

**Interreg  
Europe**



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# Interreg Europe: state of play

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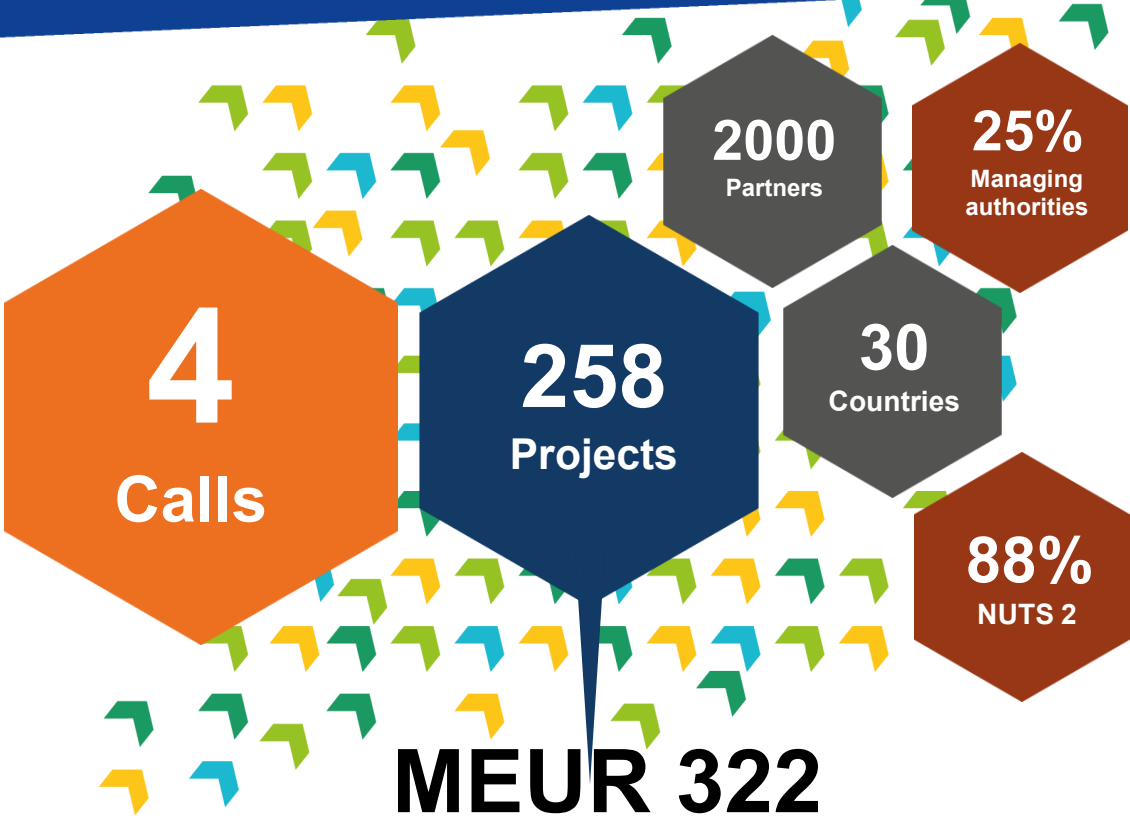
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12 May 2021 | RELOS3 conference online



# Interregional cooperation projects



# Outputs achieved (validated as of 01 April 2021)



**158 projects have finished phase 1**

# Improving policies (validated as of 1 May 2021)

**551**

Policy  
changes in  
160 projects

MEUR  
**973**

Funds  
influenced



**5 x**

Leverage effect

(based on 193 MEUR ERDF  
spent so far by projects)

