



EUPHA Newsletter March 2006

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1. News from EUPHA Office

EUPHA office is currently busy cleaning up the database, preparing for the 2006 conference in Montreux and closing the last tasks concerning the 2005 conference in Graz. Furthermore, now that we have more time to work on the website, we have introduced a new item: News (<http://www.eupha.org/html/news.html>). This way we like to keep visitors of the website as up to date as possible on any kind of news from the Public Health field.

2. EUPHA Conference Montreux Update

We are pleased to announce that we have already received abstracts for the EUPHA conference, which will take place in November. May we please remind everybody that the deadline for abstract submission is *May 1, 2006*. You can submit your abstract electronically at http://www.eupha.org/cgi-files/abs_db.cgi?action=abstype.

3. CAPH Mailing list

During the annual meeting of the EUPHA section on Child and Adolescent Public Health, it appeared that few people know about the CAPH Mailing list. We would like to inform you that if you are interested in knowing more about CAPH activities and join the mailing list, please send an email to Auke Wieggersma, CAPH President at p.a.wieggersma@med.rug.nl.

4. OUP Discount

Oxford University Press is pleased to offer members of the European Public Health Association, an exclusive **20% discount** on our books. Please visit www.oup.co.uk/promotions/medicine/eupha for a selection of recent and forthcoming books in Public Health and Epidemiology.

Highlights include:

- Obesity Prevention and Public Health (Crawford & Jeffery)
- Fat Politics: The real story behind America's obesity epidemic (Oliver)
- Social Determinants of Health, 2nd edition (Marmot and Wilkinson)
- The HIV Pandemic: Local and global implications (Beck et al.)

The Economics of Infectious Disease (Roberts)
Cancer Epidemiology and Prevention, 3rd Edition (Schottenfeld & Fraumeni)
Social Inequalities in Health: New evidence and policy implications (Siegrist & Marmot)

Plus the new edition of the Oxford Handbook of Public Health Practice (Pencheon et.al), publishing in June 2006.

5. Call for Abstracts 28th ASPHER Annual Conference, Maastricht, Netherlands

Friday September 15 – Sunday September 17, 2006

The 2006 ASPHER Annual Conference Scientific Committee invites researchers, practitioners, educationalists and policymakers involved in the education of public health to exchange views, results and experiences to contribute to the development of present-day and future public health education within Europe by submitting a relevant abstract. The conference will provide an excellent platform for discussion, analysis, review and debate on current public health issues and the education in public health. The abstracts will shape a big part of the final programme of the conference. The themes below are envisioned to provide the backbone of the conference programme:

1. The Expanding Domain of Public Health
2. European Dimensions in Public Health Education
3. Capacity Building and Manpower Development
4. Harmonisation of Education in Public Health in Europe

Persons wishing to submit an abstract may choose from one of the following types: A research abstract, a policy or practice oriented abstract and an abstract for a thematic workshop.

Please note:

The deadline for abstracts is **Friday June 2, 2006**, and abstracts can only be submitted electronically through the updated conference website at: www.unimaas.nl/aspher2006

6. First Announcement: The Future of Primary Health Care in Europe

International conference on co-operation, integration and organisation of primary care

Place: Utrecht, the Netherlands

Date: (11)-12-13 October 2006

Organizing committee:

Julius Centre, University Medical Centre Utrecht, National Association of Organised Primary Care (LVG), Netherlands Institute of Health Services Research (NIVEL)

International Network of Integrated Care (INIC), European Forum for Primary Care

Deadline for abstract submissions (presentations/posters): June 15, 2006

Deadline for early registration: July 1, 2006

For more information: <http://www.futureofprimarycare.com/>

7. EU Funding Deadlines

For your information we have added all EU funding deadlines for the year 2006, just in case you have a project in mind that could need some financial aid.

For EUPHA Office,

Joke van Wageningen

Dear Reader,

In this document we have compiled a list of open calls for EU proposals together with interesting future trainings and other events that may be relevant for your organisation. This publication has been prepared exclusively for the subscribers of the EU Center at www.eucenter.org

The following events will be introduced in detail:

- » e-Learning course on EU funding opportunities
- » Advanced training on EU project management
- » Biofuel Marketplace International Workshop and Stakeholder event

E-LEARNING

REGISTRATION IS CONTINUOUS



The future of the New Member States and Associated Candidate Countries - especially small and medium-sized enterprises, municipalities, universities - in the European Union will largely depend on how successful the submitted proposals are and whether they will receive EU funding.

