

Session 2: Operational opportunities and challenges for the Instrument for Stability 2014-2020

1. Multistakeholder approaches

- Do you have any examples of (un-)successful multistakeholder approaches?
- In your opinion, what are the main challenges and added value of implementing multi-partners actions?
- Do you consider that multistakeholder approaches should be further encouraged for Instrument for Stability-funded activities?

2. Geographical scope

- Do you see a comparative advantage for the Instrument for Stability to further support regional/trans-regional actions or do you consider that the actual balance between global, regional, multi-country and country level interventions should be maintained?

3. Gender mainstreaming

- In your opinion, what are the main challenges and added value of gender mainstreaming in Instrument for Stability-funded actions?
- In your opinion, should the EU try to further raise its internal and external stakeholders' awareness on women, peace and security and gender-related concerns linked to crisis preparedness, peacebuilding and conflict prevention?
- In your opinion, should gender-sensitivity be a requirement in Instrument for Stability project proposals?
- Do you have any recommendations on how gender mainstreaming could be reinforced?
- Do you have any successful examples of and tools for gender mainstreaming in crisis preparedness, peacebuilding and conflict prevention?

Session 3: Instrument for Stability 2014 programming – Conflict prevention, crisis preparedness and peace-building component (Article 4)

- In your opinion, what should be continued/done differently in terms of thematic areas of support, geographical coverage, implementing partners per sector, and/or implementation modalities during the next programming period (2014-2020)
- Do you have any recommendations regarding specific angles to be tackled/positive experiences to build on/pitfalls to avoid?

Session 4: Instrument for Stability Annual Action Programme 2013 and 2014 programming – Global and transregional threats component / Chemical, biological, radiological and nuclear risk mitigation component (Article 5)

- What are your views on the activities included in the Annual Action Programme 2013?
- What are your views on the proposals for activities in 2014?
- Do you have any suggestions for activities 2015-2020?