

The Framework 7 Programme

How Western Balkans countries can participate

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Glossary of Framework 7 Acronyms

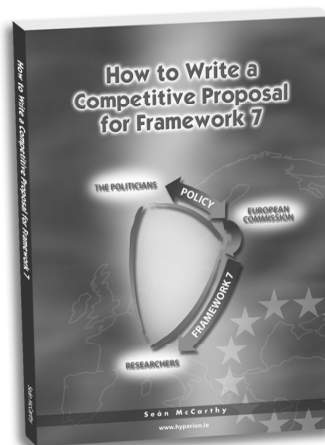
AC	Additional Cost Model	FP6	Framework 6
AS	Associate State	FP7	Framework 7
CFS	Certificate on financial statement	HLG	High Level Group
CSA	Coordination and Support Action	I3	Integrated Infrastructure Initiative
CIP	Competitiveness+Innovation Programme	ICPC	International Cooperation Partner Country
CPF	Contract Preparation Form	IP	Integrated Project
CREST	Representatives of National Ministries	JTI	Joint Technology Initiative
CSO	Civil Society Organisation	MS	Member State (of the European Union)
DG	Directorate General (e.g. DG Research)	NOE	Network of Excellence
EAG	External Advisory Group	OLAF	EU Anti-Fraud Office
EEIG	European Economic Interest Group	OMC	Open Method of Coordination
EC	European Commission	PESS	Proposal Evaluation Software System
EOI	Expression of Interest	PPP	Public Private Partnership
EP	European Parliament	R&D	Research and Development
EPSS	Electronic Proposal Submission System	RTD	Research and Technology Development
ERC	European Research Council	RSFF	Risk Sharing Finance Facility
ESR	Evaluation Summary Report	SICA	Specific International Cooperation Action
ETI	Economic and Technological Intelligence	SME	Small and Medium Sized Enterprise
ETP	European Technology Platform	SP	Specific Programme
EU	European Union	SSA	Specific Support Action
EURAB	European Research Advisory Board	STREP	Strategic Targeted Research Project
FC	Full Cost Model	TP	Technology Platform
FCF	Full Cost Flat Rate Model	WP	Workprogramme
ET	Future and Emerging Technologies		

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How to Stay up-to-date with Framework 7

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DAILY	Cordis News http://cordis.europa.eu/news/en/home.html Cordis Rapidus http://cordis.europa.eu/guidance/email.htm
MONTHLY Magazines + eNewsletters	CORDIS Focus http://cordis.europa.eu/focus/en R&D Organisations in Brussels www.iglortd.org EU R&D Associations www.hyperion.ie/euassociations.htm Research Europe(Commercial) www.researchresearch.com
OTHERS	Your organisation’s own FP7 Webpage National Contact Points http://cordis.europa.eu/fp7/ncp_en.html Register on www.ipr-helpdesk.org
THE BEST	<i>World Class Science (and be known in Brussels)</i> Working as an ‘Expert’, Networks, Conferences, Projects..

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A Quick Overview of Framework 7

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Which Countries can Participate in Framework 7

Political Background to Framework 7

A Director's Strategy for Framework 7

A Researcher's Strategy for Framework 7

How to Proceed

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Which Countries can Participate in FP7?

Member State	Member state of the European Union
Third Country	Not a Member State e.g. USA is a 'Third Country'
Associated Countries	Countries that make financial contribution to Framework 7 (International agreement)
International Cooperation Partner Countries	Developing and Emerging Economies Mediterranean Countries, Western Balkans Eastern Europe/Central Asian Countries
International Organisations	WHO, FAO...

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Details on <http://cordis.europa.eu/inco2/src/participation.htm>

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Member States of the European Union (2007+)

Austria	Germany	Poland
Belgium	Greece	Portugal
Bulgaria	Hungary	Romania
Czech Republic	Ireland	Slovakia
Cyprus	Italy	Slovenia
Denmark	Latvia	Spain
Estonia	Lithuania	Sweden
Finland	Luxembourg	The Netherlands
France	Malta	United Kingdom

(Romania and Bulgaria members from 1/1/2007)

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Associated Countries

Candidate States (June 2007)	International Agreements with EU
Turkey	Norway *
Croatia	Liechtenstein *
Serbia	Iceland *
Macedonia(FYROM)	Israel **
Montenegro	Switzerland **

* European Economic Area Agreements

** Bilateral Agreements

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Agreements on http://cordis.europa.eu/inco/agreements_fp7_en.html

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Framework 7 Funding for ICPC Countries

International Cooperation Partner Countries (ICPC)

- (a) Developing and Emerging Economies
- (b) Mediterranean Countries
- (c) Western Balkans
- (d) Eastern European and Central Asian Countries (EECA)

Western Balkan ICPC Countries

Albania
Bosnia-Herzegovina

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International Cooperation Partner Countries

