

# NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF MUNICIPAL CLERKS IN BULGARIA





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- NAMCB was established in July 2005 in Sofia, Bulgaria
- Its founders are 29 municipal clerks from Sofia Municipality
- NAMCB has over 360 members and associated members from municipalities from all regions of Bulgaria
- NAMCB has a wide network of volunteers – over 1600 people from all parts of the country



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## OUR MISSION

NAMCB is an independent and voluntary organization, supporting the process of reforms in Bulgaria through mobilization of civil society and influence on social policies



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## OUR VISION

- To provide institutional environment for the formation of effective social policies for good government, respect for civil rights and liberties and Bulgaria's active role in the European integration processes;
- To initiate and support institutional reforms in the country in the sphere of justice and public order;
- To facilitate institutional and organizational consolidation of the non-business sector in Bulgaria;
- To monitor and assess the risk for institutions' functioning and democratic principles



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## MAIN OBJECTIVES

- Participation in partnership networks of Bulgarian and foreign organizations for the realization of joint projects
- Exchange of experience and knowledge between partners from Bulgaria and Europe
- Training of municipal clerks from Bulgaria and the other Balkan states



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## ACTIVITIES

- National Dissemination Point for URBACT in Bulgaria
- Annual international conference *The European city – urbanization and architecture, security and finance – four editions /2006-2009/*
- Seminars in Bulgaria and Macedonia
- Participation in the project *VIVA EUROPA - European Year of Creativity and Innovation 2009*
- Participation in *Concours Mondial Bruxelles - Valencia 2009*
- Publishing in Bulgarian language of the book *More Machiavelli in Brussels, The art of lobbying in the EU* by the Dutch professor Rinus van Schendelen



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## PARTNERS

- *Delegation of the Valencian Community in Brussels*
- *International Institute of Municipal Clerks /USA/*
- *Municipality of Sofia /Bulgaria/*
- *Hanns Seidel Foundation /Germany/*
- *Diplomatic Institute to the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Republic of Bulgaria*
- *Directorate of Police – Sofia /Bulgaria/*
- *Comunidad Valenciana /Spain/*
- *Comune di Latina /Italy/*
- *Diputacion de Alicante – Family Attention Service /Spain/*
- *Videnscenter for Integration / Denmark/*



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## PROJECTS

- *Active civil society for successful and transparent administration*
- *Transparent Government on Central and Local Level in Bulgaria – Raising Administrative Capacity and Enhancing Cooperation to Reduce Corruption*
- *Risks and Practices in Managing Public Procurement*
- *ITER project - Police's itineraries in the multi-professional network for the prevention of juvenile delinquency*





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**THANK YOU FOR THE ATTENTION!**