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## ENPI Cross-border Cooperation Programmes

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**Barents Mediasphere**  
[www.barentsinfo.org/Mediasphere](http://www.barentsinfo.org/Mediasphere)



**AQUAREL**  
[www.culmentor.com/aquarel/](http://www.culmentor.com/aquarel/)



**Ecologically Friendly Port**  
<http://ecoport.rshu.ru/>



**GreenMan**  
<http://greenmanproject.org/>



**Museums over the borders**  
[www.mob.elblag.pl](http://www.mob.elblag.pl)



Nordic and Russian journalists enjoyed sharing experiences in Murmansk region

"You can read about what is happening in Russia or Finland on the internet, but in the end it is meeting and spending time together and sharing different stories, that strengthens cross-border co-operation," says freelance journalist Trine Hamran from Vadsø, Norway. Hamran is one of the journalists who participated in the journalist course in Russia in the end of April 2013. Besides networking, the course exchanged knowledge about what kind of circumstances the media institutions operate in. Russian and Nordic journalists in turn will visit Finland and Finnish news rooms in 2014 under the "Barents Media-sphere" project.



In the Karelia ENPI CBC Programme six regionally important themes were selected

and the calls for proposals were based on these themes. This allowed launching of broad entities which are composed of several mutually supporting projects. The "AQUAREL" project, implemented under a theme concentrating on sustainable energy solutions, is a collaborative initiative of 3 Finnish and 5 Russian organisations. It focuses on developing energy production from fish waste and aquatic biomaterials, thus reducing the load on the ecosystem and providing novel possibilities for creating energy and additional income for fish farms and fish processors in the Republic of Karelia and in Finland.



One of the South-East Finland-Russia ENPI CBC

Programme's objective is to bring up environmental issues that need focusing in the programme area. Ecological situation of coastal zone and requisites to develop ecologically sustainable business and cooperation between key actors are the aims of the project called "Ecologically Friendly Port". In collaboration of 5 Finnish and 3 Russian organisations aim is to establish close bilateral cooperation between citizens and authorities on the bases of green values. Action contain expert views from the business, research and governmental aspects and it aims for very concrete results like decreasing of air emissions and noise harms.



Project "Tartu, Rezekne, Pskov: Green Management for Urban Development & Planning in

Estonia-Latvia-Russia Border Capitals / Green Man" contributes to increasing the attractiveness and integration of the cross border region on the local level by means of boosting the development of effective management system of urban green areas in these cities. The project establishes a practical, dynamic and sustainable dialogue between the partner border regions to exchange best practices in green management and to use the scientific and research potential of the unique consortium of 10 institutions fitting the 'triple helix' (university - profile NGO - government) of innovative partnership model for each participating country.



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"Museums over the borders" is an example of a cross-border project pursuing development of tourism on both sides of EU and Russia border under Lithuania-Poland-Russia ENPI CBC 2007-2013 Programme. The project is based on joint cultural heritage of two cities: Elblag (Poland) and Kaliningrad (Russian Federation). Restoration of the premises of two partner museums, advanced public facilities and rules for storage of museum pieces are the main results of the project. A lot of joint events, educational programs and information services is also planned. The project will influence on reactivation of the natural relations between residents of both cities.



### Kolarctic ENPI CBC

Total financial frame 70,0 Meur  
Eligible areas in Finland: Lapland, in Sweden: Norrbotten county, in Norway: Nordland, Troms and Finnmark counties, in Russia: the regions of Murmansk and Archangelsk and the Nenets autonomous district.

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### Karelia ENPI CBC

Total financial frame 46,4 Meur  
Eligible areas in Finland: Kainuu, North Karelia, Oulu Region (adjoining: Lapland and North Savo), in Russia: the Republic of Karelia (adjoining: St Petersburg and areas of Leningrad, Murmansk and Archangel).

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### South-East Finland-Russia ENPI CBC

Total financial frame 72,4 Meur  
Eligible areas in Finland: South Karelia, Kymenlaakso and South-Savo (adjoining: Uusimaa, Päijät-Häme, North-Savo), in Russia: St.Petersburg, Leningrad Region (adjoining: Republic of Karelia).

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### Estonia-Latvia-Russia ENPI CBC

Total financial frame 65,3 Meur  
Eligible areas in Latvia: Latgale, Vidzeme (adjoining: Riga City and Pieriga), in Estonia: Kirde-Eesti, Lõuna-Eesti, Kesk-Eesti (adjoining: Põhja-Eesti), in Russia: Leningrad and Pskov regions, St.Petersburg.

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### Lithuania-Poland-Russia ENPI CBC

Total financial frame 145,9 Meur  
Eligible areas in Lithuania: Klaipėda, Marijampolė, Tauragė counties (adjoining: Alytus, Kaunas, Telšiai, Šiauliai counties), in Russia: Kaliningrad Oblast, in Poland: Gdańsk-Gdynia-Sopot, Gdańsk, Elbląski, Olsztyński, Elcki, Białostocko-Suwałski sub-regions (adjoining: Słupski, Bydgoski, Toruńsko-Włocławski, Łomżyński, Ciechanowsko-Płocki, Ostrołęcko-Siedlecki).

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