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ON THE INTRODUCTION TO EU FUNDING

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Introduction to EU funding

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TODAY'S PROGRAMME

1. INTRODUCTION
2. WHAT IS EU FUNDING? - *Introduction to the EU Funding Scheme*
3. WHAT FUNDS ARE AVAILABLE? – *The Structure of EU Funding Schemes*
4. WHERE TO LOOK? – *Resources which will help you find your way*
5. WHERE TO START? – *Expert's tips*
6. ANY QUESTIONS?

INTRODUCTION

- A COMPLEX PROCESS?

- AIM OF TODAY:
  - INTRODUCE THE EU FUNDS
  - IN A SIMPLE WAY
  - STEP UP TO FUTURE APPLICATION
  - FUNDING

WHAT IS EU FUNDING?

EU 2020 STRATEGY:
GLOBAL 10 YEAR FRAMEWORK FOR ACTIONS IN MANY POLICY AREAS

Three mutually reinforcing priorities:

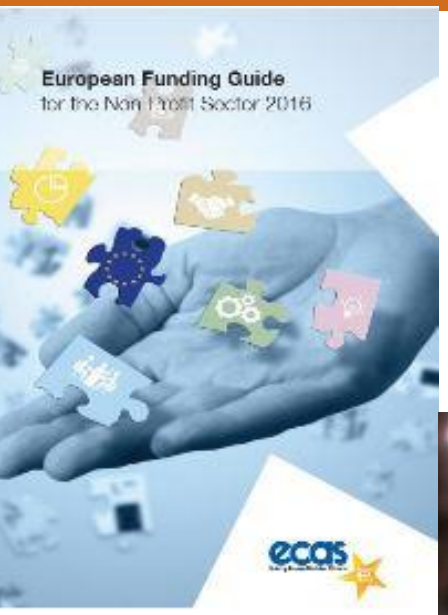
1. Smart Growth

2. Sustainable growth

3. Inclusive growth

Seven flagship initiatives:
Research and innovation | Education | Digital Shift | Energy & Resources | Industry | New Skills & Jobs | Poverty

WHAT IS EU FUNDING?



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WHAT FUNDS ARE AVAILABLE?

Structural Funds	Providing support for geographical areas within EU which are lagging behind the EU average in terms of economic development and social inclusion
Transnational community programmes	Encouraging organisations and individuals to work together, undertake mobility projects, etc.
External cooperation programmes	- Assistance for countries outside the EU - Cooperation between EU and the rest of the world
Financial Instruments	Providing loans, guarantees, venture capital and/or other equity financing

WHAT FUNDS ARE AVAILABLE?

EU FUNDING CATEGORIES

EU STRUCTURAL AND INVESTMENT FUND (ESIF) 2014-2020

- Cohesion fund
- ERDF
- ESF
- EAFRD (POP)
- EMFF (FISHERY)
- ERDF North
- ERDF East
- ERDF South
- ERDF West
- ERDF interreg A
- ERDF interreg B
- ERDF Interreg C

THEMATIC FUNDS 2014-2020

- HORIZON 2020 (INCL. IEE)
- COSME (IN H2020)
- AMBIENT ASSITED LIVING
- EUROPEAN ENERGY EFFICIENCY FUND (EEEF)
- ELENA
- CONNECTING EUROPE FACILITY
- LIFE
- CREATIVE EUROPE
- EMPLOYMENT AND SOCIAL INNOVATION (EaSI)
- ERASMUS+
- HEALTH FOR GROWTH
- ETC.

