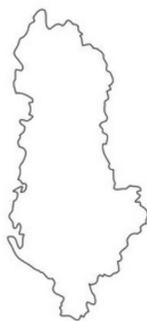


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Culture - Economic Development

# Bylis and Klos

## EU for Economic Development - Tourism-led, local, economic development, with a focus on Cultural Heritage

The project aims to improve and preserve access and the tourist offer included in the cultural heritage at the archaeological sites of Bylis and Klos (BKAP), Mallakastër Region

### EXPECTED RESULTS

1. Conservation and restoration of the cultural heritage of Bylis and Klos;
2. Improved accessibility and sustainability of the cultural heritage of Bylis and Klos, natural resources, and other local resources with the participation of local communities;
3. Economic development through the adoption of the European Union's Community-Led Local Development (CLLD) approach.

8 DECENT WORK AND ECONOMIC GROWTH



BUDGET

**6.250.000 EUR**  
250.000 EUR AICS co-funding

IMPLEMENTING PARTNER



PARTNERS

National Institute of Archeology  
Mallakastër Municipality  
Emilia-Romagna Region

DURATION

72 months

INTERVENTION AREA

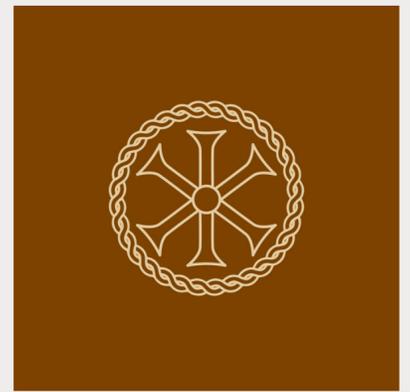
Bylis and Klos  
archeological sites  
Mallakastër region

CHANNEL

European Union  
delegated initiative

BENEFICIARIES

Ministry fo Tourism, Culture and Sport  
Mallakastër local community  
Albanian population and tourists

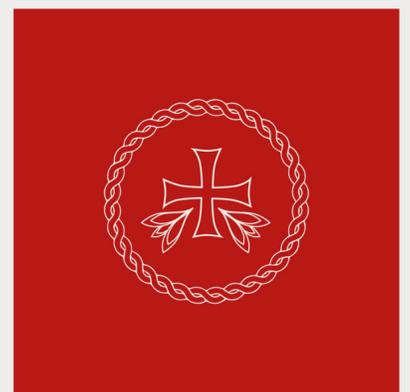


### Preliminary Actions

Preparation of a Management Plan for Bylis and Klos sites;  
Creation of a Master Plan for the involved area;  
Legal and technical support to the Ministry fo Tourism, Culture and Sport - MTKS.

### Conservation and Restoration

Preparation of a Conversation Plan, analysis of preserved artifacts, definition of priorities, safety plan;  
Restoration and consolidation of existing structures in Bylis and Klos parks (Walls, Theater, Stadium, Gymnasium, Stoas, etc.);  
Protection and restoration of the mosaics at Bylis.

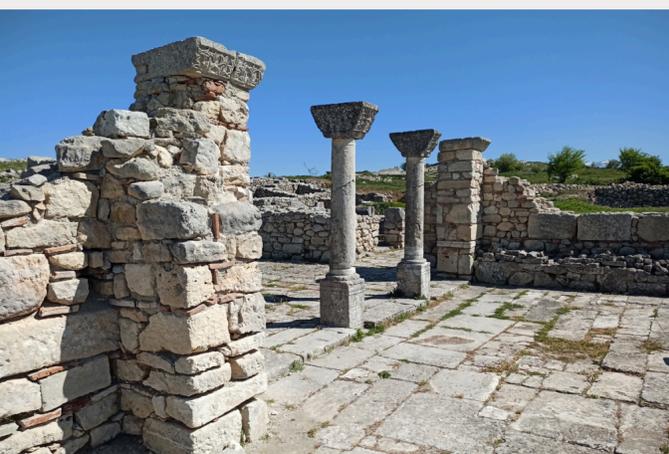


### Improved Services and Offerings

Design, construction, and procurement supervision for the new Multifunctional Center, which will include a museum, a documentation center, a warehouse for archaeological finds, a restoration laboratory, and a training room. It will also serve as a community center capable of hosting various events. The Center will be equipped with furniture, technical equipment for restoration and analysis, allowing access to the scientific and local community, and will also be equipped with a video surveillance system.

### Community-based local development

Technical training for the staff of the new Archaeological Park, as well as for MTKS staff involved in managing the Archaeological Parks, museums, and historic centers;  
Local development grants aimed at small local businesses, particularly women and young people, to stimulate production chains and employment;  
Local marketing strategies to increase visitor numbers and promote the Parks internally and externally.



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