

Learning from other member states through transnational exchange and co-operation, notably through exchanges of experience, good practices and peer reviews, networking and learning communities; benchmarking and collaborative action, is an essential element for implementing the new EU2020 Strategy.

Experience from the current programming period and from previous Community Initiatives like EQUAL show that transnational co-operation can provide real added value, in terms of the quality, efficiency and effectiveness of policy development and delivery.

This seminar is addressed to:

- Members of the Technical Working Group of the ESF Committee,
- transnational Contact points,
- ESF managers – from Managing Authorities, Implementing Bodies, or Support Structures, particularly those with responsibility for transnational cooperation in their Operational Programmes or those responsible for preparation of the Operational Programmes for the new programming period post 2013.

Participants will have the possibility to share their experiences related to transnational cooperation and contribute to the discussion on the new programming period post 2013.

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TO REGISTER

Please register via online registration form as soon as possible and not later than **08 August 2011** on <https://www.anmeldung.bmas.de> by using the password: **TNC-2011**

Places will be limited.
Translation will be provided in the plenary session.

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Peer Learning Seminar:

Transnationality in ESF

Reflections from the Past, Proposals for the Future

Berlin,
15-16 September 2011



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SEMINAR AIMS

To support and improve the overall quality and impact of transnational co-operation in the new ESF programming period by:

- Enabling participants to gain a general understanding and appreciation of transnational cooperation, drawing on the experience of the current programming period.
- Showcasing examples of effective practices and added value of transnational cooperation.
- Discussing potential options for programming TNC in new ESF post-2013.
- Facilitating networking opportunities, the exchange of good practices and lessons learned between ESF managers.

AGENDA

Thursday 15 September 2011

9:30 *Registration and coffee*

10:00 Introduction – plenary session

10:30 1st round of 4 workshops running in parallel:
w/s 1: Mutual learning (Learning networks)
w/s 2: TNC implementing models
w/s 3: Territorial cooperation
w/s 4: Instruments supporting TNC

12:30 *Lunch*

13:30 2nd round of 4 workshops running in parallel:
w/s 1: Mutual learning (Learning networks)
w/s 2: TNC implementing models
w/s 3: Territorial cooperation
w/s 4: Instruments supporting TNC

15:30 *Networking opportunities – coffee available*

16:00 Wrap-up session – plenary session

16:30 TNC Learning network – tools for you

19:30 *Dinner: networking opportunities*

Friday 16 September 2011

9:00 Introduction – plenary session

9:30 TNC in new ESF post-2013

Discussion in 4 workshops running in parallel based on:

- EC proposal of the new ESF regulation
- Reflection paper of the Working group on TNC post 2013

11:00 *Networking opportunities – coffee available*

11:30 4 workshops running in parallel - continue

13:00 Closing panel – reflections, questions and answers

14:00 *Lunch*