering travel expenses and all education related expenses (tuition, accommodation and food, textbooks, medical insurance, personal expenses).

Open Society Information Network

In 1999 the Foundation continued to support the network of Open Society Information Centers in partnership with the 13 Open Society Clubs, the American University in Bulgaria – Vidin Office, the Ecohorizons Foundation – Silistra, the Center for Youth and Students Initiatives – Shoumen, and the Trakia-J Foundation – Dimitrovgrad.

The 18 Open Society Information Centers play an important role in publicizing the activity of OSF – Sofia and the Network Programs of the Open Society Institute. The accent in information services is placed on education that traditionally focuses public attention. In 1999 the Open Society Information Centers also provided a variety of services to increase awareness of the opportunities for cooperation between NGOs and local governments.

The network of information centers supported the newly established Bulgarian Association for Regional Development (BARD), which was instituted by the Open Society Clubs.

In 1999 the information centers administered the EU Partnership Program and continued to mediate between potential applicants and the Soros Center for the Arts, the Media Development Center, the Bulgarian NGO Resource Center and the Raina Kabaivanska Charity Foundation.

Bulgarian and international NGOs, educational institutions, cultural centers and donors rely on the experience of the Open Society Information Network to publicize their programs, competitions, projects, and other funding opportunities. More than 20 consultants around the country offer regular consultations to individuals, organize regional information seminars and promotions, and cooperate with the local media.

The Open Society Information Centers continued to administer and monitor the Phare–Democracy Microprojects Program and the Phare Culture Program (in cooperation with the Soros Center for the Arts).

Each of the centers offers free consultations and reference publications in the following areas:

- education in Bulgaria and abroad;
- NGO development;
- international and European funding programs.

In 1999 the Open Society Foundation – Sofia continued to publish printed and electronic materials – brochures, guides, newsletters. The Foundation’s web site was restructured and updated to provide relevant and accessible information on OSF’s priorities, activities and competitions. The circulation of the by-weekly newsletter of the Foundation was reduced, while the number of people reading its electronic version at www.osf.bg/osfpres multiplied.

Raina Kabaivanska Charity Foundation

In 1999 the activity of the Raina Kabaivanska Charity Foundation was focused in the following areas:

- **Funding special music classes for talented children** in first to fourth grade, who have been selected from orphanages all over the country. The 36 scholarship students of the Foundation live in the Rada Kirkovich Foundling Home in Plovdiv and, along with their primary school lessons in a local school, attend music classes at the Dobrin Petkov Secondary School of Music. Two full-time instructors assist the children in their studies of music and voice practice. In addition, the Foundation organized visits to concerts, performances and exhibitions.

- **Further supporting the development of the folklore groups and bands at the Rada Kirkovich Foundling Home**, which have already made significant progress. In 1999 the little artists included in these groups had successful public performances in Plovdiv and in Sofia.

- **Selecting talented children who have a pronounced sense of music for the new school year**. Professors at the Dobrin Petkov School of Music visited all the orphanages for preschool children in the country and selected 10 first-graders, who already attend classes in a general education school in Plovdiv and in the Dobrin Petkov School of Music;

- **Supporting underprivileged children**. The Foundation organized a competition and supported 45 school students and 27 university students who received scholarships covering tuition, individual lessons, and the purchase of materials needed for their studies in the arts (singing, playing different musical instruments, voice practice, painting, iconography, drama). The support granted by the Foundation amounts to a total of 23,000 leva.

- **Providing musical instruments to talented children**. Seven children and young musicians received musical instruments to pursue their music

education. This temporary donation was made possible by the Raina Kabaivanska Charity Foundation and the generous contribution of the International Women's Club.

- **Participating in the International Lend-a-hand Campaign** aimed at attracting volunteers willing to support children in need;

- **Supporting art groups at foundling homes;**

- **Offering additional humanitarian assistance** (shoes, clothes, toys, books, etc.);

Zornitza Zagorova, scholarship student of the Foundation, continued her education in opera singing at the Academy of Music in Osimo, Italy, with the support of Ms. Raina Kabaivanska.

