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Business (ICT Clusters & Inward Investment)



Funding Alert

Call	NWE - Developing the NWE knowledge-based ec by capitalising on our capacity for innov	To develop new, and strengthen existing, growth clusters and networks by building on endogenous potential
Programme	Transnational Territorial Cooperation - NW Europe	
Project Types	Pilots	
Geographic Scope	North West Europe	
Implementation		

Call	CIP-Innovation through the wider adoption of and investment in ICTs	- Promoting innovation in processes, services and products enabled by ICTs, in particular in SMEs and public services, taking into account the necessary skills requirements.
Programme	CIP - ICT Policy Support Programme	- Promoting and raising awareness of the opportunities and benefits that ICTs bring to citizens and businesses and stimulating debate at the European level on emerging ICT trends.
Project Types	Market Replication; Research	
Geographic Scope	EU Wide	
Implementation		

Call	7FP-Cooperation-ICT-Applications Research-ICT supporting businesses and industry	Dynamic, network-oriented business systems for product and service creation and delivery; decentralised control and management of intelligent items; digital business ecosystems, in particular software solutions adaptable to the needs of small- and medium-sized organisations; collaboration services for distributed workspaces; augmented group presence, group management and sharing support.
Programme	7th Framework ISP	
Project Types	Pilots	
Geographic Scope	EU Wide	
Implementation		

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Call	7FP-Capacities-Regions of Knowledge	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Analysis, development and implementation of research agendas of regional clusters and cooperation between them. These will include analysis as well as an implementation plan focusing on R&D capacity and priorities. Projects shall use foresight, benchmarking or other methods, demonstrating expected benefits, such as strengthened links between clusters involved, optimised involvement in European research projects and higher impacts on regional development. - “Mentoring” of regions with a less developed research profile by highly developed ones based on R&D focused cluster building. Transnational regional consortia will mobilise and associate research actors in academia, industry and government to deliver “guidance” solutions with and for technologically less developed regions. - Initiatives to improve integration of research actors and institutions in regional economies, through their interactions at cluster level. These will include transnational activities to improve links between research stakeholders and the local business communities as well as relevant activities between clusters.
Programme	7th Framework ISP	
Project Types	Pilots	
Geographic Scope	EU Wide	
Implementation		

Call	NPP-Promoting innov and competitiv in remote and peripheral areas-Innovation, network & compet	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Exchange of best practise and establishment of cooperation networks between R&D institutions and SMEs to increase the capacity for innovation, facilitate the design of innovation systems and strengthen competitiveness - Transnational cooperation networks and knowledge transfer to develop existing and new innovative products - Cooperation and exchange of best practice between SMEs on how to address and reach markets with existing and new products
Programme	Transnational Territorial Cooperation - NPP	
Project Types		
Geographic Scope	Northern Periphery	
Implementation		

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Call	NPP- Promoting innov and competitiveness in remote and peripheral areas-Accessibility	- Increased use of ICT to overcome distance - Implementation of ICT to modernise and to innovate traditional industries
Programme	Transnational Territorial Cooperation - NPP	
Project Types		
Geographic Scope	Northern Periphery	
Implementation		

Call	CIP- Innovation, including eco-innovation in enterprises	Fostering sector-specific innovation, clusters, innovation networks, public-private innovation partnerships and cooperation with relevant international organisations, and the use of innovation management.
Programme	CIP - ICT Policy Support Programme	
Project Types	Pilots	
Geographic Scope	EU Wide	
Implementation		

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