



Future Co-operation 2007-2013

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Areas for Crossborder Cooperation 2007-2013

- NUTS3 regions for Crossborder Cooperation
- Other NUTS3 regions



Transnational co-operation: content and topics

- Higher profile programmes
- Concrete projects with some infrastructure investment
- Some strategic projects developed by the programme, involving both regional and national authorities - some of these projects may be written into the Programming document
- Not only open calls for proposal but also focussed calls
- Networking, plans and studies useful to prepare concrete projects
- Can spend 20% outside the eligible area
- Can spend 10% outside the EU, if for benefit of the EU regions



Transnational co-operation: content and topics

Primarily

- Innovation: scientific and technological networks, technology transfer, R&TD and SMEs
- Environment: water and coastal management, Prevention of environmental and technological risks, maritime safety
- Accessibility: improve access to and quality of transport and telecommunication services
- Sustainable urban development



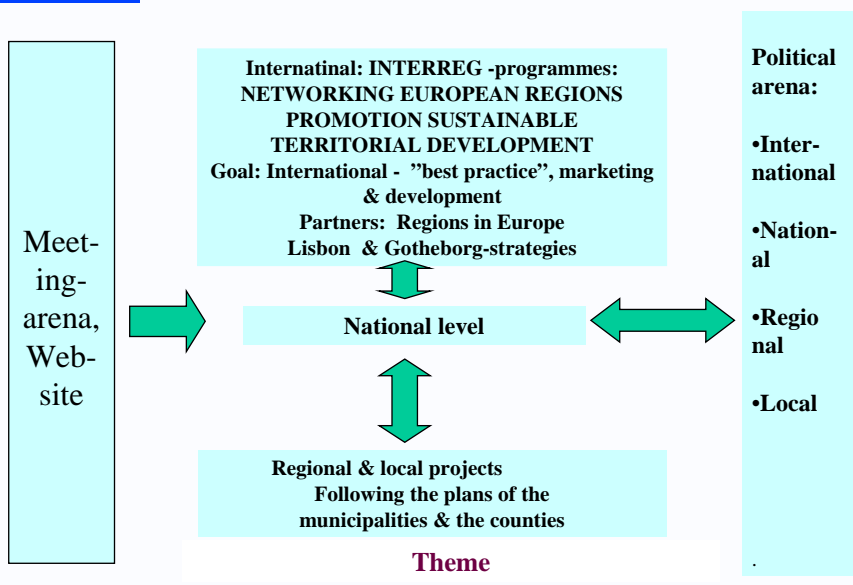
Interregional co-operation programmes foreseen

1. Thematic interregional co-operation programme focusing on Lisbon and Gothenburg priorities (based on INTERREG IIIC)
2. Framework programme for the exchange of experiences on urban renewal (developed on the basis of URBACT)
3. Identification, transfer and dissemination of best practice in management of co-operation programmes (developed on the basis of INTERACT)
4. Studies and data collection, observation and analysis of development trends (developed on the basis of ESPON)



Next steps

- Discuss programme and management structures with your potential partners
- Discuss programme and management structures with the Commission
- Think about strategic projects that should be included in the programming document
- Involve local, regional and national level as appropriate





Next steps



- **We - the municipalities and the county of Telemark have learned a lot in the Canal-Link project ! And we will like to learn more!**
- **Why not move on ?**
- **We need to start to day !**