

Ref # 1		Project title		Capacity-Building Program		
Origin of funding	Overall project value	No of staff provided	Target group	Number of Grantees	Dates (start/end)	Name of partners if any
Charles Stewart Mott Foundation, Flint, Michigan, USA	Grant distributed in all the 5 countries: 950 000 USD In Hungary: 212 088 USD	3 persons/ country	NGOs and local self-governments	In all the 5 countries: 540 In Hungary: 104	1995 - 2003	Member organization of the Carpathian Foundation Network in Slovakia, Poland, Ukraine and Romania
Detailed description of project			Type of services provided			
<p>With grants up to \$ 5.000.- the Capacity-Building Program promoted democracy and civil society by strenghtening the capacities of local self governments (LSGs) and NGOs. So that they can respond more effectively to local needs.</p> <p>Support was provided for local initiatives of NGOs and LSGs marked by innovative methods of community development, citizen participation in local government and leadership development, and enhance of self-help at local level.</p>			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - publish grant announcements - organize information forums - provide technical assistance to interested organizations on-site - manage applications for grants - identify and engage of outside evaluators - organizing grant committee meetings - making contracts with grantees - monitor project implementations - evaluation of granted projects and then programs report to donor organizations 			

Ref # 2		Project title			Integrated Rural Community Development Program (IRCD)		
Origin of funding	Overall project value	No of staff provided	Target group	Number of Grantees	Dates (start/end)	Name of partners if any	
Charles Stewart Mott Foundation, Flint, Michigan, USA	Grant distributed in all 5 countries: 1 200 000 USD In Hungary 263 600 USD	3 persons/co untry	NGOs and local-self-governments	In all the 5 countries: 47 In Hungary: 10	1995 - 2004	Member organization of the Carpathian Foundation Network in Slovakia, Poland, Ukraine and Romania	
Detailed description of project				Type of services provided			
<p>The Program's grants are made for larger scale long-term projects that promote comprehensive community based, sustainable regional development initiatives. The projects encourage citizen-led development initiatives that respect the social, cultural, economic and ecological distinctiveness of each region/microregion.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • to encourage integrated community development planning • to promote community based/regional development that is consistent with the general characteristics of a given region and builds on its human and natural resources • to stimulate indigenous efforts of regional community development, as well as promote bottom-up initiatives • to encourage an integrated approach to local/regional development, one that takes into consideration social, cultural, economic and environmental aspects • to foster partnerships and networking among different local/regional NGOs, LSGs and businesses • to strenghten the organizational and management capacities of local/regional NGOs and LSGs. 				<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • publish grant announcements • organize information forums • provide technical assistance to interested organizations on-site • manage applications for grants • identify and engage of outside evaluators • organizing grant committee meetings • making contracts with grantees • monitor project implementations • evaluation of granted projects and then programs • organize networking events for grantees from Hungary, Slovakia, Poland, Romania and Ukraine • report to donor organizations 			

Ref # 3		Project title			Carpathian Cultural Heritage Program		
Origin of funding	Overall project value	No of staff provided	Target group	Number of Grantees	Dates (start/end)	Name of partners if any	
Charles Stewart Mott Foundation, Flint, Michigan, USA	Grant distributed in all 5 countries: 890 000 USD In Hungary: 171.000 USD	3 persons/co untry	NGOs and local-self-governments	In all the 5 countries: 298 In Hungary: 58	1995 - 2004	Member organization of the Carpathian Foundation Network in Slovakia, Poland, Ukraine and Romania	
Detailed description of project				Type of services provided			
<p>The Cultural Heritage Program has the role to emphasise the preservation of the cultural tradition in the Carpathian Region with grants up to 4000 USD.</p> <p>It promotes the cultural diversity, the unique values of the region and the multiculturalism and national tolerance. Contributing on preservation of cultural traditions and common characteristics of the region, encouraging the events and programs that prove, distinguish and disseminate the openness of culture in the region.</p>				<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • publish grant announcements • organize information forums • provide technical assistance to interested organizations on-site • manage applications for grants • identify and engage of outside evaluators • organizing grant committee meetings • making contracts with grantees • monitor project implementations • evaluation of granted projects and then programs • report to donor organizations 			

