

Call for proposals
“Promotion of trans-national thematic tourism products in the European Union as
means of sustainable tourism development”
12/G/ENT/TOU/11/411B

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List of organisations looking for partners

The following organisations have expressed an interest in cooperating with other organisations to submit a joint proposal.

Important disclaimer: The European Commission has not analysed the eligibility of these organisations to participate on this call for proposals. The eligibility of all organisations will be verified as part of the evaluation of proposals that are submitted.

| | Organisation | Contact |
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| 1 | Istanbul University Department of Economics Beyazit-Istanbul-Turkey | Prof.Dr.Serdar Ongan Cell Phone:+(90) 532 454 81 31 Office:+(90-212)440 00 00 Internal: 11724 serdar.ongan@gmail.com & ongans@istanbul.edu.tr |
| 2 | Association for Recreative Cycling and Tourism “Ruralni Tandem” Zagreb, Croatia | kontakt@rute.hr Our web sites: www.pedala.hr & www.rute.com.hr |
| | We are a Croatian Association for Recreative Cycling and Tourism, registered under the name Ruralni Tandem in Zagreb, Croatia since February 2010. Our team consists of 6 members, professionals from diverse disciplines, fluent in English, enthusiastic and keen road and mountain-bike cyclists, who came together to provide competent cycling and tourism projects in Croatia. Beginning with the year 2000 until today, we have worked on several national, regional and local cycling projects within Croatia and its tourist regions (counties), mainly on planning, construction and development, as well as signing, of networks of new cycling routes for local communities, domestic and foreign tourists. We would like to become, or to find, a partner for an European cross-border project related to the EUROVELO Mediterranean Route no. 8 (report available on the link: http://www.ecf.com/3205_1) between coastal Mediterranean countries like France, Italy, Slovenia, Montenegro, Albania, Greece and Croatia, in total length of 3780 km, of which 550 km goes through Croatian coastal territory and islands, with an aim and wish to work on and finish the Croatian part of the Mediterranean cycling route. | |
| 3 | Sonhos para Sempre- Rede de Animação Social e Comunitária, crl Reg. Office: Estª. de São Romão, 18. 2710-388 Sintra - Portugal | Mr. Silvino Rego e-mail: sonhosparasemprecrl@gmail.com |
| | We are a cooperative society of social solidarity with non formal/ informal education, vocational training and socio- communitarian animation from the Lisbon region in Portugal, focus on the inclusion of groups at risk- unemployed, young people, women, elderly- and the social development of local communities and social networks. Also micro and small business consultants and coaches for those publics and social organisations. We develop applications under concerned programmes at national and European level. We act as umbrella organisation for several local associations and cooperatives in solidarity, services, arts | |