INNOSTART Foundation and GEONARDO Ltd. provide a unique, cost and time-effective e-learning service introducing EU funding opportunities and practical guidance to small and medium-sized enterprises, municipalities, universities and also to any potential project proposer organisation or individual.

This relatively new teaching method, based on cost-effective digital technology, meeting all EU requirements has many advantages compared to traditional training courses

Please see more information on Page 13 or visit www.innostart.hu



ADVANCED TRAINING ON EU PROJECT MANAGEMENT

6-7 APRIL, 2006 - BUDAPEST, HUNGARY

A 2-day training course concerning all practical issues of EC project management for intermediate and advanced participants.

Similarly to other Europa Media seminars this training will be practical and straightforward brought to you by those who successfully develop and manage EC projects on a daily basis.

Although the training content may be applicable to a broad variety of EC funds the organisers intend to focus on some of the most significant programmes, such as FP6(FP7), e-Content, eTen, Intelligent Energy for Europe, etc.

Please refer Page 15 for more information, or visit www.eucenter.org

BIOFUEL MARKETPLACE INTERNATIONAL WORKSHOP AND STAKEHOLDER EVENT

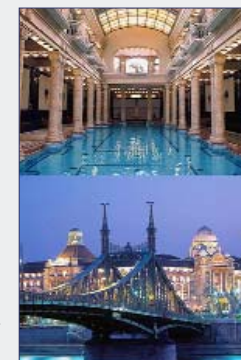
9 MARCH, 2006 - BUDAPEST, HUNGARY

The European Commission finances the setting up of a web-based Biofuel Marketplace for the exploitation of Europe's biofuel potential. Join us on the 9th of March 2006 and learn how you can commercialise your products and technologies!

The Biofuel Marketplace will serve as a forum where European stakeholders can assess, develop, **promote and disseminate** the implementation of new concepts and schemes at various levels for the utilisation and trading of biofuels.

The project will also initiate a **dialogue** between the industry, researchers, scientists, investors and the public for understanding the relationships, which act between biofuels, environment, transport, technologies and economic growth, taking into account societal values, natural and human resources.

Please go to Page 17 for more information or visit www.biofuelmarketplace.com





DEADLINES 16/02/2006

TITLE	REFERENCE NUMBER	DEADLINE	SHORT DESCRIPTION	LINK
Specific measures in support of international co-operation	FP6-2002-INCO-MPC/SSA-2	2006-03-06	Specific Support Actions (SSA) for Mediterranean Partners Countries (MPC)	http://fp6.cordis.lu/fp6/call_details.cfm?CALL_ID=43
Sustainable development, global change and ecosystems	FP6-2002-Transport-2	2006-03-01	Thematic call in the area of "Sustainable Surface Transport Specific Support Actions"	http://fp6.cordis.lu/fp6/call_details.cfm?CALL_ID=21
Sustainable development, global change and ecosystems	FP6-2005-Global-4	2006-03-02	Thematic call in the area of ,Global Change and Ecosystems,	http://fp6.cordis.lu/fp6/call_details.cfm?CALL_ID=211
Specific measures in support of international co-operation	FP6-2002-INCO-DEV/SSA-1	2006-03-06	Specific Support Actions (SSA) for Developing countries (DEV)	http://fp6.cordis.lu/fp6/call_details.cfm?CALL_ID=42
Aeronautics and Space	FP6-2006-TTC-TU-Priority-4	2006-05-16	Specific call to promote the participation of partners from Targeted Third Countries in projects for which contracts are already signed or under negotiation in priority thematic areas of research.	http://fp6.cordis.lu/index.cfm?fuseaction=UserSite.FP6DetailsCallPage&call_id=276
Specific measures in support of international co-operation	FP6-2002-INCO-Russia+NIS/SSA-4	2006-03-06	Specific Support Actions (SSA) for Russia and other NIS	http://fp6.cordis.lu/fp6/call_details.cfm?CALL_ID=45
Specific measures in support of international co-operation	FP6-2002-INCO-COMultilatRTD/SSA-5	2006-03-06	Specific Support Actions (SSA) for Multilateral co-ordination of national RTD policies and activities	http://fp6.cordis.lu/fp6/call_details.cfm?CALL_ID=47
Human resources and mobility	FP6-2004-Mobility-11	2006-07-19	Call for proposals for Marie Curie European Reintegration Grants	http://fp6.cordis.lu/fp6/call_details.cfm?CALL_ID=164
Human resources and mobility	FP6-2004-Mobility-12	2006-07-19	Call for proposals for Marie Curie International Reintegration Grants	http://fp6.cordis.lu/fp6/call_details.cfm?CALL_ID=165
Future and Emerging Technologies	FP6-2002-IST-C	2006-03-14	Activity area: Information Society Technologies	http://fp6.cordis.lu/index.cfm?fuseaction=UserSite.FP6DetailsCallPage&,call_id=55
Aeronautics and space	FP6-2002-Aero-2	2006-03-31	Thematic call in the area of "Aeronautics Specific Support Actions"	http://fp6.cordis.lu/index.cfm?fuseaction=UserSite.FP6DetailsCallPage&call_id=8
Science and Society	FP6-2005-Science-and-society-20	2006-03-30	Call for proposals for the creation of Science Shops facilitating scientific and local civil society communication.	http://fp6.cordis.lu/index.cfm?useaction=UserSite.FP6DetailsCallPage&call_id=263