# Policy Learning Platform

#policylearning



## Community of peers

+ 50 policy learning events  
+ 2 000 members from MAs



## Good practice database

+ 2300 good practices



## Expert policy support

22 peer reviews organised,  
78 helpdesk advices



## Knowledge hub

+70 Policy briefs &  
news on policy trends



# COVID challenges – Interreg Europe solutions

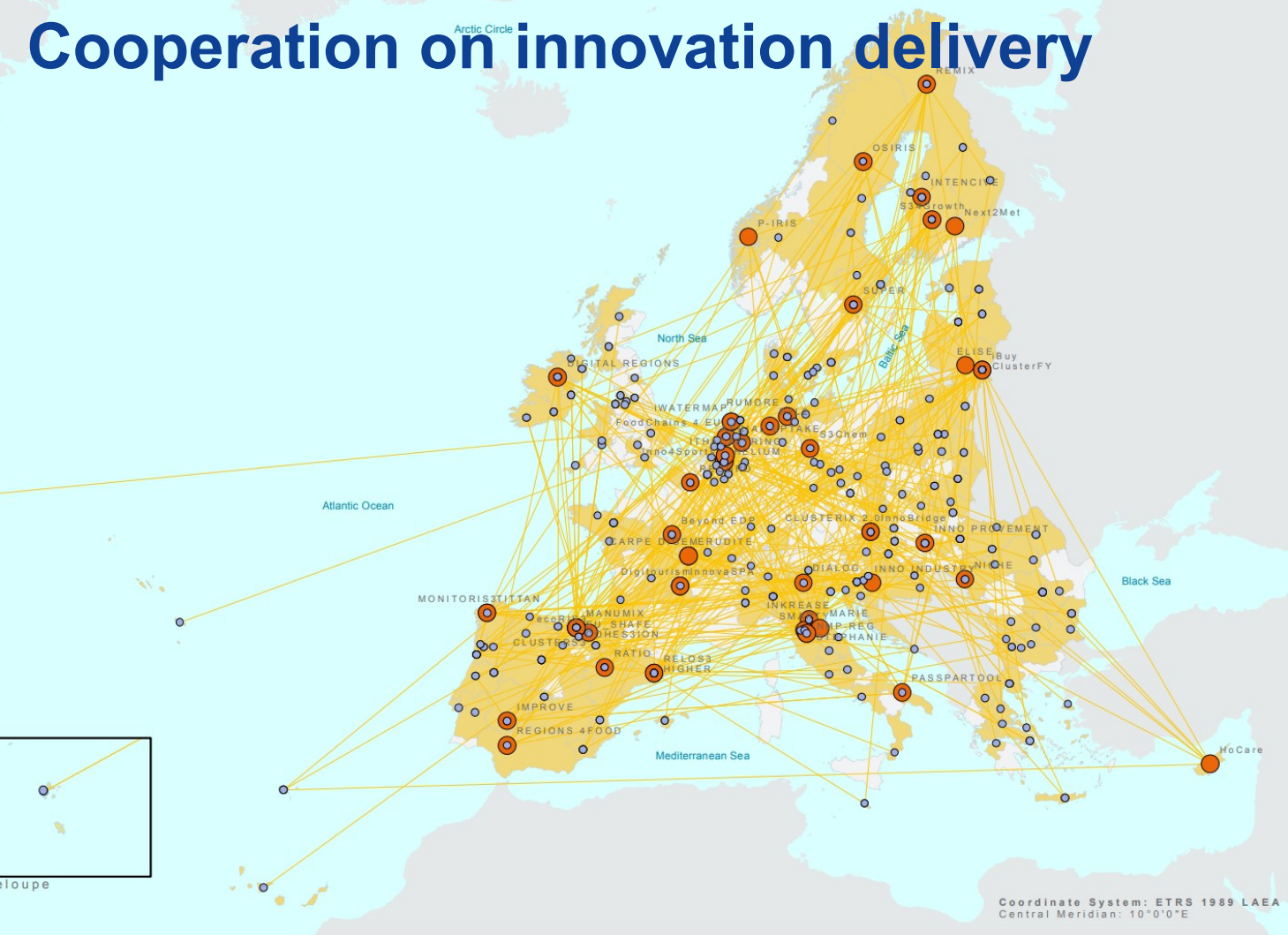
<https://www.interregeurope.eu/covid-19/>

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

COVID-19  
keyword!

- 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.

# Cooperation on innovation delivery



**53**  
**Projects**

**13 projects**  
dedicated to  
**Research and**  
**innovation**  
strategies for  
**smart**  
specialisation  
**(RIS3)**

**8 projects**  
dedicated to  
**Governance**

# Active contribution at programme level

*Cives in dialogue*



RELO3 @RELO3eu · Mar 17

On March 10th, Marino Cavallo (Metropolitan City of Bologna) took part at the Cives laboratory for the common good. The session was focused on "A different idea of smart city". Read more [bit.ly/30OPsJN](https://bit.ly/30OPsJN)



**6 good practices in Good practice database**

**1 Policy change so far (IT)**



*Smart Cities Summit*

Active on social media 





# What about the future?

- December 2019: first Programming Committee (PC) meeting
- February 2021: PC approved draft Cooperation Programme
- March to April 2021: public consultation
- Spring & summer 2021: final approval by Partner States
- Approval by EC expected early 2022
- First semester 2022: first call launched

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# No revolution...but evolution

## Key features remain:

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

## Evolution:

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

# Thank you!

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