

Abbreviations

BGRF	Bulgarian Gender Research Foundation
CEDAW	Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Discrimination against Women
CEE	Central and Eastern Europe
CEEC	Central and Eastern European countries
CESCI	Central European Service for Cross-Border Initiatives
CODEV	Council Working Group on Development
CoE	Council of Europe
ČSSD	Czech Social Democratic Party
DC	Democratic Convention
DKK	Danish krone
EAFRD	European Agricultural Fund for Rural Development
EC	European Commission
ECTS	European Credit Transfer System
EGTC	European Grouping of Territorial Cooperation
EHEA	European Higher Education Area
EMFF	European Maritime and Fisheries Fund
ERDF	European Regional Development Fund
ESF	European Social Fund
ESG	Standards and Guidelines for Quality Assurance in the EHEA
EU	European Union
EUMAP	European Union Monitoring and Advocacy Program of the Open Society Institute
EUR	euro
FRA	Fundamental Rights Agency
G8	Group of Eight major industrial democracies
GDP	gross domestic product
GNI	gross national income
HAND	Hungarian Association of NGOs for Development and Humanitarian Aid
HPI	Health Policy Institute
IATI	International Aid Transparency Initiative
IFIs	international financial institutions
IMF	International Monetary Fund

LAGs	Local Action Groups
MAHR	Minnesota Advocates for Human Rights
MBA	Master of Business Administration
MDGs	Millennium Development Goals
MLG	multi-level governance
NDP	national development plan
NGO	non-governmental organization
NPM	new public management
NRIS	National Roma Integration Strategies
NUTS	Nomenclature of Territorial Units for Statistics
ODA	official development assistance
ODS	Civic Democratic Party
OECD	Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development
OMC	open method of coordination
OSCE	Organization for Security and Co-operation in Europe
OSF	Open Society Foundations
OSI	Open Society Institute
PAYG	pay-as-you-go
PHARE	Poland and Hungary: Assistance for Restructuring their Economies
PUMA	Public Management Programme
QA	quality assurance
QUING	Quality in Gender+ Equality Policies in Europe
RDF	Regional Development Fund
ROP	regional operational programme
SDP	Social Democratic Party
SIDA	Swedish International Development Cooperation Agency
SIGMA	Support for Improvement in Governance and Management
UN	United Nations
UNDP	United Nations Development Programme
UNFPA	United Nations Population Fund
USA	United States of America
USAID	United States Agency for International Development
USD	United States dollar
V4	Visegrad Four
VAT	value added tax
WAVE	Women Against Violence in Europe
WB	World Bank