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| | <p>and crafts, learning and training and self- advocacy of targeted excluded social groups- migrants, young people, families, social services providers.</p> <p>In this framework we would like to participate in a partnership to develop sustainable tourism taking to the stage the intercultural background and dynamics and social-cultural offer of marginalised groups from critical areas in the territory, combining it with the improvement and transnational valorisation of micro-entrepreneurship of his subjects at their specific intercultural products competencies, to melt through a sustainable tourism broad European offer. We can take to such project a representative associated partnership from local agents to economic and research as well as local authorities and stake holders, as it may be needed for the specific project to be integrated at.</p> | |
| 4 | <p>LEGAMBIENTE TURISMO Piazza XX Settembre 7 Bologna(Italy), environmental NGO and tourist ecolabel for tourist and accommodation businesses since 1997. See www.legambienteturismo.it</p> | <p>Sandra Sazzini inter@legambienteturismo.it</p> |
| | <p>As the tourist department of Legambiente, Italy's leading environmental organisation Legambiente Turismo is a voluntary initiative for sustainability in tourism. Since 1997, it has created a nationwide network of over 400 tourist businesses under the LegambienteTurismo ecolabel in compliance with its Decalogue. This includes measures to protect the environment, save resources, promote the local character, identity and. Criteria cover all aspects of sustainability with a flexible range of over 200 measures. All types of accommodation and tourist businesses are included. Onsite visits are periodically taken to check compliance and guarantee confidence of businesses and the public at large. The association is traditionally committed to protect the land and to promote nature, culture and heritage, including the rediscovery of Italy's multilayered history to create new tourist thematic products.</p> | |
| 5 | <p>BULGARIA Ministry of Economy, Energy and Tourism (MEET)</p> | <p>Mr. Ivo Marinov <i>Deputy Minister of Economy, Energy and Tourism</i></p> <p>Tel: +359 2 940 76 04 Fax: +359 2 988 39 35</p> <p>e-mail: ivo.marinov@mee.government.bg</p> |
| | <p>The Bulgarian Ministry of Economy, Energy and Tourism has the responsibility to implement the state policy in the field of tourism and to co-ordinate the activities of the ministries and other institutions towards its implementation. Major priorities are the inter-state relations in the field of tourism, regulatory provision for tourist activities, and development of the tourist product, support the actions of regional, local and branch tourist organisations, national marketing and advertising, marketing research, analyses and forecasts for the tourist market.</p> <p>The Bulgarian Ministry of Economy, Energy and Tourism is interested in cooperating with other organisations to submit a joint proposal for Call for proposals 12/G/ENT/TOU/11/411B in the following fields:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • thematic routes/ itineraries/ trails within the Danube region; • cultural heritage and sustainable tourism; • eco-tourism and protected natural sites; <p>eno-gastronomic tourism (wine and food).</p> | |
| 6 | <p>One Face One Race, ASBL Brussels, Belgium Association activities in the field of sustainable tourism</p> | <p>Gianpietro Armanetti Rue de L'Aqueduc 53</p> |

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| | since 2005 | 1060 – Bruxelles Belgique gpa@apreis.org +32 2 539 17 33 +32 499 37 10 60 |
| | <p>One Face One Race stems from the concept of offering a new way of being welcomed to the traveller of every age and origin, an alternative approach to discovering and arriving in unknown lands.</p> <p>Our core aim is the creation of a more ethical and responsible tourism with a human dimension.</p> <p>One Face One Race proposes a new concept, with a series of binding values, such as:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ No discrimination based on race, sex, colour, creed, ethnic origin and nationality; ➤ Respect for the environment, territory and culture; ➤ Respect of minorities and human rights; ➤ Promotion of ethical – alternative, sustainable and responsible tourism; ➤ Promotion of cultural and handicraft activities and of every expression of art; ➤ Incentive to a nutrition based on complete and organic and local products; ➤ Promotion of dialogue and cooperation between peoples | |
| 7 | Zagreb County Regional Development Agency, Ulica grada Vukovara 72, 10 000 Zagreb, Croatia www.zacorda.hr info@zacorda.hr 00 385 6556 051 | Katarina Drozdek katarina@zacorda.hr 00 385 6556 051 |
| | <p>Zagreb County Regional Development Agency was established in 2004 using the best practice models of the EU Regional Development Agencies in order to optimize development goals of Zagreb County in the process of Croatia's adjustment to EU programmes and regional structure.</p> <p>So far we implemented several EU tourism development projects and now we are interested in finding partners with whom we can work on the development of a trans –national theme tourism project. If you are working on a project proposal which could involve Croatia please contact us. We will be happy to contribute to the project idea with our knowledge, enthusiasms and time. Looking forward to hearing from you.</p> | |
| 8 | CLP Centro Ligure Produttività Camera di Commercio di Genova Genoa, Italy www.clpge.it tel.00391055087206 fax. 00391055087230 | Ms Luisa Puppo progettazioneclp@ge.camcom.it Mr Giorgio Murtula giorgio.murtula@ge.camcom.it |
| | <p>CLP (Centro Ligure Produttività) is the training agency of the Chamber of Commerce of Genoa and specializes in planning and research activities related to territorial and entrepreneurial development, with a focus on SMEs. Priority areas include innovation, sustainable development, CSR, tourism and internationalization. In this framework we would like to participate in a partnership working on the theme of enogastronomic tourism. In fact, we are currently developing a project idea related to a virtual and sustainable tourism itinerary centred on ethnogastronomy - the history and traditions of food and wine as a driver for tourist territorial and entrepreneurial promotion.</p> | |
| 9 | Marca Fermana | Valentino Medei <i>Secretary of Marca Fermana</i> |