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René Descartes Prizes 2006	FP6-2005-Science-and-society-18	2006-05-04	Specific Support Actions	http://fp6.cordis.lu/index.cfm?fuseaction=UserSite.FP6DetailsCallPage&call_id=266
Specific measures in support of international co-operation	FP6-2005-INCO-WBC/SSA-3	2006-03-06	Call aims at selecting and supporting high quality research centres in the Western Balkan Countries (WBC).	http://fp6.cordis.lu/index.cfm?fuseaction=UserSite.FP6DetailsCallPage&call_id=267
Food quality and safety	FP6-2006-TTC-TU-Priority-5	2006-05-16	Specific call to promote the participation of partners from Targeted Third Countries in projects for which contracts are already signed or under negotiation in priority thematic areas of research.	http://fp6.cordis.lu/index.cfm?fuseaction=UserSite.FoodDetailsCallPage&call_id=277
Information Society Technologies	FP6-2005-IST-6	2006-04-26	Call supports activities from the area of Advanced Robotics, Ambient Assisted Living in the Ageing Society, Advanced search technologies for digital audiovisual content, Accompanying actions and International Co-operation.	http://fp6.cordis.lu/index.cfm?fuseaction=UserSite.FP6DetailsCallPage&call_id=271
Human resources and Mobility	FP6-2006-Mobility-13	2006-04-11	Call for proposals for the Researchers' Night 2006 focusing on cooperation with Member States and Associated Countries in the field of human resources.	http://fp6.cordis.europa.eu.int/index.cfm?fuseaction=UserSite.FP6DetailsCallPage&call_id=273
Policy-orientated research	FP6-2005-SSP-5-A	2006-03-22	Call focuses on scientific support to policies where general areas of interest are Sustainable management of European natural resources, Providing health, security and opportunity to the people of Europe.	http://fp6.cordis.europa.eu.int/index.cfm?fuseaction=UserSite.FP6DetailsCallPage&call_id=268
Policy-orientated research	FP6-2005-SSP-5-B-INFLUENZA	2006-03-22	Special call focusing on avian / pandemic influenza covering policy-orientated research.	http://fp6.cordis.europa.eu.int/index.cfm?fuseaction=UserSite.FP6DetailsCallPage&call_id=269



