



# Eco-counselling Centre Živica

## ...inspirations for richer life

(established on February 2005 with financial help by  
European program Phare CBC)



# Cleaning of buildings - more environmentally, more economically, more healthy

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- Cross-border (Slovakia – Austria) project financed by European program Phare CBC and Niederösterreich government
- Partner of the project – „die umweltberatung“
- Length of the project (September 2005 – August 2006)



# The aims of the project were to:

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- **decrease skin and other health complications** caused by using of aggressive chemical cleaners by cleaning staff and also by public
- **decrease amount of cleaning chemicals** used in households and public buildings and compensation of aggressive cleaners by those less aggressive and more environmental
- **gather information** about environment friendly cleaners, devices and methods for public
- **use effective environmental system** of cleaning with sustainable character in praxis

# The aims of the project were to:

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- **increase environmental awareness** in the field of cleaning by the public
- cooperate with Slovak state administration of environment protection in the field of **promotion of new directive about environment friendly cleaning products**
- **increase public engagement** in the field of environmental cleaning with possibility to improve quality of health and environment in households and at workplace
- **consumer 's education**



# Project periods:

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## Alternatívne čistenie

Zabudnite  
na reklamy,  
spomeňte si  
na babičku!



1st period (September 2005 – January 2006)

- **introductory questionnaires** (cleaning customs)
- **plan of environmental cleaning** worked out for each building
- **information posters** about the running project in each building

2nd period (February - June 2006)

- **workshop for cleaning stuff** (theory and praxis )
- **application of environmental cleaning**
- **medialization of the project** (TV, radio discussions, posters )
- **eco-counselling about cleanig** for public

3rd period (July– August 2006)

- **evaluation questionnaires**
- **conference for public** and information stand
- **handbook of environmental cleaning** for households

# Institutions involved into project:

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- **Presidentially  
Palace in Bratislava**



- **Building of  
Municipal  
Government in  
Bratislava**



- **Building of High  
School Einsteinova  
in Bratislava**

# Published outputs of the project

- **Handbook of environmental cleaning for households** (includes the list of „eco“ cleaning products on Slovak market)
- **Posters about environmental cleaning hanging in vehicles of public transport in Bratislava**





Thanks for your attention

