

Survey results of non-EU members of the EAEA

# EUROPE IS MORE THAN THE EU

The survey was completed in January 2021 by 12 EAEA non-EU members, based in various countries in Eastern Europe.

#### INFORMATION



42% of respondents say they benefit from EAEA's information, e.g. about events

33% of respondents state receiving information & sharing practice has an impact on the effectiveness of their work

## **EXCHANGE**



42% of respondents say they benefit from the contacts that EAEA membership provides

25% of respondents would like to participate in targeted projects for non-EU members or joint projects

50% of respondents would like to engage in peerlearning activities at EAEA

# **FUNDING**



59% of respondents name the lack of financial resources as their main challenge

33% of respondents face **financial barriers** participating in EAEA activities

### **ADVOCACY**



33% of respondents mention a lack of understanding of ALE and what it can achieve in their countries

42% of respondents indicate EAEA could support them with more lobbying

of respondents think EAEA should play a policy role outside the EU

# SUGGESTIONS FOR EAEA

Information also from a non-EU perspective

Use digital tools & different languages to foster exchange

Look for funding sources where EAEA could apply with non-EU members



- Advocacy: support the work of non-EU members at the national level
  - advocacy for non-EU members at the EU level
  - promote global frameworks

