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Interreg Europe
state of play
Interregional cooperation projects

2014 – 2020

- 4 calls
- €322m invested in
- 258 projects
- 2,000+ partners
- 25% managing authorities
- 90% NUTS 2 represented
Project* achievements

2014 – 2020

- **4,806** Good Practices Identified
- **2,871** Good Practices in Good Practice Database
- **1,127** Action Plans
- **16,732** Staff with increased capacity
- **130** Pilot Actions
- **122%** Of target in CP
- **139%** of target in CP

*Validated as of May 2022*
Results achieved* by projects

2014 – 2020

852 POLICY CHANGES

55% Structural Funds

1,275m MOBILISED

83% Structural Funds

254m € ERDF spent so far

*Validated as of May 2022
2. TO6 WINPOL
Balanced allocation of projects per priority

- Environment and resource efficiency: 26%
- Research and innovation: 25%
- Low-carbon economy: 23%
- SME competitiveness: 26%

Environment and resource efficiency: 67%
Low-carbon economy: 60%
Research and innovation: 65%
SME competitiveness: 66%
Waste – 12 projects

WINPOL
Interreg Europe

WINPOL aims to improve waste management in European cities and regions by fostering intelligent systems.

An interregional cooperation project for improving resource-efficient economy policies.

Project Partners:
- WINPOL (Municipal Company of Urban Environment Services of Olhão (PT))
- ACPR (Association of Cities and Regions for Sustainable Resource Management (BE))
- City of Arnhem (NL)
- Regions of Lower Saxony (DE)
- City of Accra (GH)
- City of Rennes (FR)
- City of Innsbruck (AT)
- City of Pamplona (ES)
- City of Munich (DE)
- City of Porto (PT)
- City of Ljubljana (SI)
- City of Lisbon (PT)
- Company for Waste Management and urban Utility Services (BE)

European Union
European Regional Development Fund

+ 2LIFES
+ CAPonLITTER
+ COCOON
+ CONDEREFF
+ ECOWASTE 4 FOOD
+ INATHERWASTE
+ LINDANET
+ OptiWaMag
+ PLASTECO
+ SMART WASTE
+ TANIA
Strengths of WINPOL

• Importance of the issue addressed (Green Deal)
• Only project dealing with waste and ICT
• Achievements so far:
  ✓ 55 people with increased capacity
  ✓ 6 policy instruments improved,
  ✓ 5.4 MEUR funds influenced
Active contribution

To Policy Learning **Platform** activities:

- **19 good practices** in Good practice database
- Participation in Peer reviews and Thematic webinars, policy briefs
3. Interreg Europe
2021-2027
Disclaimer

Information in the presentation is subject to the programme approval by the European Commission and validation by the future Interreg Europe monitoring committee.
Sharing solutions for better regional policy

€379m
PROGRAMME BUDGET

1
PRIORITY capacity building

29
COUNTRIES INVOLVED
Interreg Europe objective

To improve regional development policy instruments
(including Investment for jobs and growth goal programmes)

How?
Through exchange of experience, innovative approaches and capacity building (in relation to the identification & transfer of good practices)

• Primarily dedicated to policymakers
• Focus on exchange of experience

Different from cross-border or transnational cooperation
Programme scope

1 cross-cutting priority on capacity building → six topics

Concentration principle (80%)

- SMART
- GREEN
- CONNECTED
- SOCIAL
- CITIZENS
- GOVERNANCE
Two actions

Projects
Limited number of regions exchanging and transferring experience on a shared regional development issue

Policy Learning Platform
Further exploiting projects’ achievements and opening up the programme benefits to all
Platform in a nutshell

Provides **continuous policy-learning** opportunities through access to:

- Knowledge
- People
- Expert support

#policylearning
Call for project proposals

1. When? 5 April – 31 May 2022, 12 noon (CEST Paris time)
   Decision expected by end of 2022

2. How much? Up to 130 MEUR

3. About what? all topics open

4. From where? all corners of the programme area
Project development assistance

Discover the programme

Look for funding

Approved projects

Get policy advice

Find policy

Next call for projects
Discover our terms of reference

1. Check project relevance
Use our self-assessment tool

2. Get inspired
See approved projects and project ideas

3. Share your project idea
Explain what you want to do with your project

4. Find partners
Look for relevant organisations

5. Ask for feedback
Get guidance before applying

6. Apply for the call
Submit your project proposal

https://www.interregeurope.eu/apply-for-the-call
Time for questions
Thank you!

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