EU-India Cooperation Portfolio in 2019

People & Peace

Asi@ Connect (€20 Million) – 2016-2021
Provide dedicated high quality internet connectivity between research and educational communities in the Asia region and globally
Partner: Trans-Eurasial Information Network Cooperation Centre

Local Authorities for Development (€ 4.6 Million) - 2012-2023
7 projects on municipal services e.g. water, sanitation and solid waste management, capacity building and awareness raising; diversity and inclusive development; block chain data management
Partners: Local Authorities, Associations of Local Authorities and civil society organisations

European Instrument for Democracy and Human Rights (€ 9.3 Million) - 2016-2022
15 projects addressing caste, manual scavenging, bonded labour, urban homelessness, torture & death penalty; promoting child, gender, minorities & LGBTIQ+ rights; strengthening criminal justice institutions.
Partners: national and international Non-Governmental Organisations

Prosperity

SWITCH Asia – Sustainable Consumption and Production (€ 11.2 Million) – 2013-2021
6 projects promoting sustainable business in bamboo products, organic food, artisans, fair trade, clean energy, clean technology and financial inclusion
Call for proposals under SWITCH Asia II is over. Evaluation ongoing
Partners: Indian and EU Civil Society Organisations, Industry Associations and Financial Institutions

South Asia Regional Training and Technical Assistance Centre (€10 Million) – 2016-2022
- SARTTAC – IMF - PFM capacity development
- Macroeconomic and fiscal management, monetary operations, financial sector regulation and supervision, macroeconomic statistics
Partner: International Monetary Fund (IMF)

Renewable Energy, Clean technologies and energy efficiency (€ 11.01 Million) – 2010-2020
1 Technical Assistance contract (Ministry of New and Renewable Energy € 2.01 M) grant on clean/green urban development (Indian Smart Cities € 9 M);
Partners: IDOM Consulting, Engineering Architecture SA; International Finance Corporation (IFC)

Planet

Mobility of 1404 students and staff from Indian universities to Europe, and 814 students and staff from Europe to India. 118 Indian universities participated in capacity building activities, 13 Indian professors received Jean Monnet grants.
Partners: Universities – India, Asia and EU

EU-South Asia Capacity Building for Disaster Risk Management (€ 10 Million) 2015-2021
Build resilience to weather and climate-related hazards with a focus on strengthening capacity for hydro-met services and disaster preparedness. SAARC Countries
Partner: World Bank

Asia Investment Facility-AIF (€ 31.07 Million) 2016-2020
4 projects on green housing, urban mobility, nursing school and sustainable urban development/smart cities.
Partner: Agence Française de Développement

Global & Regional Projects

Managed by EU Delegation to India
Global allocation: circa € 51.2 Million

India Specific Initiatives

Allocation: circa € 98.68 Million

Civil Society Organisations

2014-2020 – (€ 42.7 Million)
- 14 projects on Access to Information on public schemes and services
- 8 projects on Capacity development and Promotion of Diversity for Inclusive, Sustainable Growth
- 2 projects strengthening CSOs capacities
- Projects supporting women’s economic and social rights, empowerments, gender equality – evaluation/selection ongoing
- 1 project on rural access to clean energy
- 2 projects on water quality and water security
-2 projects on reproductive health rights and sustainable livelihoods in the informal sector
Partners: national and international Non-Governmental Organisations