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MEUSAC's participates in Notte Bianca

As part of its activities, MEUSAC opened its doors to the general public during this year's *Notte Bianca* in Valletta on September 25. Apart from providing information on its main functions that include information and assistance on EU funding programmes, information on EU policies, citizens' rights and the consultation process, MEUSAC also highlighted some of its activities and events held over the past year.

One of the main projects which MEUSAC took on as a result of its partnership with the European Commission's Representation in Malta and the European Parliament's Valletta office was the creation of a cartoon entitled "The Magical Adventures of Tommy and Rosy" communicat-

ing the establishment of the EU and its growth into a union built on solidarity and peace to a young audience.

The cartoon was viewed throughout the night in a cinema room specifically erected for the event.

MEUSAC also gave prominence to yet another EU co-financed project entitled "CAP: Now and Beyond". The initiative strives to provide information on the structure of the **Common Agricultural Policy (CAP)**, its various aspects and the role it plays in the daily lives of the Union's citizens whilst allowing for consultation with the general public on its comprehensive reform.



Funding Call: The 2010 “K:nowledge Networks for the Competitiveness and Sustainability of European Tourism”



Pedro Alvarez

The call for proposals titled “Knowledge networks for the competitiveness and sustainability of European tourism” has been published by the European Commission under the EU’s Competitiveness and Innovation Framework Programme (CIP) - Entrepreneurship and Innovation Programme. The call aims at supporting tourism stakeholders’ efforts in implementing the European Commission’s “Agenda for a sustainable and competitive European tourism”.

The Commission acknowledges that the increased involvement of stakeholders in the tourism industry is needed to improve its role vis-à-vis the sustainability and competitiveness of European tourism. In this respect, the Commission would like to see actors actively working on increasing knowledge of the tourism sector, pooling their efforts in a more dynamic manner. This should result in a stronger bridge between the creation of knowledge, its dissemination and the implementation of sustainable and competitive practices in the tourism industry.

The overall objective of the “Knowledge networks for the competitiveness and sustainability of European tourism” call for proposals is to strengthen the research potential of competitiveness and sustainability in tourism-related issues through guidance and support of the development of regional ‘research-driven clusters’, associate universities, research centres, enterprises and regional authorities. Its specific objectives are to improve cooperation and coordination on research activities related to competitiveness and

sustainability tourism-related issues so as to create a more favourable framework for the tourism sector, to foster transnational research activities in the field of tourism with a clear EU added value and to pave the way for the future constitution of a European knowledge network for the competitiveness and sustainability of European tourism, or so called “virtual tourism observatory”.

The proposed projects must cover knowledge gathering and research as well as awareness raising. The main aim of knowledge gathering and research is to be the monitoring and evaluation of the development of the tourism demand and supply levels as well as the realisation of studies and analyses of tourism factors.

The maximum CIP budget allocated for this call is €1 million, with the expectation being that three to four projects will be financed. The maximum EU co-financing rate of eligible costs as established by the call is 75% translating in a maximum of €330,000 per project. The deadline for submission is October 1, 2010.

The Guide for Submission and the Submission Set can be accessed through www.cipmalta.com.



Have your say on the future of the EU Culture Programme : Online Consultation launched

Glen Calleja

The Culture Programme will continue to run in its current form until 2013. In order to gather input on the **next stage of the culture programme after 2013** (mainly its objectives, activities, types of support), an online consultation round has been launched by the European Commission.



The initiative, running from **September 15** to **December 15, 2010**, is just one part of the wider public consultation process which will contribute to the Commission's proposal for a new culture programme to be approved by the European Parliament and the Council.

In particular, the need has been felt to revise the Programme's objectives and action lines in the light of current developments so that they:

- respond to current European and global developments and exploit the cultural sector's potential which will eventually contribute to the Europe 2020 strategy for smart, sustainable and inclusive growth;
- ensure the greatest possible **structuring and multiplier effects** through its funding, which should have a real European added value;
- **prioritise spending on project content** over administration – by designing a Culture programme which is more streamlined and cost-effective.

The process is open to all; individuals (click [here](#))

to submit your contribution), organisations (click [here](#)) and public authorities (click [here](#)). Submissions will be published online. Click [here](#) for further information.