Developing
Economies

African, Pacific, Asia, Latin America

Emerging
Economies

Brazil, Russia, China, India, Mexico and
South Africa

Mediterranean
Partner Countries

Algeria, Egypt, Jordan, Lebanon, Libya,
Morocco, Palestine administered areas,
Syrian Arab Republic, Tunisia

Western Balkan
Countries (WBC)

Albania, Bosnia-Herzegovina,

Eastern European
and Central
Asian Countries
(EECA)

Armenia, Azerbaijan, Belarus, Georgia,
Kazakhstan, Kyrgyz Republic, Moldova,
Russia, Tajikistan, Turkmenistan,
Ukraine and Uzbekistan

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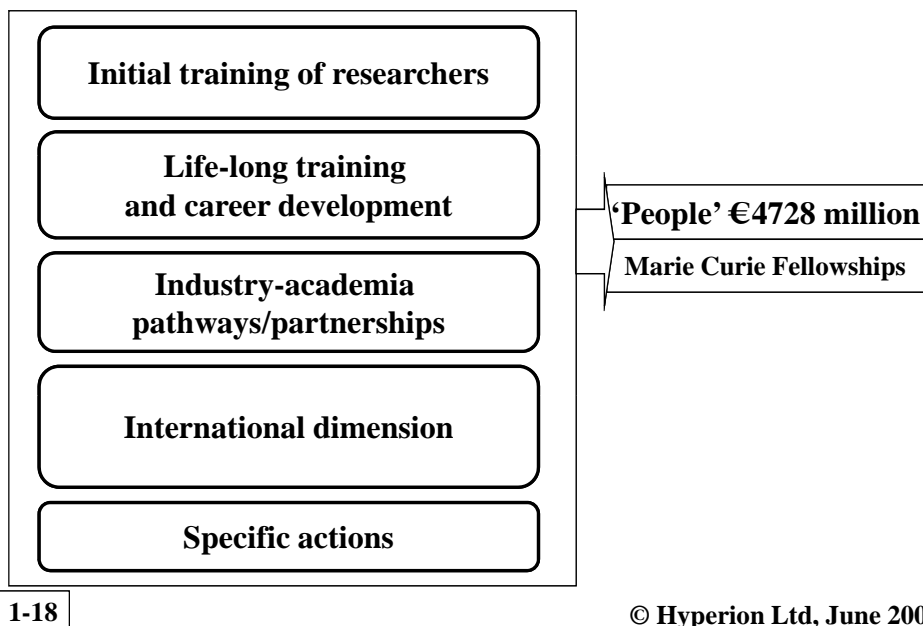
Structure of Framework 7

‘Cooperation’	‘Ideas’
1. Health	Frontier Research (European Research Council)
2. Food, agriculture/fisheries, biotechnology	
3. Information Communication Technologies	‘People’
4. Nanosciences + nanotechnologies, Materials+new Production technologies	Marie Curie Fellowships
5. Energy	‘Capacities’
6. Environment	Research Infrastructures SMEs Regions of Knowledge Research Potential Science in Society Inco (Horizontal) Development of Policies
7. Transport	
8. Socio-economic sciences + the humanities	
9. Space	10. Security
1-16 SME (Small and Medium Sized Enterprise) JRC (Joint Research Centre)	Euratom (2007-2011) JRC 07

Structure of Framework 7

‘Cooperation’ €32365 million		‘Ideas’ €7,460 million	
1. Health	€6,050 million	Frontier Research (European Research Council)	
2. Food....	€1,935 million	‘People’ €4,728 million	
3. ICT	€9,110 million		
4. NMP	€3,500 million	Marie Curie Fellowships	
5. Energy	€2,300 million	‘Capacities’ €4,217 m	
6. Environment..	€1,800 million	Research Infrastructures SMEs Regions of Knowledge Research Potential Science in Society Inco (Horizontal) Development of Policies	
7. Transport	€1,180 million		
8. SSH	€10 million		
9. Space €1,430 million	10. Security €1350 m		
1-17	SME (Small and Medium Sized Enterprise) JRC (Joint Research Centre)	Euratom €2,751 m;	JRC €1,751m

People (Marie Curie Programme)



People (Marie Curie Programme)

Activity 1: Initial training of researchers

Marie Curie “Initial Training Networks” (ITN)

Activity 2: Life-long Training and Career Development

Intra-European Fellowships for Career Development (IEF)

European Reintegration Grant (ERG)

(NEW) Co-funding of Regional/National/International (COFUND)

Activity 3: Industry-Academia partnerships and pathways

Industry-Academia Partnership and Pathways (IAPP)

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People (Marie Curie Programme)

Activity 4: International Dimension

International Outgoing Fellowship for Career Development (IOF)

International Incoming Fellowship (IIF)

International Reintegration Grant (IRG)

Activity 5: Specific Actions

Researchers Nights

Awards

ERA-MORE

2008 + Staff Exchange with Neighbourhood Policy Countries

(Armenia, Azerbaijan, Belarus, Georgia, Moldova, Ukraine)