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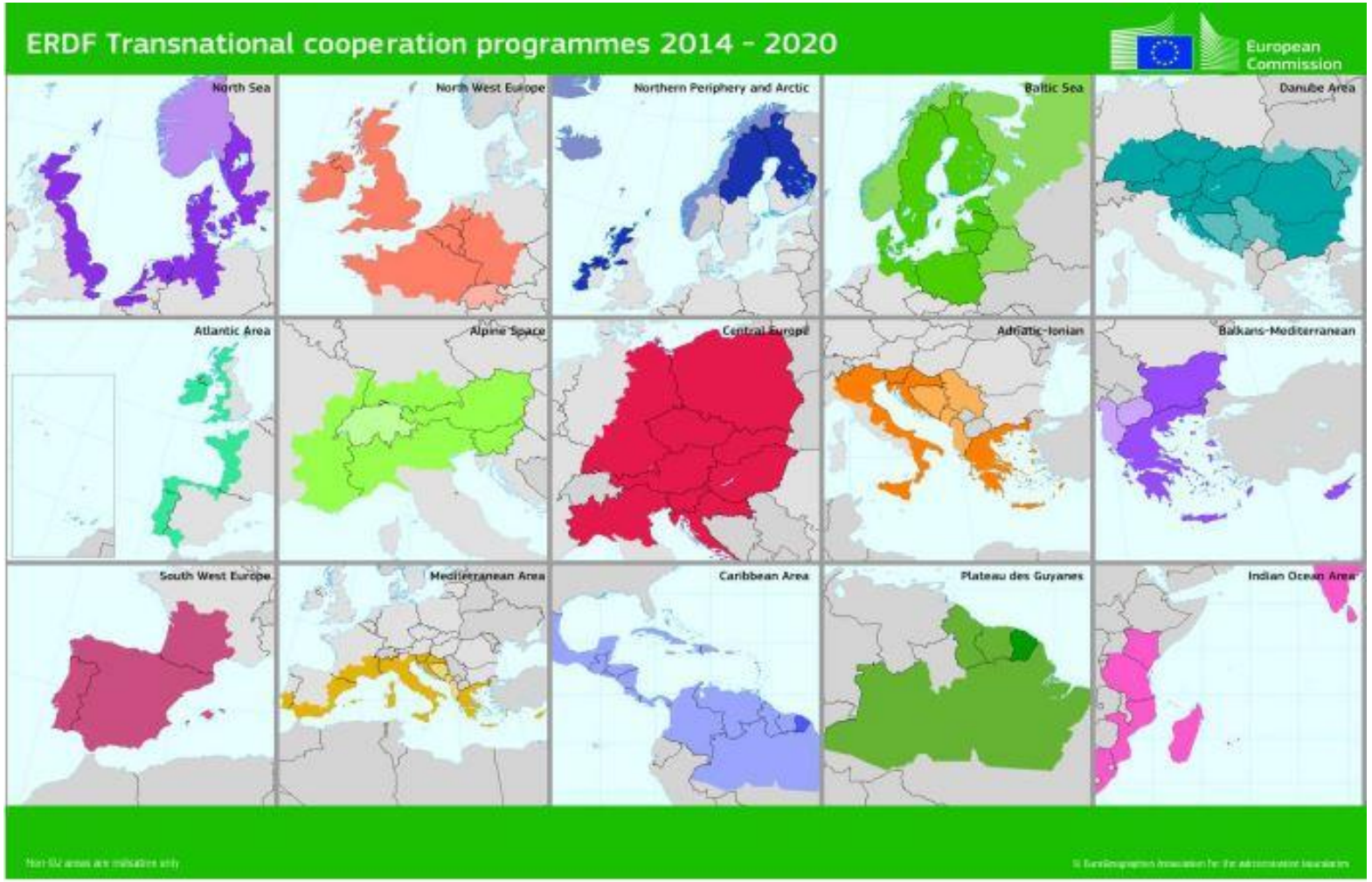
WHAT FUNDS ARE AVAILABLE?

FUNDS	THEMATIC & OBJECTIVE
EUROPEAN SOCIAL FUND	Investing in People: employment and mobility, education, social inclusion and better public administration.
EUROPEAN REGIONAL DEVELOPMENT FUND	Investing in Growth: innovation and research; ICTs and digital agenda; competitiveness of SMEs'; low-carbon economy.
COHESION FUND	Reduce economic and social disparities and promote sustainable development (only the less developed regions).
EUROPEAN AGRICULTURE FUND FOR RURAL DEVELOPMENT	Competitiveness of agriculture and forestry; environment and countryside; quality of life and management of economic activity in rural areas.
EUROPEAN MARITIME AND FISHERISIES FUND	Sustainable fishing; support to coastal communities; job creation and improved quality of life; access of finance.

