

NEWSLETTER



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Presentation of the Project "Together for Clean Rivers"

On August 29, ACDC organized the presentation of the project "Together for Clean Rivers", implemented in partnership with NGO REC. The event featured contributions from Ljubiša Mijačić, external expert and researcher, and Faruk Mujka, General Director of the Public Enterprise Ibër-Lepenc. Discussions focused on identifying polluters, river preservation, engaging youth and local communities in environmental protection, as well as the need for cooperation among all communities.

The project is supported under the Integrated Water Resources Management in Kosovo (IWRM-K) program, implemented by the Swiss Agency for **Development and Cooperation** (SDC) and the Government of Kosovo, in cooperation with Skat Consulting Ltd. and the Austrian Environment Agency (EAA).





On August 29, 2025, at the Reporting House, BIRN Kosovo and ACDC launched a campaign to document the traumas of the families of the missing, within the EU project "Uncovering the Truth: Combating Monoethnic Journalism and Advocating for the Missing in Kosovo". Through this initiative, more than 80 testimonies are being collected, to be preserved through a series of documentary films and exhibitions, ensuring that voices of pain, resilience, and the search for truth are heard and safeguarded.



Meeting with SRSG Caroline Ziadeh

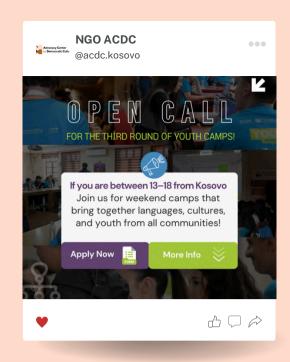
On August 13, ACDC Director Dušan Radaković participated in a meeting with the Special Representative of the UN Secretary-General, Ms. Caroline Ziadeh, during her farewell visit to Mitrovica. The discussions were dedicated to key political, security, and economic developments in the region.

Call for the Third Series of Youth Camps

In August, ACDC announced a call for participation in the third series of youth camps intended for young people aged 13 to 18 from different communities.

The camps will take place in the autumn of 2025 across Kosovo and will focus on language learning, intercultural dialogue, teamwork, and creative workshops.

This activity is carried out under the project "Youth Empowered through Inclusive Schools and Societies (YESS)", funded by the UN Secretary General's Peacebuilding Fund and implemented by UNICEF and IOM Kosovo.



New Projects Launched in August 2025

The project "Breaking the Silence: Combating Sexual Harassment and Gender-Based Violence in Northern Kosovo" is being implemented with the support of the Canada Fund for Local Initiatives (CFLI). The project aims to raise awareness, empower women and girls, and strengthen institutional mechanisms for GBV protection.

The organizational development grant supported by KCSF – EJA Kosovo will last until July 2026. It focuses on strengthening digital security, staff training, developing a new five-year strategy, and enhancing the organization's long-term sustainability.

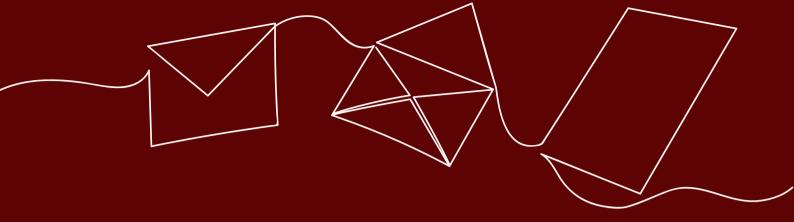
ACDC in the Media:

Aleksandar Rapajić, ACDC Program Director, gave a statement to Kosovo Online on current political issues and the position of the Serbian community in Kosovo's society.



Ines Aljović Mihajlović, ACDC Program Officer, spoke to RTK Live about the suspension of child allowances and the challenges faced by non-majority communities.





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