Expression of interest

A number of Portuguese organisations expressed their interest in cooperating with Maltese partners in establishing a consortium in view of collaborating in future projects to be submitted under the Culture Programme. The following are just some of the interested organisations operating within various cultural areas.

- Museu Abade Baçal (archeology, fine arts, folk traditions, handicrafts)
- Platina – World Music Association
- Vortice Dance Company
- CAE- Centro de Artes e Espectáculos da Figueira da Foz.
- Atelier Mar (NGO from Capo Verde - intangible heritage, cultural identity)
- Algarve Film Commission
Abel Salazar House Museum (hosting a collection of paintings, sculptures, engravings and personal effects of the eminent professor, artist, writer and philosopher from Porto)

Those interested in getting in touch with the above or exploring the possibility of cooperation with other partners in the Culture Programme programmes may contact the CCP office.

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Erasmus for Young Entrepreneurs

Elizabeth Fava

Erasmus for Young Entrepreneurs is an EU programme which aims to promote entrepreneurship amongst entrepreneurs be it those who are still young and finding their feet or those who are well established in the sector and are seeking to branch out as entrepreneurs.

The pilot phase of Erasmus for Young Entrepreneurs started in February 2009 and came to a successful end in September 2009, with the second phase launched in February 2010 and running up to July 2011.

Despite Malta being the smallest EU member state, the results recorded by Koperattivi Malta as the Intermediary Organisation in Malta, compare favourably with much larger EU countries such as Spain, Italy, Germany and the UK. These results are quantified in terms of both the numbers for the registration of Host and New Entrepreneurs who have registered for this programme and the number of matches secured between Maltese and European entrepreneurs.

Both the Host Entrepreneurs - HEs (the organisation hosting New Entrepreneurs) and the New Entrepreneurs (NEs) who chose to visit Malta to learn more on how to go about the creation and functioning of their own company were very satisfied with their experience.

The figures included below point to the EYE's efficacy in reaching the goals set out by the European Commission.

Any Host Entrepreneur who is interested in hosting New Entrepreneurs from any one of the European countries, seeking information on participation in EYE or the programme at large may contact:

Ray M. Cassar or Elizabeth Camilleri Fava on 21484835 / 99824987

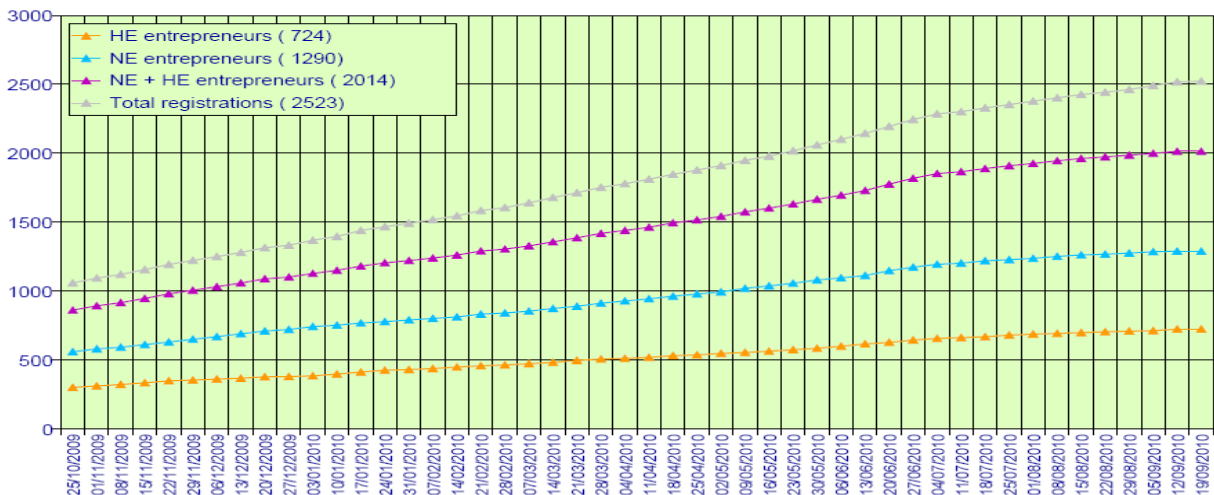
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Erasmus for Young Entrepreneurs
www.erasmus-entrepreneurs.eu

Weekly Evolution of Registrations



Cycle 1:2

Status Accepted

European Globalisation Adjustment Fund (EGF)

The European Globalisation Adjustment Fund (EGF) was introduced to support workers made redundant with importance being given to those affected securing alternative employment. The EGF has been created to address unemployment resulting from the growing trend of relocation by large companies to cheaper manufacturing bases outside the EU. An annual allocation of €500 million has been made available to the EGF so as to finance such interventions.