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| | <p>Fermo</p> <p>Italy</p> | <p>Cell Phone: +39 347.4558639 +39 338.9316928 +39 349.6602604</p> <p>europasmart@gmail.com Skype europasmart</p> |
| | <p>Marca Fermana is a tourism organisation which acts in the territory of the province of Fermo (NUTS III – Central Italy), with the aim of strengthening the cooperation between public and private sector on the development of local touristic policies, in order to promote the cultural heritage and the economic competitiveness. One of the strategic objectives of Marca Fermana is to enhance the local excellences, from wine and food to the handicraft products, in synergy with a sustainable development of the tourism, spotlighting on the cultural and artistic heritage, as churches, museums, historical palaces and piazza. Marca Fermana is interested in acting as partner in a consortium in the following fields: cultural and historical heritage, protected natural sites, wine and food, rural tourism, and the economic fabric of a region.</p> | |
| 10 | <p>Ancitel Sardegna Sardinian municipalities Italy</p> | <p>Valeria Schirru v.schirru@ancitel.sardegna.it</p> <p>Ancitel Sardegna Viale Trieste 6, 09123 Cagliari Tel. +39 0706670115 Fax +39 0703481015</p> |
| | <p>Ancitel Sardegna S.r.l is a limited company owned by ANCI Sardegna (National Association of Italian municipalities - Sardinia Region) providing assistance to local municipalities in Sardinia in the participation in European projects. Several municipalities we are working with have a territory with a clear tourist vocation and they are willing to join a partnership involving one of these themes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ promotion of sustainable tourism ➤ cultural heritage itineraries, historical and archeological (pre-historic, Phoenician, Roman...) heritage, protected natural sites ➤ wine and food, agri-tourism, rural tourism ➤ maritime and sub-aquatic cultural heritage, health and wellbeing (including spa tourism), water sport tourism <p>We can ensure as well an active contribution to the writing of the project proposal by the local partner.</p> <p>Please, do not hesitate to contact us if you are interested in having in your consortium an Italian partner (local public authorities from Sardinia) responding to these characteristics.</p> | |
| 11 | <p>Institute for Tourism Research (INTOUR) University of Bedfordshire</p> | <p>http://www.beds.ac.uk/research/intour T: +44 (0) 1582 743243 Email: isabel.torres-martinez@beds.ac.uk</p> |
| | <p>The Institute for Tourism Research (INTOUR) at the Faculty of Education and Sport is one of the most widely respected institutes of its kind, with the highest RAE mark awarded to a university in 2001. Our dedication to top quality research was recognised as being world-class quality by the United Kingdom government through the Higher Education Funding Council in 2008.</p> <p>An aspect of the Institute's dedication is the focus provided on four major themes. INTOUR's aim is to be the most established research institute within the four following themes:</p> | |

