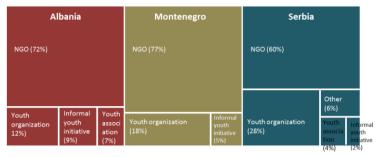
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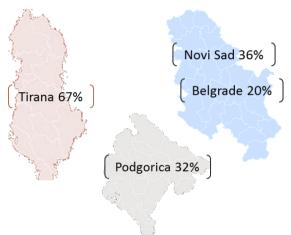
Typology of Youth Structures



Longevity of Youth Organizations

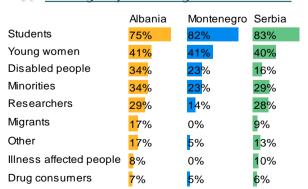


Geographical Distribution (capital vs other cities)

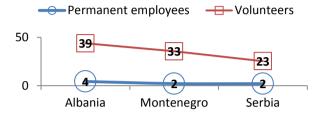


Activities

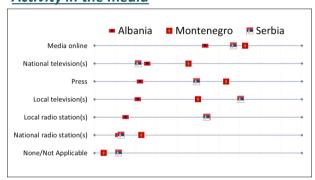
Youth groups working the most with:



Organizational Capacities



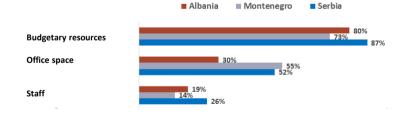
Activity in the media



No. of public appearances in 2015

Albania Montenegro Serbia

Top 3 Concerns of Y.O.



Focus areas of youth structures (top 3):

Albania	Active citizenship and volunteering (72%)
	Democracy and human rights (66%)
	Non formal education (65%)
Montenegro	Non formal education (82%)
	Active citizenship and volunteering (73%)
Coubio	Art and culture(50%)
Serbia	Non formal education (91%)
	Active citizenship and volunteering (71%)
	Democracy and human rights (56%)

Youth organizations in the partner countries are similarly engaged in trainings and community activities. In Albania, awareness campaigns are also a major activity, as 83% of surveyed organizations stated they took part in awareness campaigns.

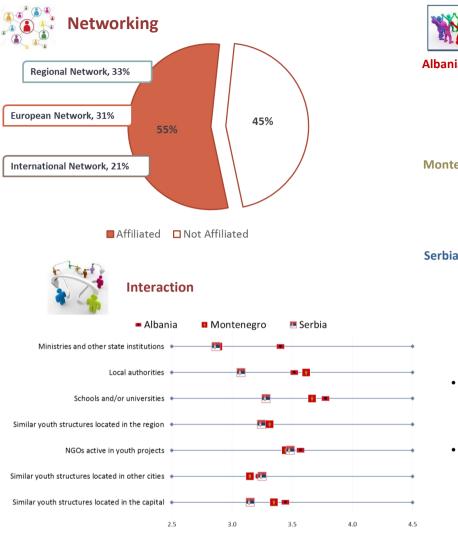






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- Albanian YOs have a higher level of interaction with ministries and other state institutions compared to the other partner countries.
- Serbian YOs show a slightly lower level of interaction with local authorities, schools and universities.



- Only 1 out of 3 surveyed structures have heard about the Franco-German Youth Office (OFAJ) initiative.
- Overall, more than half (53%) of the organizations participating in the survey, are familiar with the initiative of the establishment of Regional Youth Cooperation Office (RYCO).
- When asked about preferred initiatives they would like RYCO to undertake, representatives of youth structures most mention: Funding projects, Capacity building activities and Exchange projects.

The data of this Factsheet has been provided through a survey carried out in April 2016, where 193 youth organizations based in three Countries, Albania, Montenegro and Serbia participated.





