Transnational cooperation project "Sustainable tourism development in national park/protected area regions"

Project Nr.17-00-A019.33-s000002

The project activities (2017-2021)
General conclusion (activities, results, successes, obstacles etc) of the project"
Future plans, possible common projects

Portugal/Madeira, July, 2021



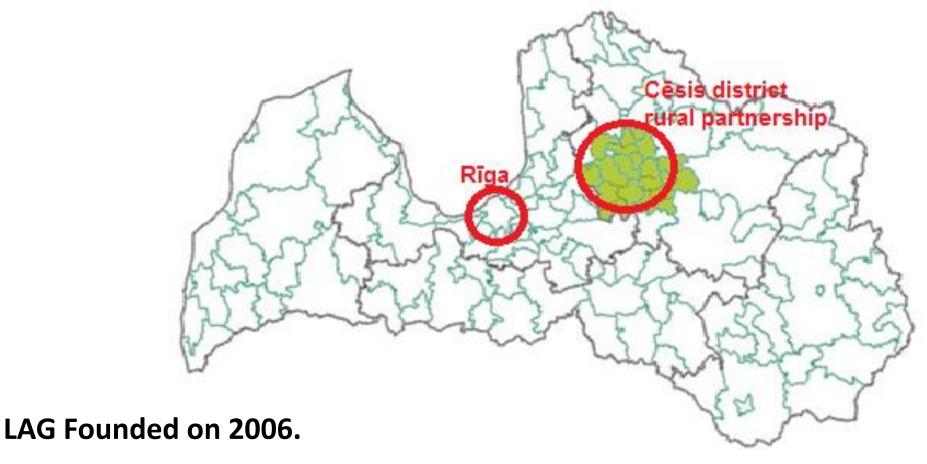








LAG - Cesis district rural partnership



The LAG working on development of the territory and supports 8 municipality and local community initiatives.

Around 90km from the capital – Riga.

Gauja National park area and LAG territory

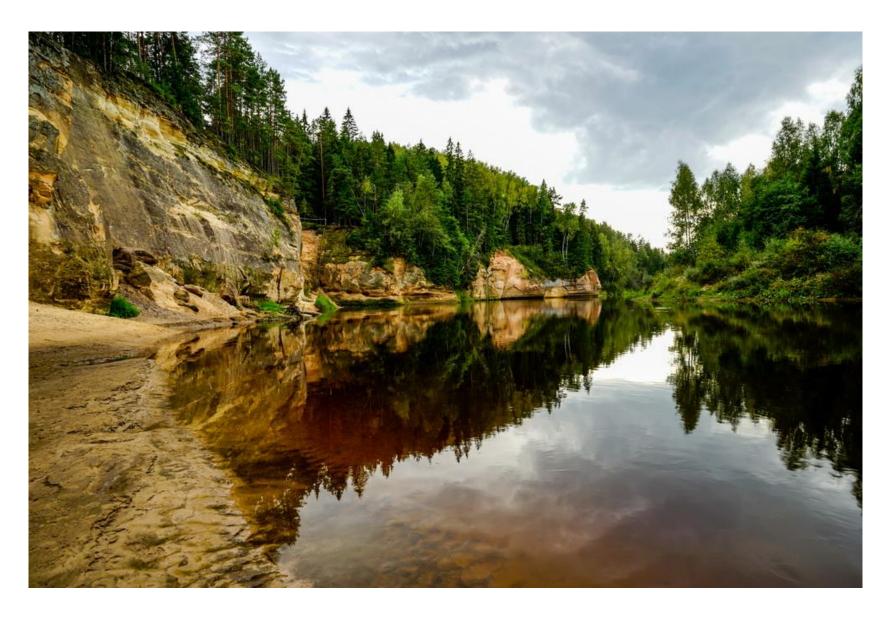






The Gauja National park is territory with strong potencial for sustainable tourism





Many tourism places and entreprenours with a focus on activities and recreation in the nature.









International project activities

32 participants in stady tours and summer universities.



















Local project activities

- Nature guides learning course— 20 participants (Cesis and Ziemeļkurzeme)
- Gaujas NP Traveller day 2018, 2019, 2020 (more than 3500 visitors)
- Mobile Gauja NP Traveller day flags (20 pieces)
- Research of interests of Traveller Day (Cesis and Ziemeļkurzeme)
- **Participation in conference:** 20 participants (organised by Ziemeļkurzeme)
- Conference: «Carftsman and sustainable tourism» 27 participants (organised by Cesis)
- printed booklet about smart living in nature (Ziemeļkurzeme and Cesis)



Gauja National park Traveller days



- On 2018.september was first Traveller day.
- It was two-day event
- Gauja National park area and also nearest enterprenours
- Involved partners Cesis rural distric partnership; Nature Conservation Agencu of Latvia, NGO, local municipalities, Tōrism information centers, enterprenours, local inhabitants.



Marketing activities for Traveller day



- Special/joint designe materials fors Traveller day
- Information in Balttour exibition 2018 and 2019.
- Information in homepages and facebook and social media, TV
- Cooperation between LAG and NCA and tourism information centers
- Information/adverstisement panels near main rouds











Future Expectacions



- Some kind of project (activities) haw to improve positive thinking and a attitude of local people and enterprenours about life in a National parks
- Improvement and development of partnership between LAG and Nature Conservation Agency of Latvia
- Development of new places/activities for relaxtion and reducing of visistor number in popular nature areas.
- Lot of contacts and good ideas

WELCOME to Latvia and Gauja National Park



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