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| | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Environment, sustainable development, poverty reduction and climate change • Economic impact and regeneration • Heritage and cultural interpretation • Social inclusion and community cohesion | |
| 12 | EPIRUS S.A. , Regional Development Agency of the Region of Epirus, Ioannina, Greece | Gerasimos Papailias (papailias@epirusa.gr), Haritakis Papaioannou (h.papaioannou@epirusa.gr), epirus@epirusa.gr |
| | <p>We are interested to promote tourism, especially through interpret material, in an area which is characterised by spectacular landscapes, virgin nature and several unique settlements with local architecture style. This area includes protected areas like National Parks, a Geopark recognised by Unesco, Natura 2000 sites and preserved by law traditional settlements. The area is located at the northwest point of Northern Pindus mountain range in the Region of Epirus, Greece. It is a mountainous area, mainly covered by forests and partly by agricultural land. It belongs to the Municipalities of Zagori and Konitsa and it is well known by the Vikos Aaos National Park. Epirus S.A. has a long experience on tourism and development of rural areas. Currently Epirus S.A. works hard on tourism interpretation in connection with culture and nature. We are looking for partners to go forward with a common project regarding tourism interpretation.</p> | |
| 13 | Obra Cultural Balear Mallorca, Balearic Islands, Spain | Dorotea Ballermann Dpt. of Interculturality C/ Bartomeu Pou, 31 baixoa 07003 Palma (Mallorca) – Spain Tlf. 0034 – 971 – 723 299 inter@ocb.cat |
| | <p>Obra Cultural Balear is a non-profit cultural association. It was founded in 1962 to promote the autochthonous language and culture in different aspects. Our main activity is the social and cultural cohesion of our multicultural and multilingual Balearic society focussing on the participation in our autochthon Catalan culture as the main cohesion factor. As we are a region with an important touristic activity, we consider the promotion of cultural experiences –in its different aspects- as a great value to a modern European concept of sustainable tourism. We'd like to take part in a trans-national project that promotes sustainable local cultural routes and itineraries related to the historic, artistic, gastronomic, environmental, etc. properties of each region.</p> | |
| 14 | Dunira Strategy 33 West Preston Street, Edinburgh, EH8 9PY, UK www.dunira.com | Mr. Benjamin Carey FTS Managing Director benjamin@dunira.com +44 845 370 8076 |
| | <p>Based in Scotland, Dunira has a focus on the sustainable development and environmental management of tourism with a special interest in protected areas and less established destinations. Delivered EC projects, with recent experience in Armenia, Croatia, Georgia, Ireland, Poland, Russia, Serbia, Slovenia & UK; Dunira's MD previously responsible for Mediterranean holiday programmes of leading UK tour operators. Recent achievements include developing sustainable tourism indicators for Europe, destination management organisations, regional cycling strategies and best practice guidelines for walking tourism. Current assignments involve ecotourism development, story-telling, pilgrimage routes, establishing a model for 'co-operative tourism' and evaluating economic value of tourism in protected areas. Please contact if our expertise and experience can enhance your consortium.</p> | |
| 15 | PPP Centar Ltd. Zagreb, Croatia | tereza@pppcentar.com our web site www.pppcentar.com |

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| | <p>We are an SME company with the highly qualified staff and the team members in sustainable construction. We have developed tools to measure the impact of construction on the environment (use of renewable energy, renewable heating/cooling, and energy efficient products and raw materials that do not pollute the environment, contributing to the EU 2020 targets on energy savings and efficiency, and utilization of the renewable energy sources. We are also focused to bring attractive health proposition in our business environment using vitality as a new energy program. We are looking for partners and to be involved in the projects related to reduction of CO2 emission caused by tourism industry and to contribute in responsible and sustainable novel health tourism offer. In the last five years we have advised on Education, Healthcare, Infrastructure and Community projects.</p> | |
| 16 | <p>Cescot Umbria Development Centre of Commerce, Tourism and services Via Campo di Marte 19, 06124 Perugia Italy</p> | <p>Nicoleta Florentina Susanu</p> <p>nicole.susanu@cescotumbria.it nicolesusanu@yahoo.it www.cescotumbria.it Mob: 00393475530001 Office: 0039 0755058430</p> |
| | <p>Cescot Umbria is an ONG Vocational Training Centre situated in Umbria, Italy and is founded in collaboration with Confesercenti which is a national democratically organization of the national entrepreneurs from commerce, tourism and services sector.</p> | |
| 17 | <p>Servizi Generali per il Turismo e Gestione Strutture Alberghiere Tourism Services and Hotel Management GEN sas di Giacomo Scarfò & C. Via Colonna, 2 - 89042 - Gioiosa Jonica (RC) - Italy</p> | <p>Giacomo Scarfò Mobile : +39 335 5652575 Fax : +39 0964 384042 mail : gen.sas@tiscali.it</p> |
| | <p>We are interested to promote the territory of Jasmin's Coast (South Calabria coast on Jonio Sea) and to increase his historical, naturalistic and artistic resources, with the aim to improve the tourism vocation and the hospitality, which is addressed to environmental sustainability. We focus our attention on development of cultural heritage and on promotion of a responsible and sustainable tourism, by the creation of thematic tourism routes/itineraries. We are also operative in field of real estate investments which is aimed to eco-sustainable and responsible tourism. We would like to became, or to find, a partner for an European cross-border project, with the aim to develop further the sustainable tourism and then put together sport/environment with trip's culture and hospitality and all this should be in harmony with local cultures and traditions. If you are working to some idea which is in line with our aims, please contact us, we will be happy to share your ideas and to develop a project together. GEN is interested, in acting as partner, to act in the follows fields:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Development of environmental, cultural and historical heritage. • In sporting tourism (trekking, mountain bike, cycling routes). | |
| 18 | <p>PRJ HALO - RURAL DEVELOPMENT CORE HALO</p> | <p>Sonja Golc T: ++386 (0)2 795 32 00 info@halo.si</p> |
| | <p>Ideas for participation in partnership projects:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - castle's awakening and trading of its content - to promote culture and heritage, - walking paths for connecting the castles | |

