



INTAS

## The mandate of INTAS

**INTAS** - International Association for the promotion of co-operation with scientists from the New Independent States of the former Soviet Union (NIS)

**Established in 1993 to:**

- ✓ preserve the best NIS scientific capabilities
- ✓ foster social & economic progress
- ✓ support international scientific collaboration for mutual benefit

## **Budget: €70+ million, 2002-2006**

- contribution from the European Community
- payments from member states & in-kind contributions
- additional resources through co-funding partners

## **Main Instruments**

- Calls for research project proposals
- Young NIS Scientists Programme
- Innovation Grant
- FP6 information activities
- Infrastructure Actions

## **E-library infrastructure action (IA-00-02)**

- Aim:** Providing scientific literature to NIS scientists via internet, free of charge
- Access:** via NIS libraries and scientific institutions  
- have to register for access to e-journals and document delivery
- Project duration:** 2002-2005
- Budget:** 900.000 €
- Project execution:** 2 subcontractors – TIB and INASP



## E-library - Target countries

E-library access organised by **TIB** – Technische Informationsbibliothek/University Hannover, Germany

- **Azerbaijan**
- **Georgia**
- **Kazakhstan**
- **Kyrgyzstan**
- **Tajikistan**
- **Ukraine**

Access pages: <http://tib.miclibrary-intas.ru>  
<http://www.intas.be> (access soon operational)

Problem: only few institutions from Azerbaijan, Georgia  
Kyrgyzstan, Tajikistan have registered



## E-library - Target countries

E-library access organised by **INASP** – International Network for the Availability of Scientific Publications, UK

- **Armenia**
- **Belarus**
- **Moldova**
- **Turkmenistan**
- **Uzbekistan**

Access pages: <http://www.inasp.info/peri/intas.html>  
<http://www.intas.be> (access soon operational)

Problem: only few institutions from Belarus, Moldova, Turkmenistan (!) have registered

The top of the slide features a blue-tinted photograph of laboratory glassware, including beakers and test tubes, some containing liquids. A white rectangular box with a thin border is overlaid on the left side of the image, containing the word "INTAS" in a bold, white, sans-serif font.

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