



# Register of Commission expert groups and other similar entities

## Commission Expert Group

**Name:** Horizon 2020 Advisory Group on 'Innovation in SME's' (E02974)  
(Active - Group which operates on a permanent basis)

**Abbreviation:** H2020 AG Innovation in SMEs

**Policy Area:** Research and Innovation

**Lead DG:** RTD - DG Research and Innovation

**Associated DG:** GROW - DG Internal Market, Industry, Entrepreneurship and SMEs

**Type:** Informal, Temporary

**Scope:** Limited

**Mission:** To contribute to the implementation of Horizon 2020, the European Union's new funding programme for research and innovation for the period 2014-2020, by giving advice regarding the specific objective 'Innovation in SMEs' under part II 'Industrial Leadership' of the Specific Programme. Advice should pertain to all activities under this specific objective 'Innovation in SMEs', however the group should also take into account part III "Societal Challenges" and the other two overarching H2020 specific objectives under part II ('leadership in enabling and industrial technologies' and 'access to finance') of the Specific Programme.

**Task:** Assist the Commission in the preparation of legislative proposals and policy initiatives

**Contact:** under construction

**Publication in RegExp:** 26 Nov 2013

**Link to Website:** [http://ec.europa.eu/research/horizon2020/index\\_en.cfm?pg=h2020-experts](http://ec.europa.eu/research/horizon2020/index_en.cfm?pg=h2020-experts)

**Last updated:** 16 Jan 2018

## **Additional Information**

### **Activity Report**

EAG Annual Report 2016

[Document 1](#)

(approx. 1,670 kb)

### **Activity Report**

Advisory Group Consultation Report - Final Report (June 2016)

[Document 1](#)

(approx. 1,268 kb)

### **Activity Report**

Annual Report 2015 (published Feb 2016)

[Document 1](#)

(approx. 951 kb)

### **Activity Report**

Annual Report 2014 (published March 2015)

[Document 1](#)

(approx. 2,018 kb)

### **Activity Report**

Consultation Report (published July 2014)

[Document 1](#)

(approx. 800 kb)

### **Selection Procedure (members)**

The Advisory group members were selected from the database established by the Call for expressions of interest for the selection of experts for the Horizon 2020 Advisory group. Following criteria was taken into account: Proven competence and experience of the individual candidate or, of the designated representatives from organisations, including at European and/or international level, in area of the challenge. Proven competence and experience of the individual candidate or, of the designated representatives from organisations, in horizontal expertise, including cross-cutting issues of relevance to Horizon 2020. In addition, for individuals appointed to represent a stakeholder' interest, the proven capacity of the candidate to represent effectively the position shared by stakeholders, and for individuals appointed to represent a organisation, the competence, experience and hierarchical level of the proposed representative. The final composition of the group takes into account the need to ensure balanced participation in terms of representativeness of stakeholders, gender, age and geographical origin (without calling into question the necessary level of expertise and insight). The experts of the group will be designated in accordance with the EC Decision C(2011)1132 OJ L75.

[http://ec.europa.eu/research/horizon2020/index\\_en.cfm?pg=h2020-experts](http://ec.europa.eu/research/horizon2020/index_en.cfm?pg=h2020-experts)

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### **Internal Rules of Procedure**

Expert groups usually operate in an informal setting without any formal rules of procedure. This is the case for this group.

### **Other**

Mandate of H2020 AG 'Innovation in SMEs' group 2016-2017.

[Document 1](#)

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## Members

### Type A - Individual expert appointed in his/her personal capacity

Name	Nationality	Professional Title	Membership Status
ANDREZ Paulo	Portugal		Member
AVICE Edwige	France		Member
BERGFELD Marc-Michael	Germany		Member
GLAVIND Mette	Denmark		Member
JUZIK Agata	Poland		Member
MEIJER Geleyn	Netherlands		Member
PERSIDIS Andreas	Greece		Member
PFEIFFER Christin	Germany		Member
PUNTARI Anja Irmela	Finland		Member
RUFINO BENGOCHEA Asier	Spain		Member
UNAL Perin	Turkey		Member
VALCARCEL Mercedes	Spain		Member

### Type B - Individual expert appointed as representative of a common interest

Name	Nationality	Professional Title	Membership Status
Huemer Gerhard	Austria		Member
Vilyls Mantas	Lithuania		Member

## Subgroups

Name	Duration	Composition	
<b>Structural measures for innovative SMEs</b>	2		
<b>Type A - Individual expert appointed in his/her personal capacity</b>			
Name of Person	Nationality	Professional Title	Membership Status
JUZYK Agata	Poland		Member
PFEIFFER Christin	Germany		Member
PUNTARI Anja Irmela	Finland		Member
UNAL Perin	Turkey		Member

Name	Duration	Composition	
<b>EAG Financial Mechanisms for SME instrument</b>	2		
<b>Type A - Individual expert appointed in his/her personal capacity</b>			
Name of Person	Nationality	Professional Title	Membership Status
AVICE Edwige	France		Member
PERSIDIS Andreas	Greece		Member
RUFINO BENGOCHEA Asier	Spain		Member

## Statistics

### Number of Members: 14

Type A - Individual expert appointed in his/her personal capacity:	12	female: 7	male: 5
Type B - Individual expert appointed as representative of a common interest:	2	female: 0	male: 2
Type C - Organisation:	0		
Type D - Member State Authority:	0		

### Number of Alternate Members: 0

Type A - Individual expert appointed in his/her personal capacity:	0	female: 0	male: 0
Type B - Individual expert appointed as representative of a common interest:	0	female: 0	male: 0
Type C - Organisation:	0		
Type D - Member State Authority:	0		

### Number of Observers: 0

Type A - Individual expert appointed in his/her personal capacity:	0	female: 0	male: 0
Type B - Individual expert appointed as representative of a common interest:	0	female: 0	male: 0
Type C - Organisation:	0		
Type D - Member State Authority:	0		