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| | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - development of wine tourist roads, - preserving and promotion of intangible heritage, - production and trading of wines with protected geographical origin, - the history and traditions of food and wine as a driver for tourist | |
| 19 | GSI ITALIA | lauraventura@gsitalia.org |
| | <p>GSI is an Italian NGO engaged in broad development programmes at local and international level. We are looking for partner organizations that are interested in the development of thematic routes in the transnational region between Greece, Romania, Bulgaria and Italy, which aim to preserve and make available cultural, natural and religious heredities born from age to age in this region.</p> | |
| 20 | European Programs, Energy, Development and Tourism Area Deputy County Council of Avila, Spain. | <p>Luisa Martín Vazquez. Tel: +34 920 206 230 Fax: +34 920 206 225 lfmartin@diputacionavila.es eabellan@diputacionavila.es www.diputacionavila.es</p> |
| | <p><i>The European Programs, Energy, Development and Tourism Area</i>, under the Deputy County Council of Ávila, has the responsibility through the Energy Agency and the Tourism Board of Ávila about the Energetic and Tourist policy at regional level.</p> <p>This Area has developed over the last ten years in the province twelve European Projects in the framework of the Intelligent Energy and Interreg European Programs, some of them focus on the development of the Tourism Business in our province, the main economic sector for us. One of them; Setcom Project, about Sustainable Energies in Tourism dominated Communities, and the other, Preserve, which is focus on developing sustainable tourism policies from the point of view of preserving cultural and natural heritage.</p> <p>We would like find partners to develop an Online sustainable project focus on the promotion of the cultural, environmental and gastronomic heritage of the communities through the development of three georeferenced and virtual routes and downloadable to mobile.</p> | |
| 21 | Dafne S.R.L – Turismo & Congrese. Presidente della Dafne Cooperativa: ANTONIO MUIA’. | <p>Via Randazzo , Siderno, 89048 Tel: 0964- 342229. Fax 0964-380540. E-mail: info@dafneservizi.it Sito web : www.dafneservizi.it</p> |
| | <p>The cooperative society of tourism services was created in 1990 and it is interested in development and promotion of territory, mainly of historical centers, through the offer of packages holidays or of wine and food itineraries that can help the development of sustainable tourism. Within this cooperative there are skilled workers. Besides, the cooperative, offer tourism services highly qualified such as transfer, tourism guide, organization of meetings and events on all national territory.</p> | |
| 22 | AQR-IREA Reseach Group (Research Institute of Applied Economics). University of Barcelona | <p>Dr. Jordi Suriñach – Full Professor of Applied Economics and Director of IREA Research Institute jsurinach@ub.edu, www.ub.edu/aqr</p> |
| | <p>Our group has a great experience in European projects. Actually, we have been coordinating two 7th Frameworks Programme projects and one ESPON project.</p> <p>We are specialized in tourism and particularly in analysing the economic impact of tourism, cultural services, infrastructures, and others. For example, we have done economic impact analysis for urban tourism in Barcelona, or La Alhambra in Granada. Additionally, we are experts working with quantitative techniques at local and regional level.</p> <p>We are used to work for local, regional, national and European public administrations as a</p> | |