To date, a total of 65 applications have been submitted since its inception in January 2007, amounting to €373.6 million translating into 70,000 workers. EGF applications cover the following manufacturing industries: car production (with the EU States affected being France, Spain, Portugal, Austria, Germany, Sweden); textiles (Italy, Malta, Lithuania, Portugal, Spain and Belgium); mobile handsets (Finland and Germany); white goods (Italy); IT and electronic products (Ireland and Portugal); mechanical/electronic equipment (Denmark and Germany); repair and maintenance of aircraft and spacecraft (Ireland); crystal glass (Ireland); ceramics and natural stone (Spain); construction (Netherlands, Ireland and Lithuania); carpentry and joinery (Spain); electrical equipment (Lithuania) publishing and printing (Netherlands), furniture (Lithuania), retail trade (Czech Republic and Spain) and wholesale trade (Netherlands)

Evidence of the Programme's role was further illustrated by the European Commission's approval of an application from Ireland for assistance under the EU Globalisation Adjustment Fund (EGF) on September 21, 2010.

Redundancies by *SR Technics Ireland* operation resulted from financial difficulties being faced by airlines companies which has inevitably been passed on to suppliers such as those operating in the aircraft maintenance sector. Due to the downturn, the industry has abandoned the 'full service' MRO contract model in favour of subcontracting maintenance services several smaller ones thus micro-managing costs. SR Technics lost two significant clients, Aer Lingus and Gulf Air, to cheaper service providers.

The € 7.4 million request made by the Irish authorities will reintroduce 850 redundant workers into gainful employment after *SR Technics* announcement that 1,350 jobs will be cut. The application is awaiting the approval of the European Parliament and the Council of Ministers (namely the ECOFIN Budgetary Authority) .

The EGF will assist 850 of SR Technics' former workers to upgrade their skills by providing them with the necessary guidance and training thus reintegrating them within the country's labour market. The project's cost is estimated at about € 11.5 million, with a total of € 7.4 million of EGF assistance being targeted.

Further information on the EGF is available at <http://ec.europa.eu/egf>



FP7 Finances Research on Tuna

Aquaculture has been touted as one of the solutions to pressing issues such as food scarcity caused by population growth, over-fishing, pollution and its consequences. Estimates point to global aquaculture production needing to double by 2045 so as to cater for the increase in the demand for fish. In order to maintain and increase the fish population produce, extensive research needs to be conducted in the field of aquaculture.

SELDOTT, a research project co-ordinated by the Spanish Institute of Oceanography (IEO) and funded by the Seventh Framework Programme boasts government bodies, research institutes and industry organisations from France (IFREMER, CNRS and University of Montpellier), Germany (University of Düsseldorf), Greece (HCMR), Israel (NCM-IOLR), Italy (University of Bari), Malta (MCFS, Malta Fish Farming), Norway (Skretting) and Spain (University of Cádiz, Ricardo Fuentes Group and the co-ordinating IEO). The level of FP7 financing that the consortium lays claim to amounts to € 2.98 million.

Until now, the consortium has succeeded in obtaining large quantities of eggs from Atlantic bluefin tuna in captivity without using hormonal induction. According to the IEO researchers, the results show the tuna's ability to produce circa 10

million eggs in a single day and to adapt to new habitats.

The SELDOTT team has now embarked on a study of embryonic and larval development of fish eggs which will seek to improve the survival and growth of their young. The project also aims to develop sustainable feeds for bluefin tuna juveniles and to legislate a protocol for commercial-scale larval rearing.



The EU's Research, Innovation and Science Commissioner, Máire Geoghegan-Quinn, praised the efforts of the consortium by stating, "The SELDOTT project is yet another example of EU funded research contributing to tackling the most important global challenges facing us today. If the results of this research can ultimately be commercialised, it can improve food supplies and contribute to

economic growth and employment while also helping to ensure a sustainable management of bluefin tuna."

