

# EAEC Thematic Innovation Meetings

**Date: 12.00 – 19.00 hours, 18 October 2017, Brussels, Belgium**

**Venue: Club University Foundation, rue d'Egmont, 11, B-1000 Brussels.**

## Invitation and Agenda

The European Association of ERASMUS Coordinators and its EAEC TASK Force is inviting you to actively participate in the Thematic Innovation Meetings planned on 18 October 2017 in Brussels. The purpose of these meetings is for EAEC to assist its members and network partners to exploit to the fullest the European funding schemes, leading them to successful proposals for funding and innovative projects.

What is a Thematic Innovation Meeting?

### Agenda

➤ *A meeting is set up for a specific Programme or Call or for a Specific Action:*

- a) *The meeting is moderated by a member organization of the EAEC Task Force.*
- b) *Call priorities and the thematic areas are stated.*
- c) *Researchers or project participants are invited through the network.*
- d) *Participants need to submit at least one idea for a project in a specific format.*
- e) *Participants are invited to the meeting, specific date and minimum 6-8 hours.*  
*Number of participants per innovation meeting: 15-25.*
- f) *Ideas are circulated. Each participant presents the idea or ideas at the meeting.*
- g) *What happens during the meeting? The Moderators (Task Force members) present the specifications of the related calls. Discussion on the ideas; converging ideas; developing proposal titles for projects; discussing main activities for each proposal; divide into groups if needed; develop main WP and main Outputs; assigning leaders of proposals; developing consortia for each proposal; each participant is expected to be a partner in at least 3 proposals. If time does not permit to complete the consortia then a deadline of 7 days is set for proposal leaders to receive interest and form initial consortia.*
- h) *If proposal preparation support is needed then the leaders contact the EAEC Task Force for negotiating support services.*
- i) *The development and success is monitored and recorded by the EAEC European Coordination Office.*

### **Planned Innovation Meetings and Thematic – Wednesday 18 October 2017, Brussels**

- **INNOMEETING 1: ERASMUS+ All Actions**
- **INNOMEETING 2: HORIZON 2020 - Strategic alliances for Marie Skłodowska-Curie Actions for Universities - MSCA-ITN and – COFUND for 2018-2019**

STAGE I: Interested researchers and practitioners are invited to send the registration form. The EAEC Task Force will confirm your acceptance, applying country distribution constraints and will invite you to proceed to Stage II.

STAGE II: accepted participants send the completed IDEAS FORM.

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