

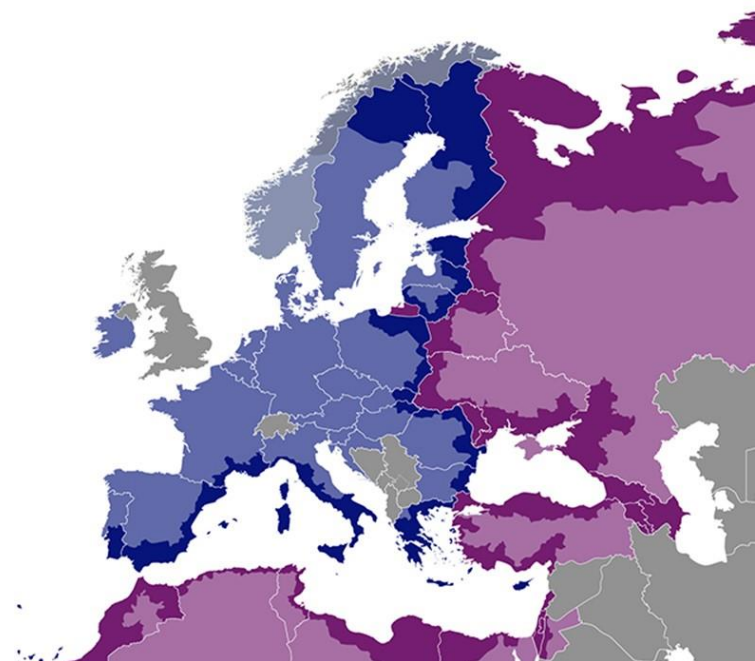


Technical support to the implementation
and management of ENI CBC programmes

Consultations in Interreg NEXT – *Requirements and tools for promoting an efficient involvement of programme partners*

Webinar for programme bodies

29 May 2020



Introduction

The majority of the ENI CBC programmes have already launched the programming phase to define the future Interreg NEXT programmes. The programming exercise, as stressed by the European Commission in several instances, shall rely on the appropriate involvement of relevant partners, as it increases ownership, transparency and legitimacy. This involvement in programming also lays the foundations for a solid programme implementation.

***But...how to move from the principle
to the operational tools?***

In order to make the partnership principle a methodological approach in the definition of the future programme strategies, TESIM organises a webinar targeting the staff of the Managing Authorities and Joint Technical Secretariats.

Date: 29 May 2020

Starting time: 9:30 AM CET

Participation: up to three representatives per programme

Using as a reference the Guidance and Toolkit issued by TESIM and shared with programmes on 2 April, the aim of the webinar is two-fold:

- To provide the managing bodies with the **key insights and methodological guiding principles** on how to carry out the actions required for such kind of consultation under the new regulatory framework;
- To introduce **hands-on tools and methodologies** for effective consultations (TESIM Toolkit)

As anticipated, the package has been drafted prior to the COVID-outbreak, and the proposed approach builds mostly on the organisation of presential and interactive consultations. A partial adaptation of the toolkit to a more balanced combination of presential and online consultations, with a view to mitigating the effects of a potential prolonged lockdown, has been undertaken and will be available after the webinar.

Agenda

09:15 – 09:30	Waiting room
09:30 - 09:45	Welcome, agenda and event technicalities
09:45 - 10:15	The consultation with programme partners in Interreg NEXT: requirements, challenges and opportunities Questions and answers
10:15 - 10:50	Consultations with programme partners - TESIM guidance: lessons learnt, methodology, roadmap Questions and answers
10:50 – 11:00	Break
11:00 – 11:30	Consultations in action – TESIM toolkit: general overview (including post COVID-19 adjustment measures) and presentation of the proposed methodologies Questions and answers
11:30 – 11:45	Consultation outcomes – Reporting: data processing, typology of outcomes, use of outcomes Questions and answers
11:45 – 12:00	Wrap up and next steps, including TESIM support