

Sustaining Border Management and Migration Governance in Georgia (SBMMG)

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EaP countries:
Georgia

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Implementing organisation(s):
International Organization For Migration

Project website: www.informedmigration.ge

Project description:

For several years, EU and Georgia have worked together to facilitate movement of persons and goods, while at the same time, maintaining secure borders. This project enhances capacities of Georgian authorities in the areas of integrated border management and migration governance in line with relevant EU-Georgia cooperation frameworks and government action plans.

The project:

- Builds capacity of relevant government agencies on integrated border management and countering irregular migration and cross-border crime
- Institutionalises training modules and develops a pool of highly qualified trainers
- Raises awareness on safe migration to Europe
- Mainstreams migration into development
- Provides consulting services through European experts
- Donates critical technical equipment for border control.

Expected results:

- Georgian authorities have strengthened border protection and border security to counter illicit movements and at the same time facilitate the licit flow of persons and goods across Georgia's borders.
- Georgian authorities have made solid progress in institutionalising training modules on border and migration management into the curricula of relevant training institutes, and enhanced the expertise and teaching skills of specialised lecturers.



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