

S34Growth: EU industry renewal, competitiveness and internationalisation through industry-led interregional

cooperation

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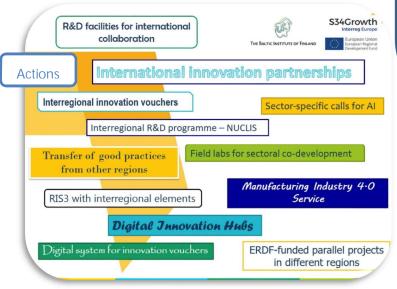
- Supporting the renewal of Europe's industry and competitiveness
- Emphasising the importance of industry-led interregional collaboration
- New kind of interregional cooperation linking value chains across Europe and improving commercialisation and product and service development

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In S34Growth, 10 European regions (Tampere, the Basque Country, Catalonia, Flanders, Lombardy, Norte, Scotland, Skåne, South Holland, and South Netherlands) from 8 EU countries develop an innovative interregional element to their structural fund policy instruments, supporting the renewal of Europe's industry and competitiveness.

Within the Vanguard Initiative – New Growth through Smart Specialisation, the S34Growth partners have been pioneering a new approach to European industry-led interregional cooperation since late 2013.





Project ends , but not the cooperation

S34Growth ends at the end of March 2020, but the cooperation will not. There are joint actions in the Regional Action Plans, international innovation partnerships exist, and the partners are looking into new funding opportunities in the coming programming period. Friendships formed during the four years of S34Growth will live on.

S34Growth Final Event

23 October 2019, the final event of S34Growth
took place in Tampere, Finland. Participants from
all over Europe were given an overview of the
project activities and outputs, and also an
outlook on the future of European innovation
policy, smart specialisation and industry.
S34Growth project partners have pioneered the
use of smart specialisation as a means for
interregional innovation collaboration in the EU,
which is significant also for the post-2020
innovation agenda.

Regional Action Plans

The implementation of the ten Regional Action Plans developed by the S34Growth regions is going on. For more details, please check the Library on the project website.

More information

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