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She started to work in the field of environment related project coordination and management 5 years ago. Prior to this position, Maria was the National Lead during two editions of ClimateLaunchpad project, which is the world's largest green/clean technology business ideas competition, a part of the Entrepreneurship offerings of [EIT Climate-KIC](#). Also, for two and a half years she coordinated Climate Forum East II, an EU-funded project led by the Austrian Red Cross with the objective of strengthening the capacities of six existing national CSO Climate Change Adaptation networks and individual CSO network members to contribute to national and local policy making processes, public awareness raising, and education on Climate Change Adaptation and environmental governance in the Eastern Neighbourhood Region.

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