How to get funding?

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Topics

**Presentation**
- Background
- Funds
- Funding opportunities - examples
- Strategy

**Discussion**
- Anything interesting
Funding opportunities

„3.8 billion €“ + „3 billion €“
(Dr. Barna Kovács)

“189 Mio. €, deadline 08.09.16”
(Dr. Petra Schulte, RCJ)

Statements at Triple-Helix-Conference, 19.07.16
Funding opportunities, but...
Success rates in FP 7

Success rates per applicant and per financial contribution by EU

Romania in the European Research Area, Report 2013; SDC
EUSDR and Funds

“No new EU funds, no new EU legislation, no new EU Structures”

“The Strategy provides no new EU funds. There could be additional international, national, regional or private funds, although better use of existing funds is emphasised;”

Brussels, COM(2010) 715
Search for Funding

https://danube-inco.net/informationservice/calls_for_funding_opportunities
National Services; Example Germany

www.foerderdatenbank.de
Preparing Projects

EU/ Political Authorities (EC, NCP)

Priority Area Coordinators

Steering Group

Working Groups

Stakeholder

e.g. national/regional/local authorities, economic decision makers (institutional/organizational), sciences, civil society etc.

Presented by PAC 8; 2013, SG-meeting Bukarest
1. **Giving additional points** to EUSDR projects, on the basis of specific selection criteria. The following criteria will be used in the case of Romania:

   (i.) **The EUSDR relevance**: the contribution of the project to the objectives of one/more Priority Areas. Compliance with this criterion can be awarded with 1 bonus point.

   (ii). **The relevance for the macro-region** (territorial impact), assessed through (a) intensity and (b) proximity. Compliance with this criterion can be awarded with maximum 3 bonus points.
“EUSDR strategic projects are projects with high impact and visibility for the EUSDR. As such they could demonstrate the progress achieved in implementing the EUSDR and could strengthen and improve the communication on the EUSDR strategic focus. These projects could also serve as pilot examples for desired future changes (e.g. possible strategic support for embedding them into funding programs/sources).”
Danube Strategy - Danube Funds

Example 1: Danube Transnational Programme
Approx. 220 Mio. €

Example 2: **START – Danube Region Project Fund** is a new **pilot initiative of the EUSDR** and provides small grants for the development and implementation of Danube Region projects in the form of **Seed Money**. **Attention: CLOSED**
Danube Transnational Programme

DTP 2014-2020:

- Geographical area: same as EUSDR
- Budget: 202 095 405 € ERDF
  19 829 192 € IPA

“The Danube Transnational Programme finances projects for the development and practical implementation of policy frameworks, tools and services and concrete small-scale pilot investments.”

www.interreg-danube.eu/

Announcements:

Second Call end of 2016
Single stage!

Annual Event
29.09.16 Bucharest
EEA + Norway Grants

Working Together for a Green, Competitive and Inclusive Europe

Iceland, Liechtenstein, Norway and the EU signed the agreements on the European Economic Area (EEA) and Norway Grants for the period 2014-2021 (May 2016)

New, available beginning with 2017
Beneficiary states from the Danube Region (allocated amounts in mio €):

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Currently:
150 programmes
17 Calls open

www.eeagratings.org/
Thank you for your attention!

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