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Nanotechnologies and nanosciences, knowledge-based multifunctional materials and new production processes and devices	FP6-2006-TTC-TU-Priority-3	2006-05-16	Specific call to promote the participation of partners from Targeted Third Countries in projects for which contracts are already signed or under negotiation in priority thematic areas of research.	http://fp6.cordis.lu/index.cfm?fuseaction=UserSite.NMPDetailsCallPage&call_id=275
Human resources and mobility	FP6-2006-Mobility-4	2006-05-17	Under the main area addressed series of events can be carried out combining conference-style events, with more practical events.	http://fp6.cordis.lu/index.cfm?fuseaction=UserSite.FP6DetailsCallPage&call_id=250
Sustainable development, global change and ecosystems, Sustainable surface transport	FP6-2006-TTC-TU-Priority-6-2	2006-05-16	Specific call to promote the participation of partners from Targeted Third Countries in projects for which contracts are already signed or under negotiation in priority thematic areas of research.	http://fp6.cordis.lu/index.cfm?fuseaction=UserSite.FP6DetailsCallPage&call_id=279
Sustainable development, Global change and ecosystems	FP6-2006-TTC-TU-Priority-6-3	2006-05-16	Specific call to promote the participation of partners from Targeted Third Countries in projects for which contracts are already signed or under negotiation in priority thematic areas of research.	Official website: http://fp6.cordis.lu/index.cfm?fuseaction=UserSite.FP6DetailsCallPage&call_id=280
Citizens and Governance in a knowledge-based society	FP6-2006-TTC-TU-Priority-7	2006-05-16	Specific call to promote the participation of partners from Targeted Third Countries in projects for which contracts are already signed or under negotiation in priority thematic areas of research.	Official website of the call: http://fp6.cordis.lu/index.cfm?fuseaction=UserSite.CitizensDetailsCallPage&call_id=281
Sustainable development, global change and ecosystems	FP6-2006-TTC-TU-Priority-6-1	2006-05-16	Specific call to promote the participation of partners from Targeted Third Countries in projects for which contracts are already signed or under negotiation in priority thematic areas of research.	http://fp6.cordis.lu/index.cfm?fuseaction=UserSite.FP6DetailsCallPage&call_id=278



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Life sciences, genomics and biotechnology for health	FP6-2006-TTC-TU-Priority-1	2006-05-16	Specific call to promote the participation of partners from Targeted Third Countries in projects for which contracts are already signed or under negotiation in priority thematic areas of research.	http://fp6.cordis.lu/index.cfm?fuseaction=UserSite.LifeSciHealthDetailsCallPage&call_id=274
European Atomic Energy Community (Euratom)	Euratom Call Open	2006-04-11	Specific support actions, trans-national access to large infrastructures and actions to promote and develop human mobility in the "Euratom Research and Training Programme on Nuclear Energy"	http://fp6.cordis.lu/fp6/call_details.cfm?CALL_ID=46
Media Plus - Access to Markets and European Audiovisual Festivals Networks	INFSO-MEDIA/05/2005	2006-05-10	Support access to markets and European audiovisual festivals networks	http://europa.eu.int/eur-lex/lex/LexUriServ/site/en/oj/2005/c_159/c_15920050630en00300031.pdf
Call for proposals 2005	IEEA 2005	2006-04-28	Funding for projects which aim at removing nontechnological barriers to enhance our capacity for more intelligent use of energy and the wider use of renewables.	http://europa.eu.int/comm/energy/intelligent/call_for_proposals/call_library_en.html
COOPENER (Type 1 Actions)	IEEA 2005	2006-02-28	Co-operation with developing countries	http://europa.eu.int/comm/energy/intelligent/index_en.html
Call for proposals 2006	EAC/32/05	2006-03-01	Call seeks to enhance the quality and reinforce the European dimension of school education, higher education, lifelong learning, teaching and learning of languages.	http://europa.eu.int/comm/education/programmes/socrates/download_en.html
Media training	2005/C 288/10	2006-03-01	The call focuses on improving the continuous vocational training of professionals in the audiovisual sector.	http://europa.eu.int/comm/avpolicy/media/forma_en.html
Support for the development of production projects	2005/C 280/10	2006-05-31	Call supports the development of production projects in the following genres: fiction, creative documentaries, animation and multimedia.	http://europa.eu.int/comm/avpolicy/media/index_en.html