WHAT FUNDS ARE AVAILABLE?



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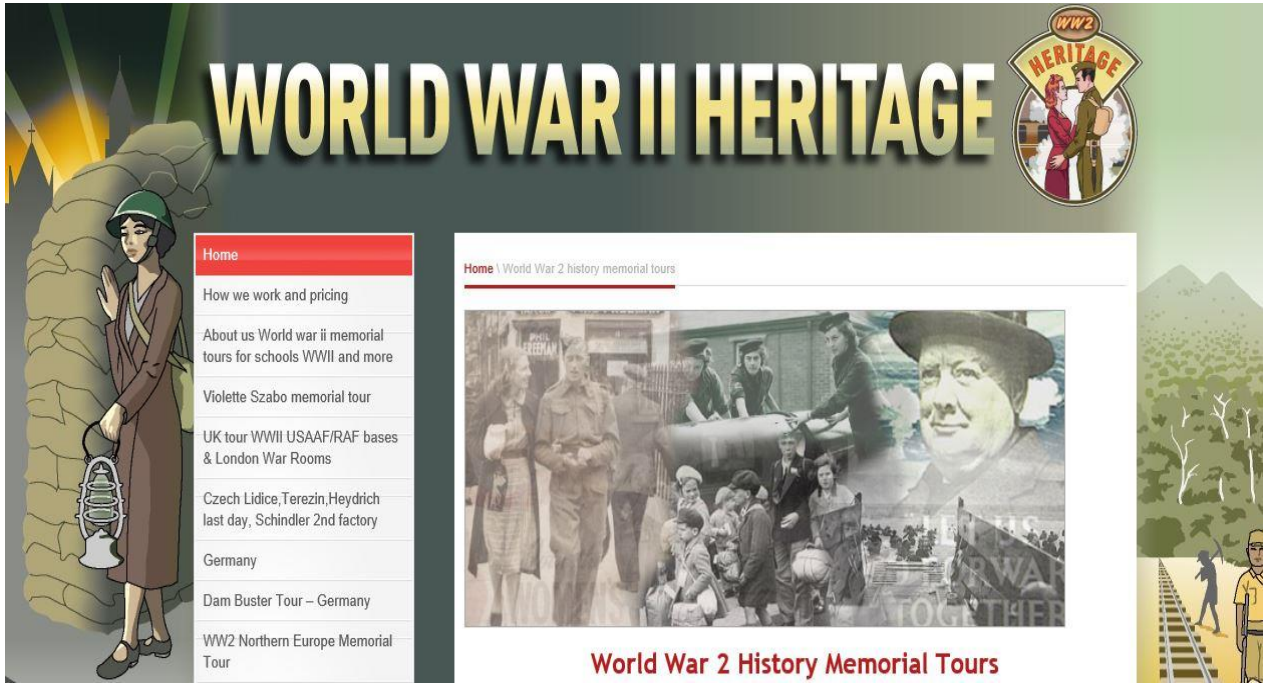
WHAT FUNDS ARE AVAILABLE?

EXAMPLE CROSSBORDER PROJECT/INTERREG TWO SEAS PROGRAM



WW2 Heritage project (BE, FR, NL, UK)

The Second World War has had a lasting impact on the landscape of the Channel and the North Sea. Many physical remains such as bunkers and fortifications still remain but are derelict and inaccessible to the public. The same goes to some extent for the memories of eye-witnesses.

Supported by the "2 Seas cross-border Operational Programme",[18] the WW2 Heritage project aimed to ensure the preservation of this heritage and improve access to it. Combining physical and intellectual heritage is indeed the best way to learn about this historical period. The 10 partners, each responsible for key WW2 heritage sites and expert in interpreting this heritage, made an inventory of the physical relics, collected WW2 eye-witness accounts and improved access to this heritage. They also developed the touristic potential of these sites by creating a range of interactive and digital applications as well as "discovery trails" for pedestrians, cyclists and cars. A free App called WWII Heritage is for instance leading visitors on a cross-border discovery route in the regions of Zeeland, West-Flanders, Nord-Pas-de-Calais and the South-East of England (http://www.worldwar2heritage.com/en/routes).

