

FP7 MID-TERM EVALUATION

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WHAT TO EXPECT IN FP7 AND BEYOND?



FP7 Evaluation conclusions

Recommendations

New trends

Stronger competition



Day 1

Challenges of Participation and project development in FP7/FP8

Interactive

- » Open dialogue with former Desk Officers, Evaluators and experts on issues that matter to you
- » Potential network creation with successful FP7 project managers
- » Dissemination opportunities on your projects and businesses

Insightful

- » Strategies that will help you to keep the project on track
- » Useful tips and advice of experienced FP7 managers

Introducing the results of the mid-term evaluation of FP7

Analysis of participation rates, benefits of the simplification and greater flexibility, trends in SME involvement, exploitation and dissemination of the results, new guides and rules FP7 interim evaluation, Review of financial perspective, Communication on simplification, Review of ERA progress *Conclusions*

Round-table discussion

Feedback from running projects' managers

Main topics:

1. *SME participation: Is the involvement of SMEs more visible in FP7? Are there less administrative obstacles? Is the participation simpler for the SMEs in FP7?*
2. *Are there more NMSs and third countries participating in FP7? Are they equal partners?*
3. *How effective was the simplification of procedures in FP7? What is lacking?*
4. *Is the evaluation in FP7 fairer, better than in FP6?*

Discussion session SMEs

Main Conference Room

SMEs and industry in FP7
Effect on innovation and market exploitation

Discussion session FP7 evaluation

Discussion Room

Conclusions of the report
Preparation to FP8, new trends
like twinning, two-stage submission, remote evaluation

Networking session

Day 2

Bottlenecks in FP7 project management: improve your project and your skills

Get out the most of your FP7 project

Hints, tips, mistakes, rules in FP7 to reach the widest/most useful range of target groups, maximise the impact of your project, achieve (market) exploitation after the end of the project
Participants have the opportunity to send questions, comments in advance

Financial and legal backbones in FP7

Unclear issues in the FP7 financial guidelines, your rights and obligations during a financial audit, why Consortium Agreement is understated by many FP7 project participants?
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Conclusions and final remarks of the event

Networking session



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Where did you hear about the course?

Other comments:

The Conference provides excellent networking opportunities. We encourage you to share your project ideas with potential partners and promote your running EU projects at the event.

Use the project presentation opportunity and the poster session to raise awareness about your project. In the Conference Handout and pen drive you may introduce your project and organisation to all participants.

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I have carefully read the terms and conditions mentioned in the [Disclaimer](#) and by sending this registration form to Europa Media hereby agree to be bound by the terms and conditions outlined therein.

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Why Europa Media event?

Europa Media is Europe's leading training provider, having organised more than 200 trainings with over 5000 participants. We have created a comprehensive portfolio of training programmes designed to simplify EU project management. The training courses vary in their level of difficulty, length and theme, but there is one common feature: Our courses are always based 100% on experience. This event is co-organised with Geonardo Ltd., one of Europe's most experienced EC project developers, with more than 30 successful EC funded projects. The multinational composition and the profound knowledge of the training lecturers combined with a focus on practical issues and your personal needs make the FP7-Mid-term Evaluation Conference and Networking event the best step to FP7 success.

Proof of success:

From the top 50 listed organisations participating in FP7 already 32 organisations sent participants to Europa Media courses and events in the last few years including 7 organisations from the Top 10. From the top listed 50 industry participants in FP7, already 11 organisations sent participants to Europa Media courses and events in the last few years including SAP, SIEMENS, VOLVO, THALES, ROLLS ROYCE, ATOS, IBM, SAAB, D'APPOLONIA, ERICSSON, etc.