Ref # 4		Project title		RomaNet Program		
Origin of funding	Overall project value	No of staff provided	Target group	Number of Grantees	Dates (start/ended)	Name of partners if any
Open Society Institute, Budapest, Hungary	Grant distributed in all the 5 countries: 166 782 USD In Hungary: 80.000 USD	3 persons/co untry	Hungarian Roma NGOs, and minority self-governments	In all the 4 countries: 54 In Hungary: 16	2002 – 2005	Member organization of the Carpathian Foundation Network in Slovakia, Ukraine and Romania
Detailed description of project			Type of services provided			
<p>The program is designed to strengthen Roma organizations, to encourage and motivate cooperation between Romany organizations that are addressing common issues related to Roma in the Carpathian Euroregion. Priority was given to cross-border cooperation such as organizing training programs or study tours that disseminate successful Romany initiatives and good practices in the Carpathian Euroregion countries, therefore allowing other organizations to learn about and adapt the given initiative to their communities. Organizing joint events and programs, especially cross-border programs, which would bring benefits to organizations on both sides of the border and have long-term effects on cooperation among organizations as well as creating a network of Romany initiatives addressing common issues in order to strengthen their voice.</p> <p>The program provided support for up to 5,000 USD</p>			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • design grant program • develop selection methodology, tools and protocol • publish grant announcements • organize information forums • provide technical assistance to interested organizations on-site • manage applications for grants • identify and engage of outside evaluators • assist in proposal evaluation and contracting • organizing grant committee meetings • control financial procedures • monitor project implementation • evaluation of granted projects and then programs • publish the final evaluation study made by outside experts and available to public report to donor organizations 			

Ref # 5		Project title			Carpathian Cross-border Cooperation Program (CBC)		
Origin of funding	Overall project value	No of staff provided	Target group	Number of Grantees	Dates (start/end)	Name of partners if any	
Charles Stewart Mott Foundation, Flint, Michigan, USA	Grant distributed in all the 5 countries: 749 50 USD In Hungary: 157 180 USD	3 persons/ country	NGOs and local-self-governments	In all the 5 countries: 59 In Hungary: 11	1995 - 2006	Member organization of the Carpathian Foundation Network in Slovakia, Poland, Ukraine and Romania	
Detailed description of project				Type of services provided			
<p>The CBC Program was the first grant-making program of CF devoted specifically to the promotion of a common identity through concrete multi-national projects. CBC encourages bilateral and multilateral development by supporting trans-frontier cooperation in economic, environmental and social fields. Grants were made for projects that seek solutions to common problems, identity common values and promote networking and partnerships among regional governmental and non-governmental organizations.</p>				<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • publish grant announcements • organize information forums • provide technical assistance to interested organizations on-site • manage applications for grants • identify and engage of outside evaluators • organizing grant committee meetings • making contracts with grantees • monitor project implementations • evaluation of granted projects and then programs • organize networking events for grantees from Hungary, Slovakia, Poland, Romania and Ukraine • report to donor organizations 			

Ref # 6	Project title			Carpathian BRIDGE Program (Best Rural Initiatives for Development and Gateway to Europe)		
Origin of funding	Overall project value	No of staff provided	Target group	Number of Grantees	Dates (start/end)	Name of partners if any
Charles Stewart Mott Foundation, Open Society Institute, European Social Fund, Hungarian Government, European Regional and Development Fund	Grant distributed in all the 5 countries: € 513.000.- In Hungary: € 80.000.-	3 person/country	NGOs and local-self-governments	In all the 5 countries: 73 In Hungary: 30	2003 - 2011	Member organization of the Carpathian Foundation Network in Slovakia, Poland, Ukraine and Romania
Detailed description of project			Type of services provided			
<p>The BRIDGE program offers technical and financial assistance (core funds) to grassroots organisations to build coalitions with partners, develop project proposals and fulfill the high standards required by EU-funded programs in terms of proposal-writing, project-management and financial stability. Carpathian Foundation (CF) provides technical assistance for the development of project ideas and preparation of proposals, financial contribution in the form of non-refundable grants.</p> <p>Furthermore CF helps with quality assurance during the project implementation and assurance the liquidity in the form of refundable grants.</p> <p>It combines European and overseas philanthropic philosophy, solving the problems of well-established, but inflexible EU financial instruments by injecting entrepreneurial spirit into the projects.</p>			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • publish grant announcements • organize information forums • provide technical assistance to interested organizations on-site • assist development of project proposals • manage applications for grants • identify and engage of outside evaluators • organizing grant committee meetings • making contracts with grantees • providing quality assurance during project-implementation • monitor project implementations • report to donor organization 			