(Source http://europa.eu/geninfo/whatsnew_en.htm)



Consultation Exercise

The EEA and Norway Grants' support to NGOs is established to strengthen civil society development in the beneficiary states and to contribute to social justice, democracy and sustainable development. A recent evaluation of the EEA and Norway Grants' support to NGO funds in the period 2004-09 confirmed that the funds were a significant contribution to NGO sector development in these countries.

Online consultation

Through the EEA and Norway Grants 2009-2014, Norway, Iceland and Liechtenstein will make available at least 100 million euro for new civil society programmes. Since non-governmental organisations will also be eligible applicants under other programme areas, the total support to NGOs is, however, expected to be considerably higher.

Based on the evaluation and lessons drawn from the NGO funds 2004-09, Norway, Iceland and Liechtenstein have prepared proposals for support to the NGO sector in the period 2009-14. These will be subject to a six-week online [consultation exercise](#) which will allow civil society in the beneficiary states, as well as the donor states, to have their say on the proposed management and scope of NGO support.

Civil society representatives are strongly encouraged to contribute their views and positions on the proposals for future support to the NGO sector at www.eeagrants.org/ngoconsultation. There is room for comments, reactions and more formal input on this webpage. The input will also contribute to the development of a guideline for NGO programmes under the EEA Grants 2009-14. The consultation is open from 10 September to 22 October 2010.

Partner Search Ads

FA 156-1183: PS FP7 - Energy Efficient Buildings Call

The project consortium seeks Research Institutes, commercial companies or Universities that have experience in the development of sensors and controls with particular interest in buildings. During the project the requested partners will be required to assist in the development of new sensors and a control system, which will be the core output of the project. The integrated system developed during the project will monitor thermal comfort, air quality and will have user interfaces plus assistive aids for the elderly. Multiple partners (either universities, research institutes or commercial companies) that possess experience in the different areas listed for sensors and controls are envisaged.

FA 156-1184 FP7 - HEALTH.2011.3.3-2: Analysis of integrated strategies for sustainable behaviour

Our client is looking for a partner for FP7-HEALTH.2011.3.3-2: Analysis of integrated strategies for sustainable behaviour change. (Call FP7-HEALTH-2011-two-stage) He intends to study a domiciliary care system. We are looking for a third partner other than Italian or Romanian.

Partner Search Ads

FA 153 – 1170 FP7 Transports Call 2011

A French SME, specialised in data processing and data transmission systems for transportation, military defence (but also meteorological and other industrial sectors) wants to be part of an FP7 project.

The company has targeted the following topic in the current FP7-Transport call : SST.2011.5.2-2 : Advanced and cost effective road infrastructure construction, management and maintenance

But they can also offer their expertise in :

- ICT
- Environment
- Security

FA 153 - 1171: PS-115-Health:Development of a bioreactor for tissue engineered hybrid transplant

A client is looking for:

1) Research Institute focused on Tissue Engineering

2) SME Specialised in Bioreactors

- Specialists in cell biology (specifically adult stem cells) Tasks
- Validation of the viable cell culture environment for adult stem cells over time
- Validation of the cell seeding efficiency
- Determination of the optimal parameters for the cell seeding
- Listing requirements for cell culture.

3) SME Specialised in Industrial Design

- Experience in cell biology
- Experience in the design and construction of bioreactorsTasks
- Outline/sketched design for the bioreactor
- Design of the encasing of the bioreactor
- Design of assembly of the cell seeding chamber
- Simulation of fluid flow pathways for cell seeding

4) Hospital

Partner Search Ads

5) SME specialised in electronics and automation

- Experience in software design
- Experience with designing electronics and sensors for specialist applications Tasks
- Design electronics that will control sensors, pumps and valves
- Software design that will monitor parameters of the cell culture
- Creation of a patient specific log
- Sensor design to include applications for measurement of parameters such as gas, temperature, fluids etc.
- Assembly of components into a bioreactor prototype

FA 153-1172: Partner Search for Galileo Call

A very important Andalusian Technology Institute is preparing a RTD project to be submitted for Galileo Call. They are seeking partners as final user partner and / or commercialisers of GPS-EGNOS technology to be used in Agriculture of precision.