EU contribution: € 2.108.055 (2011-2014) - Level of EU funding: 50 %

WHAT FUNDS ARE AVAILABLE?

HORIZON 2020

EXCELLENT SCIENCE	MARIE SKLODOWSKA- CURIE ACTIONS EUROPEAN RESEARCH INFRASTRUCTURES, INCL. E-INFRASTRUCTURES
INDUSTRIAL LEADERSHIP	LEADERSHIP IN ENABLING AND INDUSTRIAL TECHNOLOGIES • INFO AND COMMUNICATION TECHNOLOGIES • NANOTECHNOLOGIES, ADVANCED MATERIALS, ADVANCED MANUFACTURING AND PROCESSING, AND BIOTECHNOLOGY • SPACE INNOVATION IN SMES
SOCIETAL CHALLENGES	SECURE, CLEAN AND EFFICIENT ENERGY INCLUSIVE, INNOVATIVE AND REFLECTIVE SOCIETIES SECURE SOCIETIES – PROTECTING FREEDOM AND SECURITY OF FREEDOM AND ITS CITIZENS

http://ec.europa.eu/programmes/horizon2020/en/

WHAT FUNDS ARE AVAILABLE?

COSME

FRAMEWORK CONDITIONS FOR THE COMPETITIVENESS AND SUSTAINABILITY OF EU ENTERPRISES	- ACTIVITIES TO IMPROVE EUROPEAN COMPETITIVENESS - ACTIVITIES TO DEVELOP SME POLICY AND PROMOTOE SMES COMPETITIVENESS - TOURISM - NEW BUSINESS CONCEPTS FOR CONSUMER GOODS
ENTREPRENEURSHIP	- ERASMUS FOR ENTREPRENEURS - ENTREPRENEURSHIP EDUCATION
ACCESS TO FINANCE	FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS
ACCESS TO MARKETS	- ENTERPRISE EUROPE NETWORK - SUPPORT TO SMES ABROAD - SUPPORT TO INTERNATIONAL INDUSTRIAL COOPERATION

http://ec.europa.eu/enterprise/initiatives/cosme/

WHAT FUNDS ARE AVAILABLE?

CREATIVE EUROPE

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MEDIA

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WHAT FUNDS ARE AVAILABLE?

ERASMUS+

1. LEARNING MOBILITY FOR INDIVIDUALS

2. COOPERATION FOR INNOVATION & EXCHANGE OF GOOD PRACTICES

3. POLICY

FOR MORE INFORMATION:
HTTP://EC.EUROPA.EU/PROGRAMMES/ERASMUS-PLUS/

WHAT FUNDS ARE AVAILABLE?