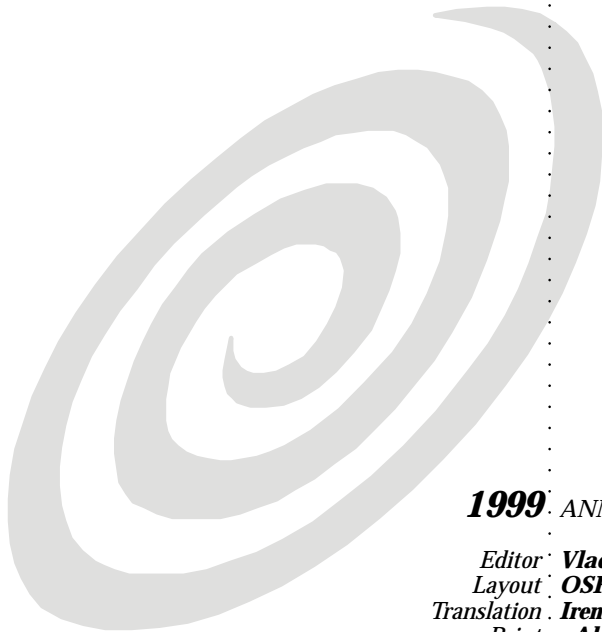
In July the Foundation organized charity concerts of Ms. Raina Kabaivanska during the European Month of Culture in Plovdiv and the International Music Festival "Varna Summer" in Varna. The concerts also featured Zornitza Zagorova, Mariana Tzvetkova, Konstantin Yankov and Kiril Todorov.

Scholarship Students

Albena Eliteva Mecheva	120 leva	Boril Vidlov Evlogiev	350 leva
Alexandra Nikolova Petrova	250 leva	Boriana Stoyanova Vidulova	490 leva
Anelia Ivanova Ivancheva	96 leva	Boyan Raynov Russinov	420 leva
Antoaneta Antonova Advokatova	300 leva	Vassil Petrov Enchev	500 leva
Anton Zlatev Velev	365 leva	Vladimira Georgieva Stefanova	250 leva
Bisser Evlogiev Nikolov	250 leva	Vyara Lyubirova Dimitrova	250 leva
Bozhidar Nikolaev Minkov	360 leva	Galia Dimitrova Vassileva	96 leva
		Georgi Konstatinov Nosov	150 leva

Damian Yordanov Parushev	306 leva		Nikolay Georgiev Kanev	816 leva
Daniela Todorova Peneva	336 leva		Nikolay Dimitrov Zahariev	400 leva
Desislava Grigorova Sinapova	509 leva		Nikolay Dimitrov Kolev	200 leva
Diana Alexandrova Kuncheva	100 leva		Nikolay Petkov Petkov	420 leva
Diana Ivanova Dimova	96 leva		Ognian Slavchev Ivanov	600 leva
Dima Valierieva Dimitrova	240 leva		Orlin Petrov Dimitrov	215 leva
Donika Borissova Simeonova	400 leva		Petia Dimitrova Ivanova	916 leva
Evgenia Evgenieva Staykova	400 leva		Roman Plamenov Mihaylov	600 leva
Elitza Rumenova Neshevska	916 leva		Rostislav Petrov Davidov	280 leva
Zornitza Dimitrova Barkova	200 leva		Rositza Hristova Pavlova	458 leva
Zornitza Ivanova Goranova	600 leva	\$648	Sylvia Evgenieva Evtimova	168 leva
Ivaylo Valentinov Vulkov	390 leva		Sylvia Stoyanova Pavlova	200 leva
Ivan Mladenov Yonkov	400 leva		Slaviana Lyubomirova Georgieva	360 leva
Ioanna Lyubomirova Vurbanova	300 leva		Stefka Ivanova Ivancheva	200 leva
Yordan Kostadinov Dimitrov	200 leva		Stefcho Dimitrov Tashev	250 leva
Yordan Slavov Yordanov	400 leva		Stoyan Vassilev Bundzhulov	250 leva
Kalin Ivanov Ivanov	289 leva		Tania Alexandrova Kozlova	400 leva
Kalin Trifonov Trifonov	110 leva		Teodora Valerieva Dimitrova	168 leva
Katia Andreeva Andreeva	200 leva		Tomislav Radev Enchev	200 leva
Kiril Georgiev Zhelev	168 leva		Tonka Todorova Tzvetkova	150 leva
Kremena Mitkova Miteva	150 leva		Tukur Osman Saad	60 leva
Leon Petiov Babachev	300 leva		Tzveta Vidlova Evlogieva	350 leva
Lyubov Lyubomirova Dimitrova	250 leva			
Margarita Ivanova Stoykova		\$1,000	Temporary Donation of Musical Instruments	
Marin Stefanov Shindev	120 leva		Oksana Necheva Georgieva	95 leva
Maria Atanasova Atanasova	180 leva		violin	
Maria Valerieva Trifonova	490 leva		Kalin Ivanov Ivanov	600 leva
Maria Stefanova Stefanova	195 leva		trombone	
Martina Hristova Boycheva	200 leva		Teodora Valerieva Dimitrova	\$1,000
Mila Stefanova Dolashka	250 leva		violin	
Milena Evgenieva Staykova	545 leva		Stefka Ivanova Ivancheva	86 leva
Mira Hristova Yaneva	360 leva		tamboura	
Nadia Gospodinova Dobrikova	200 leva		Marin Stefanov Shindev	\$1,000
			trumpet	

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