

GIZ North Macedonia

Introduces Itself

We manage change
We provide know-how
We develop solutions
We cherish partnerships

GIZ in North Macedonia Profile

The Deutsche Gesellschaft für Internationale Zusammenarbeit (GIZ) has been actively engaged in the Republic of North Macedonia since 1992.

International cooperation in North Macedonia is dedicated to supporting the country's EU reform efforts through various projects and innovative approaches which are in line with the goals of the 2030 Agenda. The projects are jointly developed and implemented with the national partners from the government, the civil society, and the business sector. In the daily work, our engaged international and national staff works closely with local change-agents from all spheres of the society.



WE BELIEVE THAT ONLY BY COMBINING SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY, ECOLOGICAL BALANCE AND ECONOMIC CAPABILITY WILL CURRENT AND FUTURE GENERATIONS BE ABLE TO LEAD SECURE AND DIGNIFIED LIVES.

GIZ Corporate Values

Our main commissioning party is the **German Federal Ministry for Economic Cooperation and Development (BMZ)**. European Union institutions and partner government organisations are also commissioning GIZ's services.



Good Governance and Democracy

We promote **good governance** and **rule of law** through projects working on:

- ▶ Promoting **EU Integration**
- ▶ Working on **legal reform**
- ▶ Countering **serious crime**
- ▶ Combatting **illicit financial flows**
- ▶ Preventing **human trafficking**
- ▶ Ensuring **economic, social, and cultural rights**
- ▶ Modernising **municipal services**
- ▶ **Development through sport** and other innovative approaches.

Environment and Climate Change

We work in the field of **environment protection and preservation** through projects working on:

- ▶ Decarbonising **energy and transport**
- ▶ Preserving **biodiversity**
- ▶ Supporting **climate change adaptation**
- ▶ Managing **climate related risks**

Economic Development and Employment

We are dedicated to supporting the **economic growth** of the country through projects working on:

- ▶ Boosting **economies in rural areas**
- ▶ Enabling **start-ups and innovative businesses**
- ▶ Improving **trade and competitiveness**
- ▶ Providing **youth internships in Germany**

Focus Areas of GIZ North Macedonia

Our current development efforts in North Macedonia cover three focus areas:

1. **Good Governance and Democracy,**
2. **Environment and Climate Change, and**
3. **Economic Development and Employment.**

GIZ Worldwide Profile

As a service provider in the field of **international cooperation for sustainable development**, we are dedicated to **shaping a future worth living around the world**. We have over 50 years of experience in a wide variety of areas, including economic development and employment promotion, energy and the environment, and peace and security. The diverse expertise of our federal enterprise is in demand around the globe – from the German Government, European Union institutions, the United Nations, the private sector, and governments of other countries. We cooperate with businesses, civil society actors and research institutions. Our main commissioning party is the **German Federal Ministry for Economic Cooperation and Development (BMZ)**. We work in around **120 countries in the world**.

A glimpse of our work

Click on the links to hear some inspiring stories from our joint work with the partners and beneficiaries.

EMPOWERED WOMEN
SOCIAL MAPPING
SOCIAL MENTORING
SNIFFING DOGS
LEAVE NO ONE BEHIND
THE SILENCE OF THE BEES
HIGH SCARDUS TRAIL

GIZ North Macedonia is active on **FACEBOOK**, **LINKEDIN** and **YOUTUBE**.