ERASMUS+ - EUROPETOUR

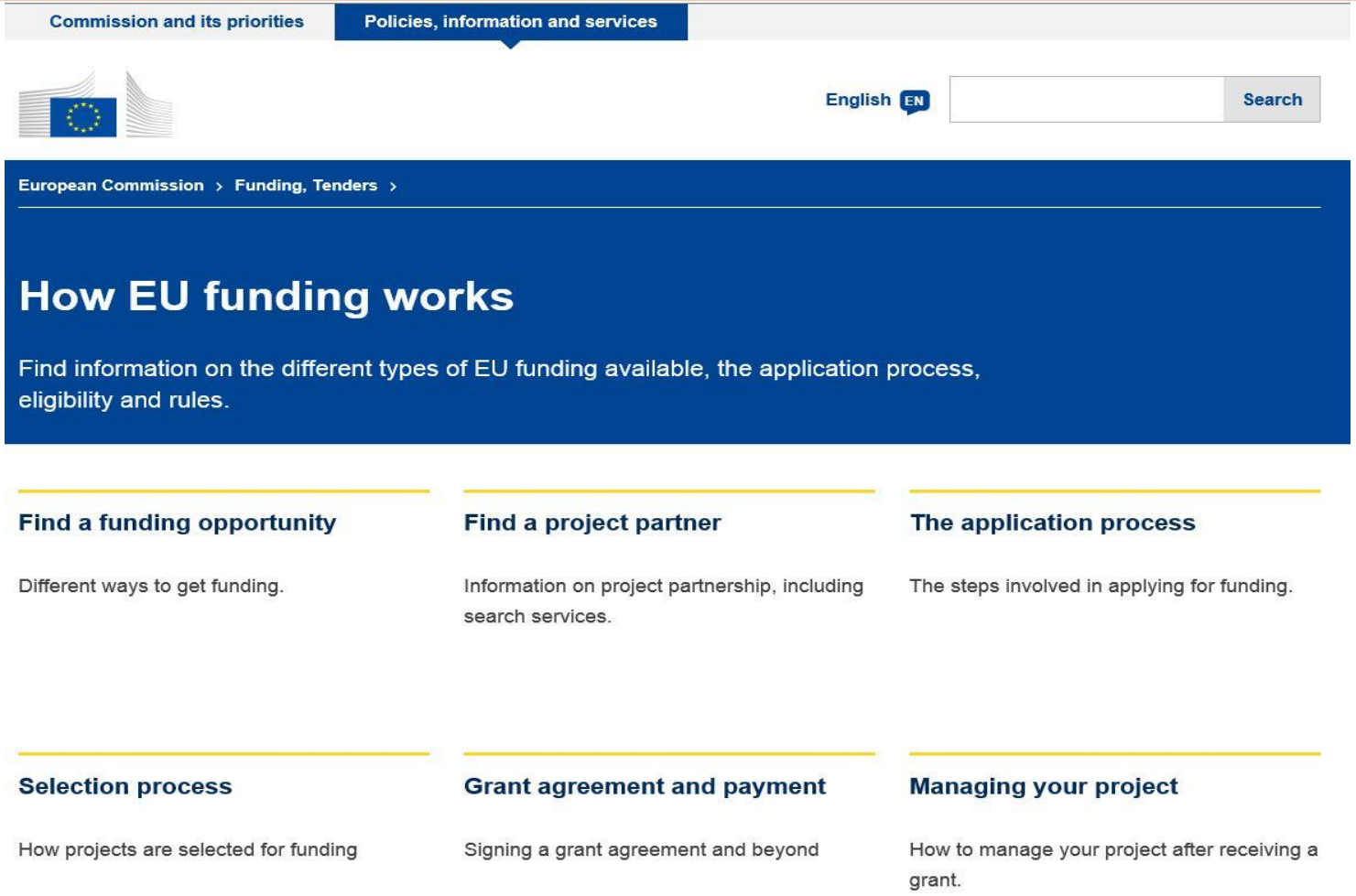
8 EUROPEAN REGIONS
10 EUROPEAN PARTNERS

ONE MAIN OBJECTIVE:

TO QUALIFY THE WORKFORCE IN RURAL AREAS FOR SUCCESSFUL CULTURAL TOURISM

WWW.EUROPETOUR.TIPS

WHERE TO LOOK?



Link to info portal:

https://ec.europa.eu/info/funding-tenders/how-eu-funding-works_en

WHERE TO START?

PRACTICAL INFORMATION

1. IDENTIFY RELEVANT PROGRAMS AND FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS
2. IDENTIFY RELEVANT CALLS FOR PROPOSALS, TENDERS, APPLICATIONS
3. GET FAMILIAR WITH THE CALLS SPECIFIC DOCUMENTATION
4. FIND PARTNERS WHERE USEFULL OR REQUIRED*
5. SUBMIT PROPOSAL ON TIME

*Many programme websites offer a “looking for partners” section
Alternatively the page advertising a specific call often contains a section where potential partners can post their offer or request.

WHERE TO START?

PRACTICAL INFORMATION

ALWAYS:

1. REGISTER FOR THE ECAS* ACCOUNT
2. TAKE A PIC-CODE**
3. CONTACT THE NATIONAL CONTACTPOINT OF THE PROGRAMME***

*ECAS EUROPEAN COMMISSIION AUTHENTICATION SERVICE
**PIC PARTICIPANTS IDENTIFICATION CODE
***TO BE FOUND ON THE SPECIFIC PROGRAMME WEBSITE

WHERE TO START?

