Centru Regional Development Agency - Short description

Centru Regional Development Agency (Centru RDA)– Romania is an Intermediary Body (IB) for the 2007-2013 Regional Operational Program, Implementation Agency for the Phare program – Economic and Social Cohesion, as well as for the programs funded by the Romanian Government.

Centru RDA has the role to contribute to the sustainable and equitable development of the Center Region of Romania. Through the Center RDA, the local and county authorities, NGOs and private organizations have access to EU funds.

The main activities of Center RDA are:
- Developing and updating the Regional Development Plan (RDP), the plans and programs of the region
- Ensuring the technical and financial management of the Regional development fund, with the view of meeting the objectives of the regional development programs
- Selecting, contracting, monitoring and verifying the projects financed by the agency
- Promoting the region and the activities arising from the regional development policies
- Technical assistance to the investors in disadvantaged areas and monitoring the activity of economic organizations which took benefits of facilities.
- Development of national, inter-regional and international partnerships

The objectives of Center RDA are:
- Implementing territorial, economic and social cohesion in accordance with the EU policies and the NRDP, by developing the competences at a regional level, by promoting cooperating within the region and among the regions, as well as cross-border cooperation, by attracting certain investments with an impact in the region – public, private and mixed, through public-private partnership schemes (PPP), for an efficient and responsible management of the approved programs and projects
- Promoting the principles of a sustainable development of the region, through the implementation of the RDP, accelerating the innovation and know-how transfer processes, on a regional and national level, as well as international

Centru Region is constituted by the following counties: Alba, Brasov, Covasna, Harghita, Mures si Sibiu.