

	Project title		Regional Development Plan of the Ljubljana Urban Region 2007-2013					
Name of legal entity	Country	Overall project value (EUR)	Proportion carried out by candidate	No of staff provided	Name of client	Origin of funding	Dates (start/end)	Name of partners if any
OIKOS	Slovenia	91,325	100	10	Ljubljana Urban Region Development Agency	Slovenia	2005 - 2006	-
Detailed description of project						Type of services provided		
<p>Oikos prepared the first Regional Development Programme of the Ljubljana Urban Region 2002 – 2006. The programme is considered to be one of the most contemporary and most objective-oriented programmes in Slovenia and has received some praise from abroad. On the basis of this programme, serious debates about mobility, understanding of foreign enterprises and foreigners, debates about the meaning of networking and cooperation in Slovenia also started.</p> <p>Regions are obliged to prepare their programmes and to harmonize them with national ones, so that they could avoid problems that they encounter within the current programme period. Particularly important is harmonization at sectorial level, which will subsequently have to assure incorporation of projects into the Single Programming Document. To be able to start with the harmonization of Regional Programme documents with national programmes, the region has to clearly define its objectives, strategies and implementation systems and then start negotiations with authorities at national level.</p> <p>On the basis of previous experience, Oikos also prepared the second Regional Development Programme for the Ljubljana Urban Region, where the central Slovenian region presents its key projects for the period 2007- 2013. The key focus of the programme is assurance of the competitive position of the region, where particular development contents are oriented to successfully ensure high added value in the future and quality of life in the region.</p>						<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Workshops for the definition of priorities and objectives • Strategic and action planning, • Project preparation. 		