

PARALLEL THEMATIC WORKSHOPS

Keeping the momentum – from protest rallies to civic engagement

12th of November 2018, 16:00 – 17:30

<p>Main objectives of the workshop</p>	<p>The common goal of EU member states and the Black Sea region countries: fight against corruption and for human and civil rights.</p> <p>The endeavor is common; however, the political environments are different. We plan to take a closer look at the ties between people with similar goals, and at the ties between authorities and the civil society.</p>
<p>Speakers/Resource persons</p>	<p>Name and surname of the organizer: Cosmin Barzan Position: Executive President Organization: The Civic Resource Centre CONCORD's Member: FOND</p> <p>Co-speaker and co-host: Mariia Symonova (Eastern Partnership Civil Society Forum, member of the expert pool)</p>
<p>Proposed methodology</p>	<p>10 min: intro and round of introductions from participants 15 min: short presentation of protest rallies in Romania, Eastern Europe and EU: images and media-coverage; short intro on media bias</p> <p>45 min: interactive session on the culture of protest in participants' countries / communities: what was gained? when should it be used? how do people get involved? how do we keep the momentum? Lessons learnt</p> <p>15 min: conclusions: tools that civic groups and communities could use in the future</p>
<p>Other information</p>	<p>Proposal for all interested participants to enjoy, analyze and perceive the style, details of debates between the organized (sometimes, relatively) groups of stakeholders about the hot conflict issues:</p> <p>Can Voters and Non-Voters See Eye to Eye: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=R-GYicjM9d4</p> <p>Veterans And Peace Activists Seek To Find Common Ground: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ZT6dde0Tz2c</p> <p>Can Trump Supporters And Immigrants See Eye To Eye: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=G0SpzIIHEaE</p>