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| | <p>consultancy team.</p> <p>We offer our expertise for doing some analysis for this kind of projects, trying to do, for example, the impact analysis for some projects you are interested to develop, or even to analyse the economic impact for our region, in similar issues that other partners can be interested to analyse for their regions.</p> | |
| 23 | <p>Lustwandeln Hiking in Europe</p> | <p>Angelica & Guenther Kraemer Oberer Seesteig 6 D-89173 Lonsee Germany www.lustwandeln.net www.viadanubia.eu info@lustwandeln.net Phone: 0049 7336 6660</p> |
| | <p>Activities: Guided hiking tours in the Danube region, in Germany, in Romania, Slovakia and Ukraine. Exploring hiking trails along the Danube river and in the Carpathian Mountains. A hiking trail from the Black Forest in Germany to the Black Sea as a project of sustainable tourism, part of the Danube Strategy.</p> | |
| 24 | <p>The European Institute of Tourism, Street Matteotti 356, 89044.Locri</p> | <p>Tel: 0964-230130 Legal representative : Mario Diano,</p> |
| | <p>The I.E.S.T.(European Institute of Tourism) was created in 1990 and his office is in Locri in the province of Reggio Calabria. Some of his institutional aims are: to programme and to put into practice some interventions for the development of territory in every sight; to coordinate and to identify all services which concern the support of those activities connected at promotion of territory; to study and to look for new strategies above all to improve the welcome and the assistance where the cultural tourism have the possibility to develop. Besides his aim is the formation of young people who will became tour operators and the promotion of historical centers through implementation of special projects.</p> | |
| 25 | <p>Consortium of Hoteliers: Jonica Holidays. Via Lungomare, 89048. Locri (RC).</p> | <p>Telefono: 0964-342689 Fax: 0964- 040028 www.larievieradeigelsomini.it info@prolocosiderno.it</p> |
| | <p>Consortium of Hoteliers which is called Jonica Holidays was created in 1990 and it assemble a lot of accommodations facilities which are located in this area called LOCRIDE, both in coastal areas and in internal centers. Jonica Holidays want to promote the Region both on the home market and in foreign market in order to inform the operators interested of the resources and accommodation capacity. JONICA Holidays is interested, also, in development and promotion of historical centers through the offer of packages holidays, in this way the consortium can promote the sustainable tourism.</p> | |
| 26 | <p>Municipality of Narbolia (Sardinia, Italy) via Umberto, 22 09070 http://www.comune.narbolia.or.it/?q=node/36</p> | <p>Valeria Schirru Tel. +39 0706670115 v.schirru@ancitel.sardegna.it</p> |

