Interreg Europe: state of play

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22 Sep 2020 | MANUMIX final conference online
Interregional cooperation projects

- 4 Calls
- 258 Projects
- 2000 Partners
- 30 Countries
- 25% Managing authorities
- 88% NUTS 2
- MEUR 322
Outputs achieved (validated as of 1 September 2020)

- **2,930** Good practices identified
- **11,880** Staff with increased capacity
- **866** Action plans
- **1779** Good practices PLP
- **99 %** % of target in the CP reached
- **94 %**
- **140 projects have finished phase 1**
Improving policies (validated as of 1 September 2020)

402 Policy changes in 126 projects

MEUR 161 Invested in 126 projects

MEUR 617 Funds influenced

3.8 x Leverage effect
Policy Learning Platform

Community of peers
+ 18,000 members

Good practice database
~ 1780 good practices

Expert policy support
peer reviews

#policylearning
COVID challenges – Interreg Europe solutions
https://www.interregeurope.eu/covid-19/

Check the new **COVID-19** section on our website in order to:

- Discover **good practices** from all across Europe that can help you mitigate the pandemic's effects;
- Join our **online thematic activities** that will inspire you and help you find solutions to common challenges;
- Request **tailored support** from our Policy Learning Platform experts;
- Find out related **news and events** published by us, our projects and other institutions.

At the same time we are closer than ever to our projects with adapted sets of measures and a dedicated team always ready to help and support them in this difficult period.
Cooperation on innovation delivery

53 Projects

1 project dedicated to advanced manufacturing (RIS3)
Active contribution

3 good practices published on GP Database

3 Peer review sessions
Results already achieved

• Piedmont ERDF ROP 2014-2020
  FINPIEMONTE S.p.A. (IT)

• The Research and Innovation priority of the EU Structural Funds Operational Programmes 2014 - 20, West Wales and the Valleys
  Welsh Government (UK)

Congratulations!
What about the future?

- May 2018: Interreg Europe not present in the EC draft regulations
- May 2019: EP and Council asked for Interreg Europe to be back
- December 2019: start of the programming process
  More information: www.interregeurope.eu/about-us/2021-2027
- To be continued…. (finalisation of regulation, budget decision)
No revolution…but evolution

1. Pan-European
2. Similar overall objective
   ▪ Regional development policy makers as core target groups
3. Similar means to achieve the objective
   ▪ Main focus on capacity building

Key features remain:

1. Focus on Structural Funds lightened
2. Learning by doing: pilot actions
3. Only one single priority in the programme
   ▪ Better reflect the core nature of the programme (capacity building)

Proposals:
Thank you!

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