FA 153-1173: FA 1173: HEALTH-2011.2.3.1-4 - Relational

Database Expertise Required

a UK University is looking for partners for an FP7 application under the topic HEALTH-2011.2.3.1-4 Development of Multi-Analyte Diagnostic Test. They seek SME partners with relational database design, hosting expertise and relation searching expertise. They will be required to collect data from clinical sites and compiling the relational database. The project aims to find new responses to the current diagnosis of secondary infection in hospitals post operations

FA 153-1174: FP7 Transport

Type of partner sought (industry, R&D centre, SME...). Specific area of activity of the partner:

- Transport Benchmarking and Crosschecking
- Transport Intermodality, Information Systems in Transport.
- Transport Mode choice, Social Behaviour, Social impacts of Transport
- Web services Technologies, Interoperability.
- Dissemination, Innovation Strategies. Implementation cases.
- Task to be performed by the partner:
- Social Impact Analysis: Model Design and Development, Interfaces implementation.
- Dissemination: Dissemination Plan and activities, Web sites, ee-KDS, Implementation Case

Partner Search Ads

FA 153-1176: partner search for different FP7 projects

An Italian university is looking for European partners (enterprises, universities, research centres) interested in taking part to some projects to be submitted under the 7th FP.

The Topics involved are the following ones:

- KBBE.2011.1.1-01: Promoting conifer genomic resources
- KBBE.2011.1.2-03: Development of cover crop and mulch systems for sustainable crop production
- KBBE.2011.1.2-01: Sustainable management of agricultural soils in Europe for enhancing food and feed production and contributing to climate change mitigation.
- ENV.2011.2.1.4-3: Improved comprehension of the utility of the concepts of value of Biodiversity

FA 153-1177: PS 116 FP7 ICT-NMP-ENG-ENVTRANSPORT-CAP SME (Submarins)

Ictineu Submarins is looking forward to get involved in cooperative research projects in two target contexts:

- 1- Li-Ion battery systems for electric vehicles. The company is interested in using the ICTINEU 3 submersible as a demonstration platform of pressure tolerant Li-Ion batteries and advanced Battery Management Systems (BMS).
- 2- Offering ICTINEU 3 as a multipurpose research platform for projects being submitted in the context of FP7-OCEAN-2011 The ocean of tomorrow

FA 154-1179: FP7 PS FP7 HEALTH.2011.2.3.1-4 - diagnostic platform

SME interested in research and development of antibiotics in order to apply in the screening platform that is going to be developed within the project. SME which develops platforms for screening antibiotic resistance of bacteria The SME (s) must be located in the EU outside of Germany.

FA154-1180 PS FP7: NMP.2011.2.2-4

Looking for companies or institutes which can help to produce nano particles, the metallization on electronic components and UBMs. The project title is: "Novel materials for replacement of critical materials, as Pd, Pt and Ag, Au, Ni in green electronic components".

FA 155-1181: FP7-SME-2011: 3 partners searches

NET SHAPE MANUFACTURING OF TITANIUM AND COBALT DEVICES (COTINET)

Partners sought: Nano-powders production, micro-mechanic engineering, biomedical devices manufacturing prostheses manufacturing

Pre-announcement

FUNCTIONALISED BIOMATERIALS FOR SURGERY (FUNMAT)

Partners sought: Prostheses manufacturing, peptides synthesis, in-vitro tests

LONG-TERM ARTHROPROSTHESES (PROLONG)

Partners sought: Prostheses manufacturing, tribological tests, tribocorrosion tests

FA 155-1182: Substitution of a partner in an already financed 7FP project

A European Consortium is urgently looking for a partner in substitution of a previous one for the project: An ubiquitous embedded systems framework for energy-aware buildings using activity and context knowledge, co-financed by EC under the FP7 ICT 2009 5 call for proposal.