KEY ISSUES

BENEFICIARY	- ELIGIBLE ORGANISATIONS - GEOGRAPHICAL AREA - PARTNERSHIP (MINIMUM)
ACTIONS	- OBJECTIVES - TYPE OF ACTIVITIES GRANTED
BUDGET	- MIN. & MAX. GRANTS - MATCHFUNDING: % OF CO-FINANCING
CALENDER	- SUBMISSION DEADLINE - STARTING DATE - DURATION
PROCESS	- CONCEPTUAL NOTE/DETAILED APPLICATION - CRITERIA'S (SELECTION, AWARD)
INFORMATION	- USEFULL DOCUMENTS - CONTACT POINT OR PERSON

WHERE TO START?

BUILDING A PROPOSAL

RECOMMENDATIONS:

1. MAKE SURE YOU ARE ADDRESSING THE GENUINE PROBLEM

2. MAKE SURE YOU ARE EQUIPPED TO ADDRESS THE PROBLEM

3. TWO STEP APPROACH: (1). DEFINE PROJECT THOROUGHLY; (2). ADAPT PROJECT TO TARGETTED DONOR OR PROGRAMME

USE THE LOGICAL FRAMEWORK APPROACH

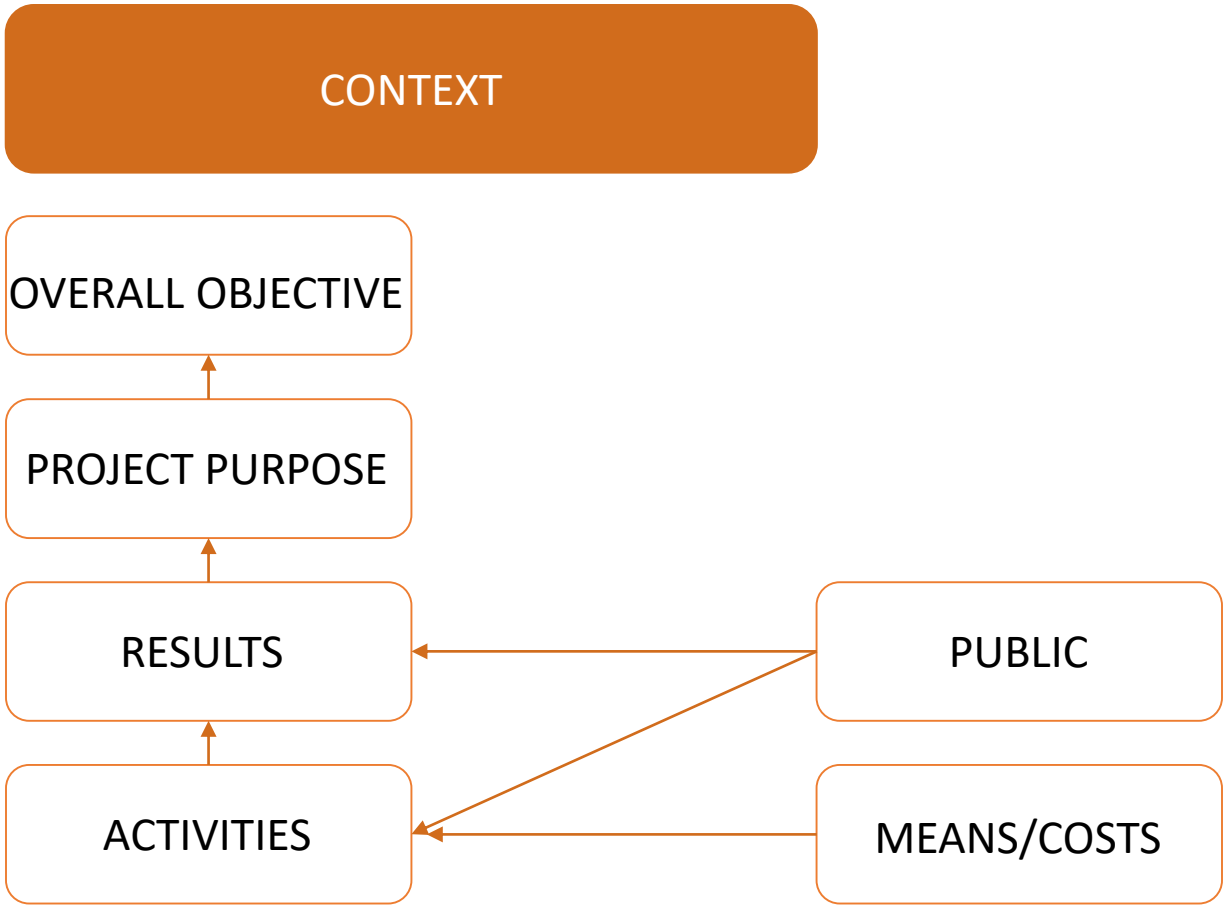
WHERE TO START?