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Transnational projects to promote gender equality	VP/2005/020	2006-04-28	The priority of the call is to encourage the balance participation of men and women in the various aspects (both economic and social) of the local development.	http://europa.eu.int/comm/employment_social/calls/2005/vp_2005_020/call_en.pdf
Transfer and Dissemination of Innovation from ESF Article 6 projects	VP/2004/017	2006-02-16	Call intends to facilitate the transfer and dissemination of innovative approaches and methods that have been developed by Article 6 projects in the current programming period.	http://europa.eu.int/comm/employment_social/esf2000/article_6_2000_2006_programme_en.htm
Information, Consultation and Participation of representatives of undertakings	VP/2006/003	2006-09-15	Funding of measures focused on strengthening transnational co-operation between worker's and employer's representatives withing undertakings operating in more than one MS.	http://europa.eu.int/comm/employment_social/emplweb/tenders/tenders_en.cfm?id=145
Information and training measures for workers' organisations	VP/2006/002	2006-05-15	The call will support information and training projects linked to the social dimension of the internal market, including gender equality issues, and monetary union.	http://europa.eu.int/comm/employment_social/emplweb/tenders/tenders_en.cfm?id=165
Restricted call in the area of health and safety inspection at work	VP/2006/008	2006-09-30	Financial support for exchange of inspectors for between Member States' labour inspection authorities and for the assessment of national inspection systems.	http://europa.eu.int/comm/employment_social/emplweb/tenders/tenders_en.cfm?id=206
Industrial Relations and Social Dialogue	vp/2006/001	2006-09-01	Generally, the call support activities focusing on strengthening European social dialogue particularly in connection to workers, an enlarged Europe, industrial relations and gender issue.	http://europa.eu.int/comm/employment_social/emplweb/tenders/tenders_en.cfm?id=125



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Call for Experts Tempus Programme	EAC/73/02	2006-12-31	Call for applications with a view to constituting a list of experts to assess proposals and carry out other activities in the framework of the transeuropean cooperation scheme in higher education	http://europa.eu.int/comm/education/programmes/tempus/index_en.html
Action 2 Call for proposals 2005-2007	EAC/04/05	2006-02-28	The Community Action programme for the enhancement of quality in higher education and the promotion of intercultural understanding.	http://europa.eu.int/comm/education/programmes/mundus/index_en.html
Action 6 - Call for proposals 2006 on general activities of observation, analysis and innovation	EAC/65/05	2006-04-18	Support to a series of activities aimed to improve the exchange of information in education among the countries participating.	http://europa.eu.int/comm/education/programmes/socrates/observation/call_en.html
Call for applications to constitute a list of experts to assess "Socrates" proposals	EAC/60/02	2006-12-31	Constituting a list of experts to assess the proposals received in response to the annual general Call for Proposals and specific calls for proposals published.	http://europa.eu.int/comm/education/programmes/socrates/download_en.html#expert
Technical assistance for Law Enforcement Agencies Combating fraud	OLAF.C.3	2006-06-30	Call supporting activities which contribute, in a preventive and/or operational way, to combating fraud against the receipts and expenditure of the EU.	http://europa.eu.int/comm/anti_fraud/programmes/techn-assist/index_en.html
Training in the area of the fight against fraud	Budget line 24.020401	2006-06-15	Call aims to support training activities which contribute in a preventive and/or operational way, to combating fraud detrimental to the financial interests of the Community.	http://europa.eu.int/comm/anti_fraud/programmes/training2005/en.html
Calls for Proposals - Structural and Complementary Measures - Tempus Programme	1999/311/EC	2006-10-15	The projects of the particular subprogramme are shorter-term activities supporting national reform and targeting specific needs.	http://europa.eu.int/comm/education/programmes/tempus/index_en.html

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Calls for Proposals Individual Mobility Grants Tempus Programme	1999/311/EC	2006-10-15	Individual Mobility Grants are awarded to individuals – professors, lecturers, ministry officials – in order to help them to travel to other countries for work related to a particular reform process.	http://europa.eu.int/comm/education/programmes/tempus/index_en.html
Action 5.1.2. Support measures with partner countries	1031/2000/EC	2006-06-30	This Call for proposal aims at supporting projects which promote an exchange of experience and good practice in the field of youth between the European Union, candidate countries and EFTA/EEA on the one hand, and countries of Africa, the Caribbean, Pacific (ACP), Asia and Latin America on the other hand.	http://europa.eu.int/comm/youth/call/eac4705/index_en.html
The enhancement of the European industrial potential in the field of Security Research, PASR 2006	PASR-2006	2006-05-10	Third and last Call for Proposals for the Preparatory Action on The enhancement of the European industrial potential in the field of Security Research.	http://cordis.europa.eu.int/security/calls.htm
Promotion of active European Citizenship	DG EAC 24/05	2006-03-01	Support to town twinning actions, conferences, training seminars and information campaigns.	http://europa.eu.int/comm/towntwining/call/call_en.html
Meeting between Citizens	DG EAC 25/05	2006-04-03	Support to town twinning actions for raising people's awareness of the EU and reinforce commitment to EU integration.	http://europa.eu.int/comm/towntwining/call/call_en.html
Actions in Developing Countries	EuropeAid/122438/C/G	2006-03-08	The main aim of the EC's policy of co-financing with NGOs is poverty reduction through support for disadvantaged people in developing countries designed to meet their basic needs.	http://europa.eu.int/comm/europeaid/cgi/frame12.pl
Gas transit interconnections in Caucasus and Central Asia	EuropeAid/120627/C/SV/Multi	2006-03-16	The main goal of the project is to enhance the security of the gas transit in the region, as well as the supply of the EU.	http://europa.eu.int/comm/europeaid/index_en.htm