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| | The municipality of Narbolia (covering an area of about 4000 hectares) is located in the middle of the west Sardinian coast and has a clear tourist vocation thanks to its diverse, rich territory spreading from beautiful coastline (Is Arenas beach) with a huge pine forest scattered by sandy dunes (which offers modern tourism structures) to the intact countryside delivering high quality eno-gastronomic products. Historic and archeologic heritage is as well an important aspect of this territory offering pre-historic and Roman ruins and old countryside churches. The municipality is recently gaining experience in European projects and has already implemented several actions at local level to promote environment education, and sustainable development. If you are working on a project proposal which could involve this territory please do not hesitate to contact us: we ensure to actively contribute to the writing of the proposal as well. | |
| 27 | ETEM [Laboratory for Tourism Research and Studies- University of Aegean (Chios, Greece)] | Administration Office Tel: +30 2271035322 Fax.: +30 2271035399 Mailing Address: 54, Michail Livanou str., Chios 82100, Greece. www.chios.aegean.gr/tourism Contact person : Vasileiou Magdalini Email : m.vasileiou@chios.aegean.gr |
| | ETEM seeks for partners, which are interested in sharing knowledge and experience and developing synergies regarding the integration of geothermal energy in the structure and operation of traditional and modern spa towns with cultural importance. ETEM wishes to promote and reposition the wellness tourism market potentials around Europe as an emerging thematic tourism service and product which interrelates with new tourism demand trends (environmentally aware tourists focusing in special interest tourism diversified product) and environmental needs for sustainable tourism development. ETEM seeks to find partners in order to create wellness/spa town routes which could promote wellness, cultural tourism and environmental sustainability, and share good practices. Ideally the partners involved could be from Iceland, Norway, Italy, Hungary and Czech Republic, or any other country with experience in wellness tourism. | |
| 28 | Provincia di Terni - (Italy) | Assessorato alle Politiche Sociali Contatti: +39 0744 483580 ass.bigerna@provincia.terni.it coordpolitichesociali@provincia.terni.it |
| | The Provincia of Terni is a Public Institution of Umbria Region (Italy) thinking his territory adapted for sustainable and social tourism. A tourism that educates and leads towards tourism that is more sustainable and aware. A tourism that makes the tourists and their hosts grow because it encourages us to meet, to discover, to respect the culture, art, history, natural world, traditions and the way of life of the different peoples involved. Social tourism follows <u>the</u> path of dialogue, of fair exchange, of respect for the environment and solidarity typical of our hospitality. Passing from the development of tourism to the tourism of development by the creation of a European Zone of Integrated Sustainable Tourism (EZIST) – that is, the creation of a European network of territories that put sustainable tourism, and the commitment to socialising implicit in it, at the centre of their own development. | |
| 29 | Municipality of Guspini and Montevecchio mines (Sardinia, Italy) http://www.minieramontevecchio.it/english/index.html | Maria Rosaria Madau mrmadau@ancitel.sardegna.it and |

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| | | Valeria Schirru Tel. +39 0706670115 v.schirru@ancitel.sardegna.it |
| | <p>We are looking for partners in order to present the following project proposal: <u>MineDTour - Mines Development Tourism</u></p> <p>This project aims at building a link between different disused mining sites around Europe which have been brought back to life as tourism destinations in order to make them points of a common tourism route.</p> <p>Partners Sought:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Public authorities and their networks or associations at national, regional and municipal level in charge of tourism and /or regional development • Destination management organisations and their networks/associations • International, European and national associations active in the field of tourism and related fields • Organisations/associations responsible for the management of former mines reconverted into tourism attractions. <p>If you are an entity involved in the management/promotion of former mining sites, please contact us asap.</p> | |
| 30 | Satu Mare County Council local public authority Romania | Regional Development Department Dragos Mariana, Buda Bianca Melania tel: 0040261711004 fax:0040261710395 marianadracos@cjsm.ro bianca_buda@cjsm.ro |
| | <p>Satu Mare County Council is a local public authority from Romania who is interested in promoting the cultural, environmental and gastronomic heritage in order to develop sustainable tourism in this region. Through our project implemented in recent years we established certain thematic tourist routes such as medieval churches in the county and now we are working in development gastronomic and wine routes of our area that we intend to promote in transnational tourism project. In this regard we are interested to become partner in a project whose objective corresponds to the above mentioned. Please do not hesitate to contact us for a further partnership.</p> | |
| 31 | Fundacion para le desarrollo Social Foundation for the Social Development (FDS) | Sara Fernandez fdseuropa@gmail.com Projects Dpt. Manager |
| | <p>FDS is a non profit organization with the main objective to promote the development of the population living and working in the rural areas, providing them the suitable tools and knowledge to improve their way to live collaborating with public and private institutions and promoting the cooperation for the development. FDS has among their foundational activities the promotion and management of services and Centres, public or private, to optimize the use of the current resources in social car, culture, tourism and environment.</p> <p>FDS has experience in European projects related to activities addressed to the social implication of specific social groups and we develop our tasks in these projects in a closer collaboration with the local authorities and also with the suitable stakeholders. The FDS has handled two hostels and a hotel in the rural area. The work team of FDS would like to take part to this project in initiatives in tourism.</p> | |
| 32 | BRASOV METROPOLITAN AGENCY FOR | |

