



The Balkan Rural Development Network in South Eastern Europe and way ahead



Tasks

- Presentation of networking initiatives in the Balkan
- Presentation of BRDN Statut
- Defining recommendations for Pristina Agenda 2013
- Defining Operational plan of BRDN



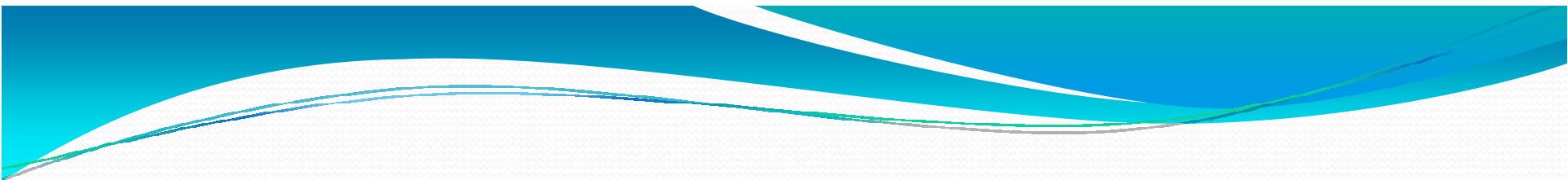
Presentation of networking initiatives in the Balkan

- Rural network of Kosovo is established
- In BiH very soon will be established network
- Both networks have shown a desire to become members of BRDN



Conclusions

- The need for comprehensive action plan for the period 2015-2017 as well as BRDN programming documents has been identified and in upcoming period they will be developed and used to accelerate the activities of the BRDN.
- The detailed Operational plan for 2014 has been developed in order to pursue the way ahead about the BRDN.
- Inclusiveness and openness to all National Rural Networks from the SEE countries has been acknowledge as a core principle of BRDN.

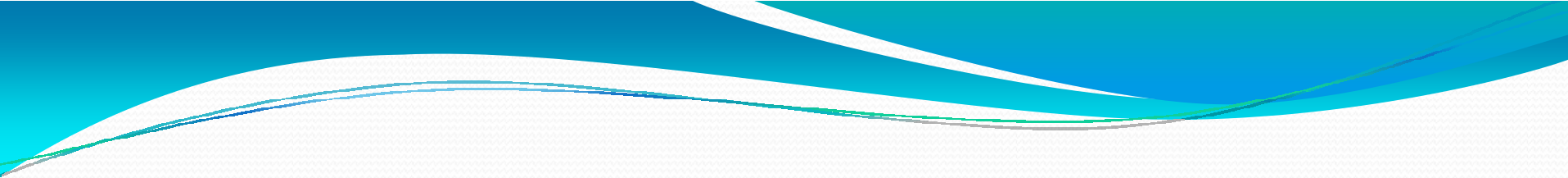


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- The BRDN express its willingness for collaboration and cooperation with EU and other international rural networks.
- The BRDN in the upcoming period will start within the promotional campaign regarding the importance of the livelihood of the rural areas in the Balkan region.
- The Forum recommends the need for intensification of the process for close cooperation and dialogue among the civil sector and Government institutions regarding rural development.

Operational plan of BRDN for 2014

	Activity	Person responsible	Time frame	Location
1	Assembly meetings of BRDN	SWG HQ/Bogdanka	From December 2013 – September 2014	
			1 st in December 2013	?
			2 nd in March/April 2014	Montenegro
			3 rd June 2014	?
2	BRDN Action plan for 3 years	Petar & Dragan	June 2014	
3	Website	Ratko	Februar 2014	
4	Promotional activities	Petar, Dragan,	May 2014	
5	Conference	Ratko	March/April 2014	
6	Joint meeting of SWG and BRDN	SWG Bogdanka	December 2013	
7	Traveling workshop	Boban	?	



Thank you.