The partner should be a SME with experience in self-powered wireless sensor technology for building monitoring and industrial applications. Tasks to be performed in the project should be:

- Ubiquitous sensor design and embedding
- Living lab case studies and validations

For further information on the above partner searches kindly contact Johann Caruana at Enterprise Europe Network –Malta at Malta Enterprise on johann.caruana@maltaenterprise.com

Pre-announcement

Pre-Announcement to the Tenth Call for Project Proposals under the European Regional Development Fund

A new call for project proposals to be part-financed by the European Union under the European Regional Development Fund (ERDF) 2007-2013 will be launched shortly. Eligible applicants will be invited to submit applications for projects falling under Priority Axis 2: Promoting Sustainable Tourism of Operational Programme I 'Investing in Competitiveness for a Better Quality of Life'.

The focus areas within Priority Axis 2 open under this call are:

Product Development & Niche Market Development and Branding. The call is restricted to interventions undertaken by Public Entities with the aim to support the upgrading of the tourism product as indicated in the 'Tourism Policy for the Maltese Islands 2007 - 2011'. In particular, interventions should aim to upgrade and develop the tourism product, including existing national cultural assets, in order to improve the tourism experience offered by the Maltese Islands. More information will be available in the call that will be issued in the coming weeks.

The total **indicative** financial threshold for this call is €42 million. Proposals are to remain within the budget of the call, however the Managing Authority reserves the right to award more projects, if it deems this appropriate and in line with the targets of the Operational Programme. This call is restricted **SOLELY** to those projects that **DO NOT** involve state aid implications. The actual launch of the call, together with details of related Information Sessions, will be published in the coming weeks on the local media and on the PPCD webpage. Background documents and further information may be obtained from this [page](#) or from PPCD's [Online Helpdesk](#).



Open Calls

Communicating Agricultural Policy: € 3.25 million available for information projects

The European Commission has launched a call for proposal for information measures related to the Common Agricultural Policy. The grants are mainly targeting farmers' or rural development organisations, consumer associations, environmental protection associations, public authorities of the Member States, the media, universities, think tanks, who wish to carry out communication actions related to the Common Agricultural Policy. The budget for projects under this call for proposals is €3,250,000. The size of the grant asked must be between €20,000 and €300,000. The Commission will finance up to 50% of the cost of a project. Special priority would be given to projects that:

1. Explain and debate the Common Agricultural Policy with the general public, in particular the young urban population;
2. promote the role and usefulness of a strong, sustainable and balanced Common Agricultural Policy together with a socio-economic dynamism in rural areas;
3. discuss the need to maintain production capacity in order to ensure food security;
4. focus on the need for farmers to respond to new challenges, relating mainly to climate change, the preservation of the countryside and biodiversity;
5. discuss rural areas on direct aid, markets and rural development policy with agricultural stakeholders, the rest of the food supply chain and the population in;
6. create debate about the Common Agricultural Policy concerning the quality of agricultural products. Deadline for application is 5 November 2010. For further information: Website: http://ec.europa.eu/agriculture/grants/capinfo/index_en.htm

Email AGRI-GRANTS-APPLICATIONS-ONLY@ec.europa.eu

DIRECTORATE-GENERAL for COMMUNICATION - Call for proposals 2011 /

This call for proposals is open until 18/10/2010 at 12.00 hrs midday.

Category number 1 - TELEVISION PROGRAMMES:

Under this category the Directorate General for Communication of the European Parliament intends to offer a financial contribution to the production and broadcasting of Television programmes which fall within the context of the objectives and theme set-out and which focus on the role played by the European Parliament, the values it upholds, the decisions it takes and how these affect the daily lives of millions of Europeans.

Further information

http://www.europarl.europa.eu/tenders/subventions_call_proposal_2011/Theme_01_TV.pdf

Category number 2 - RADIO PROGRAMMES:



Open Calls

Under this category the Directorate General for Communication of the European Parliament intends to offer a financial contribution to the production and broadcasting of Radio programmes which fall within the context of the objectives and theme set-out and which focus on the role played by the European Parliament, the values it upholds, the decisions it takes and how these affect the daily lives of millions of Europeans.

Further information : http://www.europarl.europa.eu/tenders/subventions_call_proposal_2011/Theme_02_Radio.pdf

Category number 3 - WEBSITES:

Under this category the Directorate General for Communication of the European Parliament intends to offer a financial contribution to established on-line media organisations or organisations managing active and relevant social media websites. The financial contribution will be offered for the development and launch of specific section(s) added to existing websites which use creative methods to generate interest and raise awareness about the role of the European Parliament, the values it upholds, the decisions it takes and how these affect the daily lives of millions of Europeans.

