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Driving Innovation

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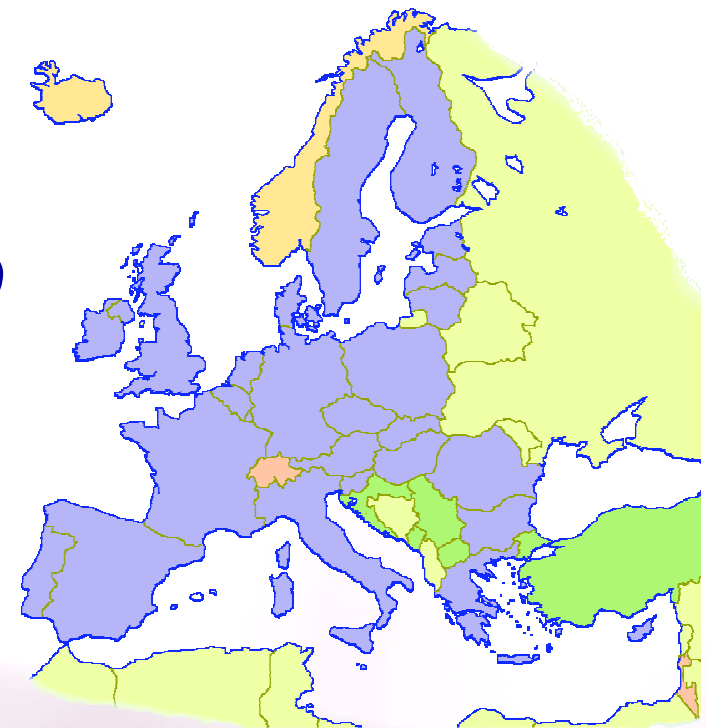
What are the opportunities?

How do I access them?



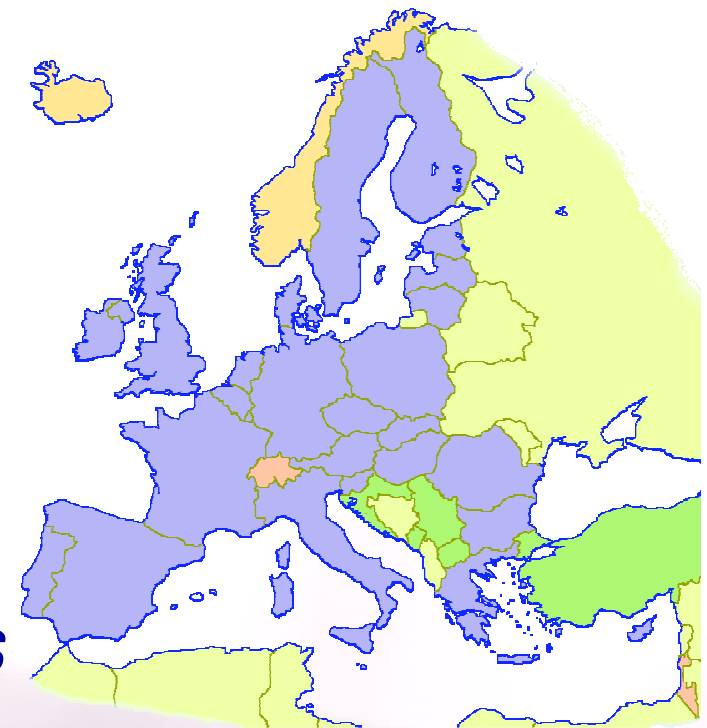
What are the opportunities?

