

Support to media in Jordan at a glance



What

The Support to Media in Jordan project aims to help Jordan's efforts in advancing the Jordanian media to further increase its freedom, independence and professionalism.

Who

The project is funded by the European Union and implemented by UNESCO Amman office in close collaboration with the Ministry of State for Media Affairs and the media community in Jordan.

When

The project will run for three years, 2014-2017.

Where

The project is implemented in Jordan.

Why

To further support Jordan in its efforts to strengthen Jordanian democracy and the possibility for men, women and youth to express themselves and access credible information.

How

The project has two distinct phases where the first months will focus on research and analysis of the contemporary media landscape and on reviewing the implementation of the media strategy action plan from 2011.

Based on the findings in the first phase, the second stage of the project will (but is not limited to):

- Strengthen journalism education institutions
- Support the efforts of the Media Strategy Committee in establishing an independent media complaints body developing and overseeing a code of conduct
- Support JRTV to develop public service programmes
- Support the capacity of local and community media
- Enrich Media Literacy Education in Jordanian schools

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