Further information : http://www.europarl.europa.eu/tenders/subventions_call_proposal_2011/Theme_03_websites.pdf

European Youth Capital 2013

Implementing new ideas and innovative projects with regards to the active participation of young people in society, and present a role model for the further development of other European municipalities.

Domains concerned: education – training, local development, youth

Who can apply: local and regional authorities

Regions: Member States of the **Council of Europe**

Website: http://ec.europa.eu/youth/news/news1740_en.htm

Deadline: October 13, 2010

Grants to political parties at European level

This call awards grants to fund parties within the EU Parliament Citizenship / Public Management Associations – Federations, Unions

Grants to political foundations at European level

Citizenship / Public Management

Associations

EU Member States

Website: <http://eur-lex.europa.eu/LexUriServ/LexUriServ.do?uri=OJ:C:2010:164:0012:0016:EN:PDF>

Deadline: November 1, 2010

Open calls

Culture Programme: Support for Organisations Active at European Level in the Field of Culture

Education, audiovisual and culture executive agency launches a call for proposals in order to provide a financial support to cultural organisations working, or wanting to work, at European level in the field of culture.

Domains concerned: culture – media

Who can apply: administrations, states – associations – federations, unions

Regions: EU Member States, candidate countries, the countries of the EEA, the countries of the Western Balkans.

Website: <http://www.culture.org.mt/>

Deadline: November 1, 2010

Seventh Framework Programme

Please find below a list of current FP7 open calls. More information can be found at this link: <http://cordis.europa.eu/fp7/dc/index.cfm>

People

	Call Identifier	Call Title	Deadline
Marie Curie Actions	FP7-PEOPLE-2010-IIF	International Incoming Fellowships	17/08/2010
	FP7-PEOPLE-2010-IOF	International Outgoing Fellowships	17/08/2010
	FP7-PEOPLE-2010-RG	Reintegration Grants	07/09/2010
	FP7-PEOPLE-2011-ITN	Initial Training Networks	26/01/2011
	FP7-PEOPLE-2011-IAPP	Industry-Academia Partnerships and Pathways	07/12/2010

IDEAS

	Call Identifier	Call Title	Deadline
European Research Council	ERC-2011-StG_20101124	Starting Independent Researcher Grant	24/11/2010
	ERC-2011-StG_20101109	Starting Independent Researcher Grant	09/11/2010
	ERC-2011-StG_20101014	Starting Independent Researcher Grant	14/10/2010

Open calls

Cooperation

	Call Identifier	Call Title	Deadline
Health	FP7-ERANET-2011-RTD	ERA-NET Call 2` `011	22/02/2011
	FP7-HEALTH-2011-single-stage	Single stage submission	10/11/2010
	FP7-HEALTH-2011-two-stage	Two stage submission	13/10/2010
Food, Agriculture and Fisheries, and Biotechnology	FP7-ERANET-2011-RTD	ERA-NET Call 2011	22/02/2011
	FP7-KBBE-2011-5-CP-CSA		25/01/2011
	FP7-KBBE-2011-5-SME		25/01/2011
	FP7-OCEAN-2011	Ocean of Tomorrow Call	18/01/2011
	FP7-JPROG-2011-RTD	Joint Programming Coordination Call	05/10/2010
ICT	FP7-ICT-2011-C	FET Open	12/03/2013
	FP7-ICT-2009-C	FET Open Scheme	07/12/2010
	FP7-2011-ICT-FI	Future Internet 2011	02/12/2010
	FP7-2011-ICT-GC	ICT for Green Care 2011	02/12/2010
	FP7-2011-NMP-ENV-ENERGY-ICT-EeB	Energy-efficient Buildings 2011	02/12/2010
	FP7-2011-NMP-ICT-FoF	Factories of the Future 2011	02/12/2010
	FP7-ICT-2011-FET-F	FET Flagship Initiative	02/12/2010
	FP7-ICT-2011-EU-Russia	Joint ICT EU-Russia 2010	14/09/2010
ICT - Tenders	2010/S_108-163203	Digital object identifiers and unique author identifiers toenable services for data quality assessment, provenance and access	07/09/2010
NMP	FP7-NMP-2011-EU-RUSSIA	Coordinated call EU-Russia	31/03/2011
	FP7-ERANET-2011-RTD	ERA-NET Call 2011	22/02/2011
	FP7-NMP-2011-CSA-5	CSAs Call	01/02/2011
	FP7-2011-GC-ELECTROCHEMICAL-STORAGE	Sustainable automotive electrochemical storage	02/12/2010
	FP7-2011-NMP-ENV-ENERGY-ICT-EeB	Energy-efficient Buildings	02/12/2010
	FP7-2011-NMP-ICT-FoF	Factories of the Future	02/12/2010
	FP7-NMP-ENERGY-2011	NMP and Energy Call	25/11/2010
	FP7-NMP-2011-EU-Japan	Coordinated call EU-Japan 2011	17/11/2010
	FP7-ENV-NMP-2011	Environment and NMP Call	16/11/2010
	FP7-NMP-2011-LARGE-5		04/11/2010
	FP7-NMP-2011-SMALL-5		04/11/2010
	FP7-NMP-2011-SME-5		04/11/2010