*€ 60bn available for EU R&D
between 2007 and 2013*



Basic principles:

- *co-financing through grants*
- *open to wide range of organisations and individuals*

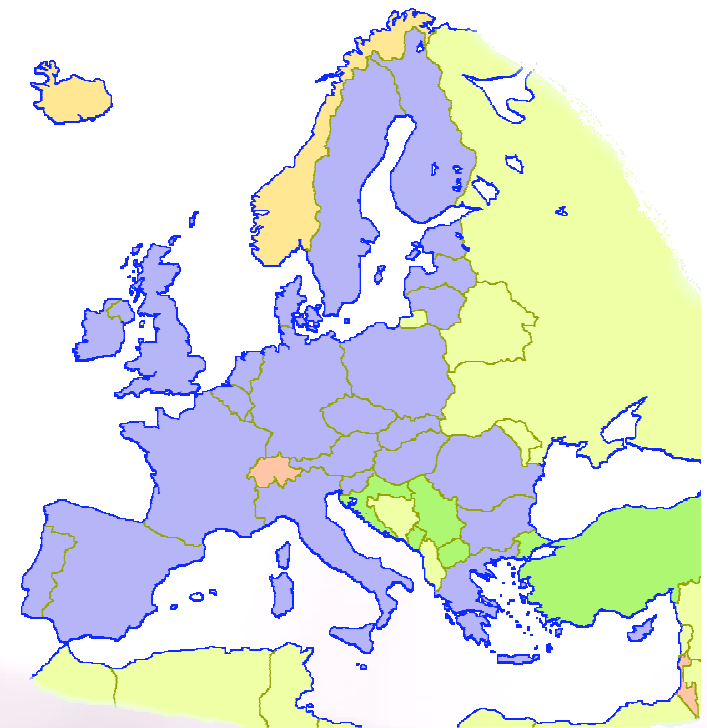


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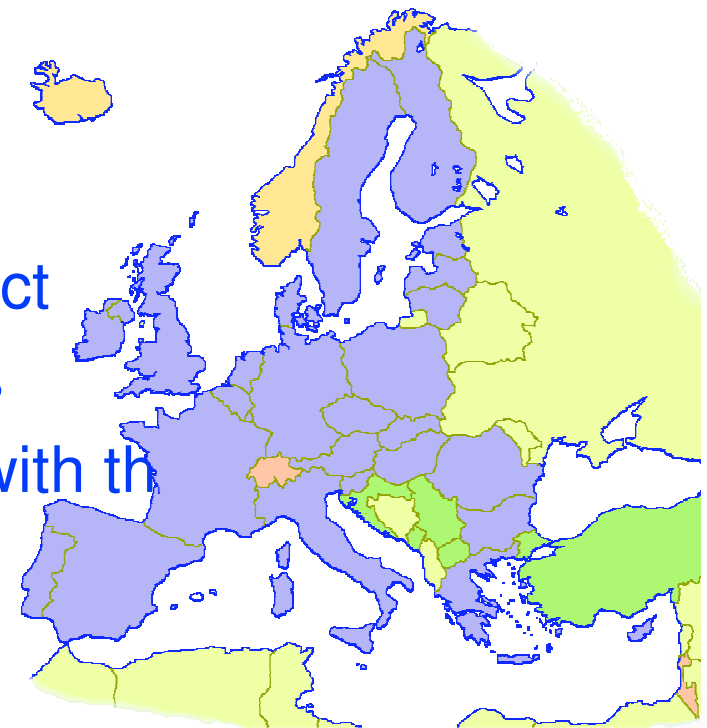
Why European R&D Funding?

Through the EU, business can gain innovation support on a scale not available within the UK. This can bring UK companies new R&D funding, the chance to collaborate with other world-class companies and institutions, and reach into the world's largest 'home' market.



Funding Fundamentals

- Topics identified by The Commission's Work Programme
- Involving Partners from Multiple Countries - usually 3 minimum
- By means of specific type of Project
- In response to a call for Proposals
- By means of a Grant Agreement with the Commission