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| | SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT, ROMANIA | Gabriela.meleaca@metropolabrasov.ro gabibrasoveanu@yahoo.com Phone: 0040268547616 |
| | <p>The Metropolitan Agency for Sustainable Development Braşov (BMA) was founded at the end of 2005 based on the initiative of a number of localities from the metropolitan area of Braşov and of the County Council. In 2007, the Metropolitan Agency of Braşov becomes an inter- community development association, having as a main aim the common achievement of local and regional projects, as well as providing public services. Now, we have 15 localities members, from Brasov Metropolitan Area. The Metropolitan Area is built around Braşov, which is a first degree municipal town and it is the only national Growing Pole from the Centre Development Region. The general objective of our project proposal is :</p> <p>Promotion of the agro-tourism by contributing to the development and promotion of sustainable and responsible tourism in Europe.</p> | |
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| | <p>Ilfov County Council as Local Public Authority: decides the establishment, reorganization and functioning of institutions, public services and commercial societies for the county interests; adopts strategies, forecasts and programs for the socio – economic development of the county and pursues their accomplishment; approves techno – economical documentation for investment work for the county interests; assures the necessary framework to provide public services regarding social services, consultancy in specific domains etc Ilfov County Council is organized and operates under the principles of decentralization, local autonomy, the deconcentration of public services, eligibility of local public administration authorities, legality and the consultation of citizens in solving local problems of special interest. The duties and tasks assigned, Ilfov County Council is considering the rights and freedoms and the fulfilment of the obligations of citizens acting lawfully and consistently removing bureaucracy and formalism. Ilfov County Council has responsibilities for developing strategies by establishing priorities and mechanisms of action in existing socio-economic fields in Ilfov. Also, by working with municipalities and consultation of citizens, public policies are developed which are primarily intended to support or stimulate local combines interactive areas. Some examples of projects financed by European funds on different areas like transport infrastructure, tourism, social services, business infrastructure: Creation of Mogosoia Palace Experimental Model for Mini Europe Park, Brussels; Integrated Management of Garbage in Vidra locality, Ilfov County; etc</p> | |
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| | <p>The Sustainable Socioeconomic Group (LISOSTUR) is composed by an interdisciplinary group of researchers of the University of Zaragoza from the departments of Business Economics, Accountancy and Finance, Psychology and Sociology. Their research is related to the study of the sustainable economic systems and the conditions they need to remain sustainable over time. Most of researchers belong to Consolidate Research Groups by the Regional Government of Aragon (Spain) (Group of Studies on Risk Society and Third Sector's Social and Economics Studies Group) that belong to Faculty of Business and Public Administration and Faculty of Business and Economy.</p> | |

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| | LISOSTUR has participated in several projects on a regional, national and international basis. The results of the group have appeared in highly ranked journals and they have been applied to the design and development of social policies, both at private and public level related to Sustainable Tourism and Corporate Social Responsibility | |
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| | <p>The Industrial Association of Grosseto is one of the 130 Local Associations of the Italian National Confederation of Industries, founded in 1910, and represents over 200 enterprises located in the Province of Grosseto. The Association is currently involved as a Project leader in two projects: The Alterskillspraxis Project: « Students and Companies as Protagonists in the Construction of Integrated Pathways Between School and Work for Development of Skills for Employability » ; and, the Leonardo Da Vinci Lifelong Learning Project: « New Jobs Through Educational/Environmental Sustainable Development (ESD) Competencies ». In conjunction with the latter project, the Industrial Association has motivated a concentration on sustainable tourism within the Maremma territory, a territory rich in historical, cultural, enogastronomic traditions enhanced by Geoparks and Metalliferous Hills, all part of a Tourism Ecosystem. We are actively seeking to become a partner in other such projects for which our services offered and experience acquired may serve to consolidate a quality endeavour.</p> | |