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International Cooperation Partner Countries

‘Cooperation’		INCO Partner Rules Minimum 4 Partners 2 from Member States or Associated States 2 from ICPC Countries*
1. Health	SICA	
2. Food, agriculture and biotech	SICA	
3. Information/communication	SICA	
4. Nanosciences + nanotechnology Materials+new Production technologies	SICA	
5. Energy	SICA	
6. Environment and climate change	SICA	
7. Transport	SICA	
8. Socio-economic sciences + technologies	SICA	
9. Space	10. Security	
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SICA (Specific International Cooperation Actions) © Hyperion Ltd, June 2007

Framework 7 Funding for ICPC Countries

Relevant Balkan Countries (June 2007) Albania Bosnia-Herzegovina	
Cooperation	Research Priorities SICA Calls in Research Priorities
Capacities	INCO (Horizontal)
People	Incoming International Fellowships Marie Curie Networks
Ideas (Frontier)	Host in EU/AS: No nationality criterion
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Funding Schemes (Grants) in Framework 7

Collaborative Projects (CP)

Research Projects

Networks of Excellence (NoE)

Integration using Networks

Co-ordination/Support Actions

Networks, seminars, studies

Marie Curie Fellowships

Fellowships (mobility)

Research for SMEs/Associations

Solving SME problems

Frontier Research Grant

Basic/Fundamental Research

SME (Small and Medium Sized Enterprise)

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Statistics on Funding Scheme (Estimate only)

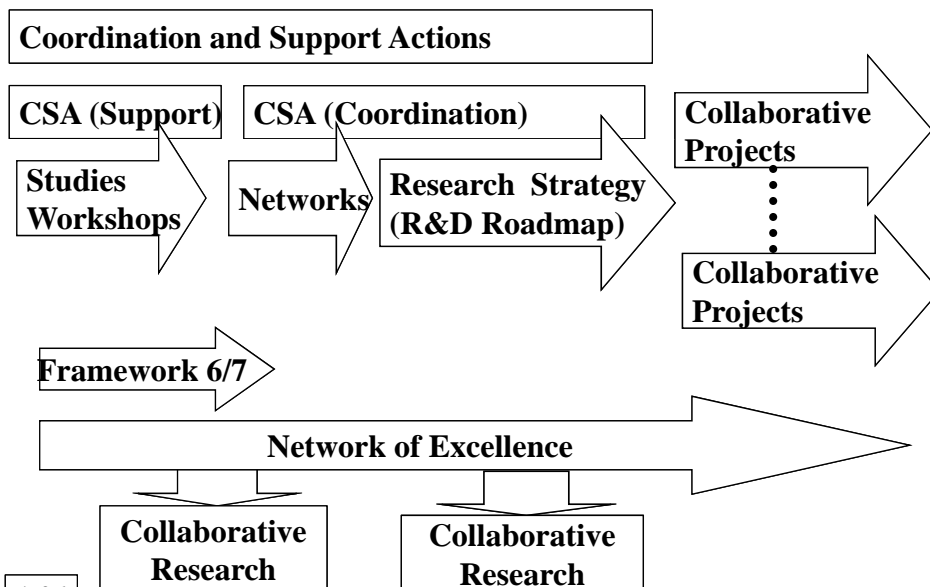
	<i>Minimum Partners</i>	<i>Typical Partners</i>	<i>Years Typical</i>	€**
CP Large	3	15-20	5	> €6m
CP Small	3	8-10	3	< €3m
Networks of Excellence	3	15-20	3-5	€6-12m
Co-ordination/Support	1*	1-20 +	3	€3-3m
Marie Curie Fellowships	1*	1*	3	€33k
Research for SMEs	5	10	3	€5-5m
Frontier Research Grant	1	1	5	€1-3m

* In some cases ** Amount specified in call for proposals

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Some Strategies for Funding Schemes



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Where to Find the 'Best Partners'

Best Scientists

Journals, Conferences, R&D Committees

Academic
R&D Networks

EU R&D Associations/Networks

COST Actions

Existing R&D Projects

Lead Users
of Results

Enterprises

Test Laboratories

Regulatory Bodies

Standards Groups

Strategic Partners

New Member States, Third Countries

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How to Proceed

Science

Clarify scientific 'niche within a niche'

Promote expertise through EU conferences

People

Identify EU officials, best European partners

Join EU Associations/Networks

Process

Identify Work Programmes/Funding Scheme

Evaluate Framework 7 Proposals

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EU (European Union)

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Strategy for Beginners

Visit a European Research Infrastructure

Join an existing network ('Coordination Action')

Fellowship in a Marie Curie Host

Organise a Workshop/Seminar ('Specific Support Action')

Join a proposal as a 'Minor' Partner (2 or 3 times)

Join a proposal as a Partner (Workpackage Leader)

Coordinate a Project

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A Researcher's Strategy for Framework 7

Best Science

Best Partners

Best 'Impact' EU Policies

Follow the EC Guidelines

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