Open calls

Energy	FP7-ENERGY-2011-2	Energy Call Part 2	07/04/2011
	FP7-ERANET-2011-RTD	ERA-NET Call 2011	22/02/2011
	FP7-OCEAN-2011	The Ocean of Tomorrow	18/01/2011
	FP7-2011-NMP-ENV-ENERGY-ICT-EeB	Energy-efficient Buildings	02/12/2010
	FP7-ENERGY-2011-JAPAN	EU-Japan Call	25/11/2010
	FP7-NMP-ENERGY-2011	Energy and NMP Call	25/11/2010
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Call for Project Proposals under the ESPON 2013 Programme

The ESPON 2013 Programme is part-financed by the European Regional Development Fund, the EU Member States and the Partner States Iceland, Liechtenstein, Norway and Switzerland. It supports policy development in relation to the aim of territorial cohesion and a harmonious development of the European territory. ESPON supports Cohesion Policy development with European wide comparable information, evidence, analyses and scenarios on framework conditions for the development of regions, cities and larger territories. In doing so, it aims to facilitate the mobilisation of territorial capital and development opportunities, contributing to improving European competitiveness, to the widening and deepening of European territorial cooperation and to a sustainable and balanced development.

Scientists, experts, representatives of universities, research institutes, and companies from 31 European countries are invited to become involved in these new ESPON projects. A budget of €1,950,000 has been allocated to this call.

The Call for Proposals was opened from August 24, 2010 and **the deadline for submitting proposals is October 19, 2010.**

This Call includes the following

Call for Proposals for Targeted Analyses (Priority 2 of the ESPON 2013 Programme). 2 themes, €650,000.

Targeted Analyses are defined by stakeholders who will participate in the project implementation. It is a new type of project within the ESPON Programme, supporting the use of existing ESPON results in partnership with different groups of stakeholders. The expertise needed to carry through the analyses is found by Calls for Proposals based on Project Specifications developed by the involved stakeholders and ESPON in close collaboration.

The projects shall address the following Targeted Analyses themes:

Calls for proposals for Targeted Analyses under Priority 2	Available Budget
ADES - Airports and Drivers of Economic Success in Peripheral Regions	€300,000
AMCER - Advanced Monitoring and Coordination of EU R&D Policies at Regional Level	€350,000



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Call for Proposals within the ESPON Scientific Platform (Priority 3 of the ESPON 2013 Programme). €1,300,000

The Scientific Platform, Priority 3 of the ESPON Programme, represents a core element in the knowledge base being created by ESPON. Projects carried through shall contribute with solid facts and methodologies in support of quality evidence to the policy development processes. In addition, they shall contribute to the building of European datasets, indicators and tools that constitute a foundation for a scientific community in the field of European territorial science. In support of the Scientific Platform under ESPON activities, a Call for Proposal for one project will open on 24 August 2010. The theme of this project is:

- ESPON Database Project phase II

All the documentation related to the calls, including the project specifications, procedure for applying, the eligibility rules, the evaluation criteria and the submission material, will be made available by 24 August 2010 on the ESPON website (www.espon.eu).



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