



INVITATION TO THE 2010 JOINT PARTNERING EVENT FOR FRAMEWORK PROGRAMME 7 PROJECTS

Organised by FTP with the support of EFI, EFPRO, InnovaWood

When? 9 June 2010, from 10:00 until 17:00 (CET)

Where? MUNICON, Munich Airport, Germany

Objective – Goal of the brokerage event:

The event offers a unique opportunity to obtain actual information on tentative topics of the next calls for proposals under the 7th Research Framework Programme (FP7). Participants can present ideas for EU-projects and discuss them with potential partners. They will also have the opportunity to give feedback and to support and supplement each other's ideas. Usually such events are starting points for building consortia and core planning teams in order to submit research proposals at a later stage.

Who should participate?

Industrialist and research actors from the European forest-based sector coming from European Union member states and from associated countries (Norway, Switzerland, Israel, ...), as they can fully participate in projects of the 7th Framework Programme.

Representatives from:

- enterprises (large or small and medium sized)
- federations and associations
- universities
- private or public research institutes
- public bodies,

which are interested in participating in a research project, are welcome to this partnering event.

Topics

New calls for project proposals concerning collaborative research to be funded under the 7th Research Framework Programme (FP7) are expected to be launched end of July 2010. This partnering event is dedicated to calls of the Co-operation Programme, thematic priorities 2 'FOOD, AGRICULTURE AND FISHERIES, AND BIOTECHNOLOGY', 3 "INFORMATION AND COMMUNICATION TECHNOLOGIES", 4 "NANOSCIENCES, NANOTECHNOLOGIES, MATERIALS AND NEW PRODUCTION TECHNOLOGIES", 5 'ENERGY' and 6 'ENVIRONMENT (INCL. CLIMATE CHANGE)' as well as the Capacity Programme call on "RESEARCH FOR THE BENEFIT OF SMEs" (as far as information on the tentative content has become available):

How does it work?

Partnering events are ideal platforms for people, working in similar areas, to meet, discuss and even start ideas for proposals. It will provide project coordinators with an opportunity to discuss project ideas with potential partners, so that consortia can be set up or strengthened, and proposal preparation can be supported.



The partnering event takes place on

Wednesday, 9 June 2010 from 10:00 – 17:00
at MUNICON, Munich Airport (area between Terminal 1 +2)

The participation fee is 50 €.

The fee covers lunch and coffee breaks.

For more information on the location please visit:

<http://www.munich-airport.de/de/micro/municon/index.jsp>

The partnering event is structured into 3 parts (see programme at the end of the invitation):

- Welcome and introduction into the Framework Programme 7 (for the forest-based sector)
- Flash presentation of project ideas or competences by participants (max. 4 min. each)
- Partnering meetings.

Registration

Those who are interested are asked to complete the registration form (see attachment) and forward it to the organisers no later than by **31 May 2010**. Registered participants will receive more information after registration.

Payments

Payments are asked to be made after confirmed registration to

- Bank account No 4 075 960 – HypoVereinsbank Freising – BLZ 700 211 80
IBAN: DE03700211800004075960 – SWIFT (BIC): HYVEDEMM418
Reference “FTP Partnering Event 2010”

Accommodation

Participants should book their hotel room directly with the hotel. There are several Hotels in the area of Munich Airport. Please have a look at:

http://www.munich-airport.de/en/consumer/aufenthalt_trans/hotels/index.jsp

Organisation

This event will be jointly organised by the Forest-based Sector Technology Platform (FTP), the European Forest Institute (EFI), EFPRO and InnovaWood, with the local support of FTP Germany.

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PROGRAMME

FTP JOINT PARTNERING EVENT FOR FP7 PROJECTS

WEDNESDAY, 9 JUNE 2010

MUNICON, MUNICH AIRPORT

10:00 - 10:10	Welcome
10:10 – 10:40	FTP in FP 7 and ERA-Nets
10:45 – 11:30	Specifics on call topics
11:30 – 12:00	Questions and answers
12:00 – 13:00	Lunch
13:00 – 14:30	Flash presentations of project ideas or partner competences
14:30 – 15:00	Coffee break
15:00 – 17:00	Partnering meeting(s)
17:00	End of the meeting

*Coffee and beverages will be available during Sessions