THE LOGICAL FRAMEWORK APPROACH

OVERALL OBJECTIVE(S)	OBJECTIVELY VERIFIABLE INDICATORS	SOURCES OF VERIFICATION	
PROJECT PURPOSE	OBJECTIVELY VERIFIABLE INDICATORS	SOURCES OF VERIFICATION	ASSUMPTIONS
RESULTS	OBJECTIVELY VERIFIABLE INDICATORS	SOURCES OF VERIFICATION	ASSUMPTIONS
ACTIVITIES	MEANS	COSTS	ASSUMPTIONS
			PRE-CONDITIONS

WHERE TO START?

THE LOGICAL FRAMEWORK APPROACH



IF THESE ACTIVITIES ARE IMPLEMENTED, THEN THESE RESULTS WILL BE DELIVERED

IF THESE RESULTS ARE DELIVERED, THAN THIS PURPOSE WILL BE ACHIEVED

IF THIS PURPOSE IS ACHIEVED, THEN THE OVERALL OBJECTIVE WILL HAVE TO BE SIGNIFICANTLY BEEN CONTRIBUTED TO

WHERE TO START?

THE LOGICAL FRAMEWORK APPROACH

CONTEXT	**DIFFICULTIES/PROBLEMS TO SOLVE, WHICH MEET NEEDS** (REGARDING A REGION, A PUBLIC, A SECTOR, …)
OVERALL OBJECTIVE	**ULTIMATE GOAL** (SINGLE PURPOSE TO WHICH THE PROJECT WILL PARTLY HELP)/ LONG TERM OBJECTIVE
PROJECT PURPOSE	**SHORT-TERM/SPECIFIC OBJECTIVE(S), REACHED DIRECTLY** THROUGH THE PROJECT AND CONTRIBUTING TO THE OVERALL OBJECTIVE
RESULTS	**OUTPUTS**/INTERMEDIATE RESULTS THAT ALLOW OBTAINING THE PROJECT PURPOSE(S)
PUBLIC	**DIRECT TARGET GROUP** OF THE PROJECT
ACTIVITIES	**KEY ACTIVITIES** TO BE IMPLEMENTED TO PRODUCE THE EXPECTED RESULTS
MEANS & COSTS	HUMAN, PHYSICAL AND FINANCIAL **RESOURCES**

WHERE TO START?

TIPS TO FIND EUROPEAN PARTNERS

- WITHIN THE FRH NETWORK
- KEY NETWORK (LIKE FRH) AND ORGANISATIONS IN DIFFERENT EUROPEAN COUNTRIES
- CONTACT POINTS/TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE OFFICES
- DATABASES OF PREVIOUSLY SUCCESSFUL PROJECTS
- BRUSSELS OFFICES OF MEMBER STATES/REGIONS
- NETWORKMEETINGS OR CULTURAL ACTIVITY FORUMS AND MEETINGS

QUESTIONS?

THANK YOU FOR YOUR ATTENTION!

QUESTIONS CAN BE ASKED VIA THE CHAT IN YOUR SCREENS.

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