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SHARING & REUSE AWARDS

*Your chance
to win up to €15 000
for your reusable IT solution
for public administrations*

APPLY NOW!

Submissions close on
28 February 2019

New to Sharing & Reuse?

Sharing & Reusing IT solutions (open source software and IT services) is a winning strategy for public administrations willing to lower costs, collaborate across organisations and borders, and modernise the public sector.

The Sharing & Reuse Framework for IT Solutions, developed by the European Commission under the ISA² Programme, provides a number of recommendations and suggestions for public administrations wanting to embark on this journey. It helps address some of the legal, technical, organisational and communication barriers preventing the administrations from fully exploiting the benefits of sharing and reusing software and IT services. It also offers policy makers and IT managers an overview of available tools and resources.

The European Commission is looking for the most innovative and impactful shared IT solutions to reward!



Open source software



Shared IT services

ISA² The Sharing and Reuse Awards contest is organised by the European Commission's Interoperability Solutions for Public Administrations, Businesses and Citizens (ISA²) programme.

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Do you have an IT solution suitable for sharing and reuse?

Do you want to see it adopted more widely?

Then the Sharing & Reuse Awards are for you!

What solutions are eligible?

IT solutions that are either **open source software** or **shared services**:

- to be developed by or for a public administration(s) from an EU Member State, EFTA country or EU candidate country
- already reused by at least one other public administration
- submitted by a public sector body
- published on Joinup (this can be done after you submit your application with the help of the Joinup team)¹

What can you win?

€ 15 000 goes to the best solution and **€ 10 000** to the runner-up in each category:

- Most innovative open source software
- Open source software with the biggest impact on citizens or businesses
- Most innovative shared IT services (commonly developed or shared)
- Shared IT services (commonly developed or shared) with the biggest impact on citizens or businesses

You will collect your trophy at the next Sharing & Reuse Conference in Romania in June 2019.

¹ First and second place winning solutions from 2017 are not eligible. Solutions awarded with a certificate of excellence may be resubmitted.

What criteria will be used to assess your solution?

Design and governance: use of open standards, documentation of the solution, cooperation and collaboration, governance model, maturity

Impact/extent of reuse: business model, proven and expected benefits and results, current and potential reuse

Sustainability: potential for long-term use, documentation of the solution, ongoing maintenance and availability

User-Centricity/ Innovation (depending on category): accessibility, personalisation functionalities, and technological, business or social innovation

Apply in just 3 steps

- 1 Go to ec.europa.eu/eusurvey/runner/SR-awards
- 2 Fill out the submission form
- 3 Hit 'submit'

Don't delay!

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