Ref # 7		Project title		Local Initiatives Program in the Carpathian Euroregion (LIP)		
Origin of funding	Overall project value	No of staff provided	Target group	Number of Grantees	Dates (start/end)	Name of partners if any
Charles Stewart Mott Foundation, Flint, Michigan, USA	Grant distributed in all the 5 countries: 369 540 USD In Hungary: 79144 USD	3 persons/country	NGOs, and local self-governments	In all the 5 countries: 96 In Hungary: 22	2003 - 2006	Member organization of the Carpathian Foundation Network in Slovakia, Poland, Ukraine and Romania
Detailed description of project			Type of services provided			
<p>This program provides grants of up to \$5,000 for projects with duration of no more than 12 months, which further any of the goals of Carpathian Foundation. Promoting good neighbourliness, social stability and sustainable economic development in the Carpathian Euroregion. Multiculturalism and inter-ethnic dialogue; cultural or natural heritage; community development; or capacity-building for NGOs or for local self-government.</p>			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> publish grant announcements organize information forums provide technical assistance to interested organizations on-site assist development of project proposals manage applications for grants identify and engage of outside evaluators organizing grant committee meetings making contracts with grantees providing quality assurance during project-implementation monitor project implementations report to donor organization 			

Ref # 8		Project title		Community Centre Development Fund		
Origin of funding	Overall project value	No of staff provided	Target group	Number of Grantees	Dates (start/end)	Name of partners if any
Robey Family Foundation, Villages, Florida, USA	Grant distributed in all the 5 countries: 57 508 USD In Hungary: 30 000 USD	1 person/country	NGOs, and local-self-governments, schools	In all the 5 countries: 6 In Hungary: 2	2007-2011	Member organization of the Carpathian Foundation Network in Slovakia, Poland, Ukraine and Romania
Detailed description of project			Type of services provided			
<p>The main goal of this fund, established in 2007, is to support community building by developing programs and activities in the region's schools that would improve the lives of young people, specifically, and the local communities, in general.</p> <p>The long term goal is to establish sustainable community centres in the Carpathian region that would cooperate and enhance ideas to improve life in the rural areas.</p>			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> publish grant announcements organize information forums provide technical assistance to interested organizations on-site assist development of project proposals manage applications for grants identify and engage of outside evaluators organizing grant committee meetings making contracts with grantees providing quality assurance during project-implementation monitor project implementations report to donor organization 			

Ref # 9		Project title		Carpathian Scholarship Program		
Origin of funding	Overall project value	No of staff provided	Target group	Number of Grantees	Dates (start/end)	Name of partners if any
Robey Family Foundation, Villages, Florida, USA	Grant distributed in all the 5 countries: 100 000 USD In Hungary: 20 000 USD	1 person/country	Disadvantaged students	In all the 5 countries: 45 stipends In Hungary: 9 stipends	2006-2012	Member organization of the Carpathian Foundation Network in Slovakia, Poland, Ukraine and Romania
Detailed description of project				Type of services provided		
<p>Fred Robey started a 5-year education sponsorship program in five countries of the Carpathian region.</p> <p>The Carpathian Scholarship Program's goals are:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • To provide opportunities for education to talented young people from the Carpathian region. • To raise qualified young professionals, willing to contribute to the development of their region. • To enhance awareness of regional identity among young people. <p>The students have to be residents of the Carpathian region and to represent outstanding results in learning, and not to be able to study for financial reasons. The Carpathian Foundations started a co-operation with selected high schools and universities in order to identify potential candidates. As each country has different claims and a different educational system, the program is different in each country.</p>				<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • publish grant announcements • organize information forums • provide technical assistance to interested organizations on-site • assist development of project proposals • manage applications for grants • identify and engage of outside evaluators • organizing grant committee meetings • making contracts with grantees • providing quality assurance during project-implementation • monitor project implementations • report to donor organization 		