Minority media and the attitude towards them

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Kosovo has approximately 2 million people, the vast majority of whom are Albanians. Most of them are Muslim and speak Albanian. Serbs are the largest minority, they speak Serbian and are Orthodox Christian. Less small community Roma, Ashkali, Egyptians, Bosniaks, Turks, Gorani and Croats.

In my paper the focus will be medias after the war and onwards, where the Kosovo institutions, besides other challenges were faced with numerous problems of minorities, as was their integration in institutions of this country but also life in general.

My work on this issue will be analyzed gazing legal instruments and mechanisms that have been used, to be set in motion effects through the media for minority integration.

The aim of the work of this theme is; To know that what helped this strong legal framework for media development in the integration of minorities; Which minorities remain disadvantaged in this aspect; What media were also positioned on their power as a community;

The legal framework, the Public Broadcaster, the Independent Media Commission, the Serbian second channel; Boards on the media and the representation of minorities in them;

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