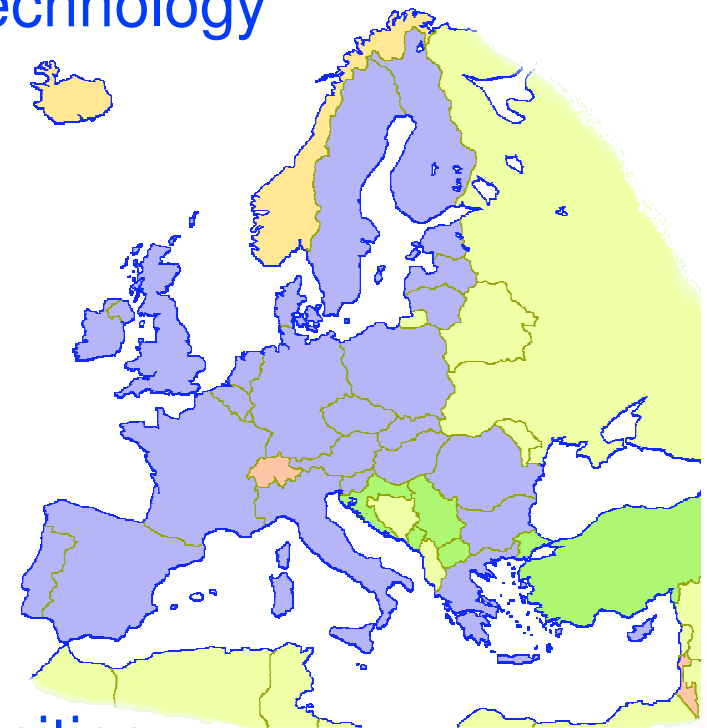


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Main funding source is FP7 - Cooperation

- Health
- Food, agriculture & fisheries, biotechnology
- ICT
- Nanosciences
- Energy
- Environment
- Transport
- Space
- Security
- Socio-economic sciences & humanities

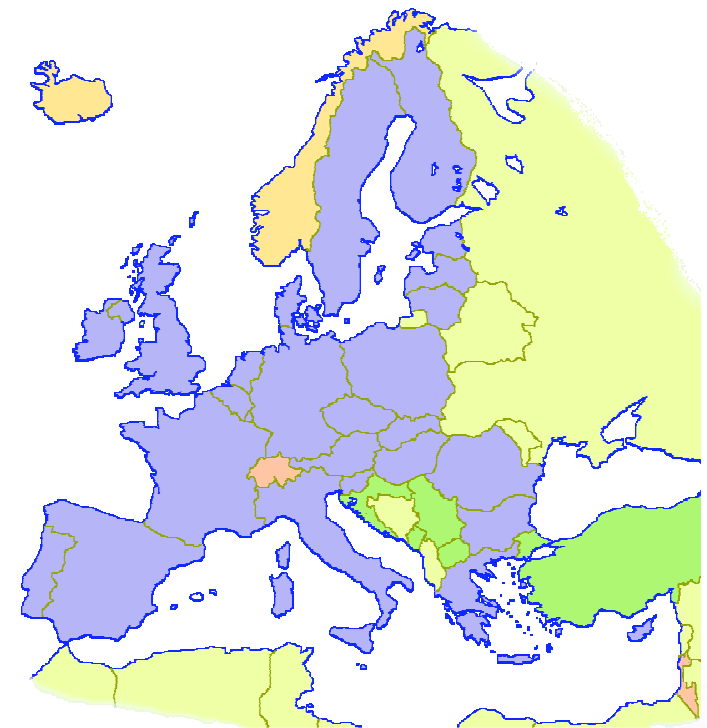


Other funding sources in FP7

- Ideas
- People
- Capacities
- Nuclear Research

Other funding in CIP

Competiveness & Innovation
- Eco Innovation



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Information and advice – through National Contact Points:

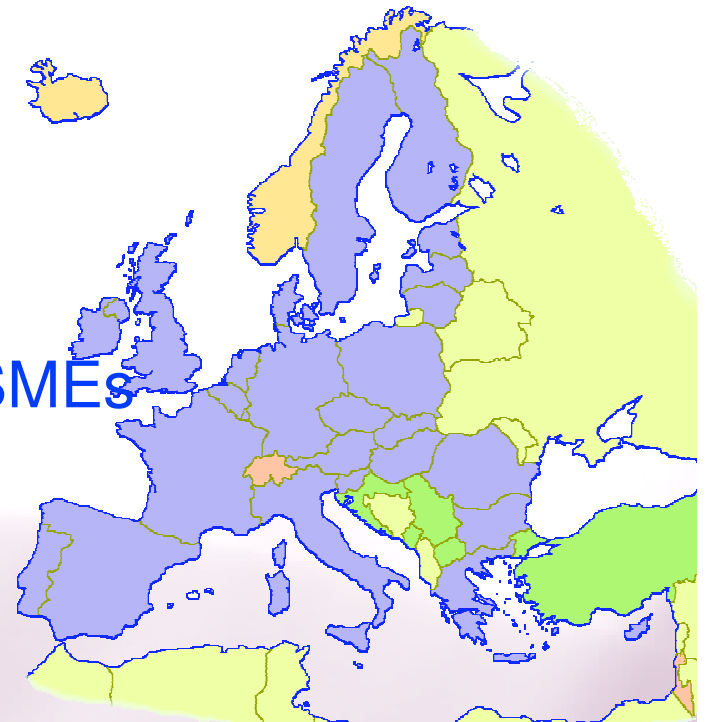
Focus on -

Information sharing

Support with proposals

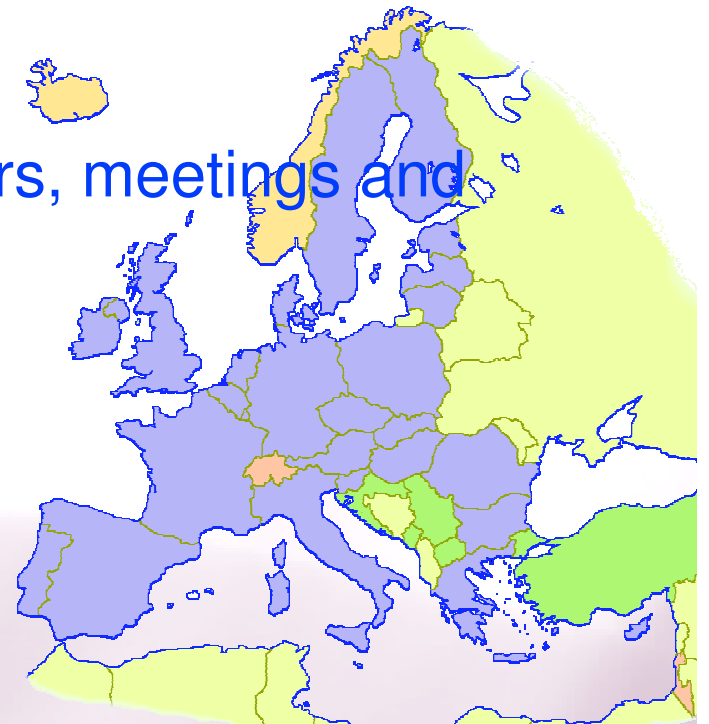
Partner search

Widening participation – especially SMEs



NCP role and resources

- Dedicated resource,
- Access to programme committee and EU networks; supported by Commission,
- Working with UK networks,
 - _connect, email, helpline, webinars, meetings and conferences



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National Contact Points

ICT	Peter Walters
NMP	Craig Sharp
Security	Derek Gallaher
Financial & Legal	Stephen Alexander
Health	Graham Hughes
Space	Robert Lawson

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NCPs – available to talk to you today

Regions of Knowledge	Jane Watkins
SMEs	Steve Bradley
Energy	Kelly Young (nb funded by DECC)
Aerospace	Gill Richards
Transport	Cliff Funnel
Eco Innovation	Ewa Bloch (nb part –funded by DEFRA)
Eurostars	Tracy McCarroll

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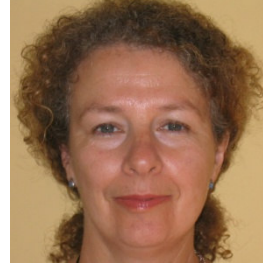
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Graham Mobbs - Eurostars



Jim Clipson – FP7 & CIP



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Peter Walters - ICT



Stephen Alexander –
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Jane Watkins - Regions



Graham Hughes - Health



Cliff Funnell - Transport



Ewa Bloch – Eco Innovation



Craig Sharp - NMP



Kate Yarrington - Strategy

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Thank You

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