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Improvement of Exploitation Conditions for Gas Transportation Systems in CA	EuropeAid/122395/C/SV/Multi	2006-03-03	Call enhances the security and safety of gas transportation and supplies in South-Eastern Kazakhstan and Northern Kyrgyzstan.	http://europa.eu.int/comm/europeaid/index_en.htm
Development of Good Local Governance in the Republic of Kazakhstan	EuropeAid/122271/C/SV/KZ	2006-03-10	The main project objective is to develop good local governance in the country.	http://europa.eu.int/comm/europeaid/index_en.htm
Technical Assistance to the Israeli-Palestinian Transport Cooperation Programme	EuropeAid/122303/C/SER/Multi	2006-03-24	Technical Assistance to the Israeli-Palestinian Transport Cooperation Programme.	http://europa.eu.int/comm/europeaid/index_en.htm
National Council for Childhood and Motherhood - Children at Risk Programme	EuropeAid/122402/D/SV/EG	2006-02-16	The objective of this contract is to provide technical support and guidance in matters pertaining to the NCCM's GEI.	http://europa.eu.int/comm/europeaid/index_en.htm
European Initiative for Democracy and Human Rights	EuropeAid/122-374/L/ACT/BA	2006-04-03	The main objective of this call is to strengthen democracy and human rights in Bosnia and Herzegovina. Actions must take place in Bosnia and Herzegovina.	http://europa.eu.int/comm/europeaid/cgi/frame12.pl
Institutional Strengthening of the Capital Market Institutions	EuropeAid/122366/D/SV/JO	2006-03-12	To develop the automated trading system and trading stations for the Amman Stock Exchange and the automated surveillance system for the Jordan Securities Commission.	http://europa.eu.int/comm/europeaid/index_en.htm
EU acquis and the development of organic agriculture in Turkey	EuropeAid/121154/D/SV/TR	2006-03-20	Technical assistance for the Ministry of Agriculture and Rural Affairs for the sustainable development of organic agriculture.	http://europa.eu.int/comm/europeaid/index_en.htm
Technical Assistance to institutions responsible for Public Finance Management	EuropeAid/122485/D/SER/DO	2006-03-08	Provision of 5 long-term experts over up to 3 years and a significant number of short term consultants provided by experts with international experience in public finance management reforms, both in European and Latin American contexts.	http://europa.eu.int/comm/europeaid/index_en.htm



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Road Improvement Project (FRIP) in the Eastern Region of Ghana	EuropeAid/120803/D/SV/GH	2006-02-20	The Service contract will cover the review of the cost estimates and draft tender documents prepared within the frame of the Feasibility Study.	http://europa.eu.int/comm/europeaid/cgi/frame12.pl
NATIONAL ENVIRONMENT MANAGEMENT AUTHORITY (NEMA)	EuropeAid/122081/D/SV/KE	2006-03-02	The contractor will provide one long term Technical Assistant a total duration of 4.5 years to the National Environment Management Authority based in Nairobi.	http://europa.eu.int/comm/europeaid/index_en.htm
Call for proposals North-South cooperation in the campaign against drugs and drug addiction	EuropeAid/122754/C/ACT/Multi	2006-05-16	The proposal focuses on the fights against harmful effects of using and trading with drugs.	http://europa.eu.int/comm/europeaid/cgi/frame12.pl
Adviser to the Office of the Director of the Bureau of Statistics	EuropeAid/121970/D/SV/LS	2006-03-06	In line with the transformation and restructuring efforts within the public sector in Lesotho, Bureau of Statistics (BoS) is in the process of undergoing a rapid and fundamental transformation.	http://europa.eu.int/comm/europeaid/index_en .
Call for proposals 2006 in the field of Public Health	n.a.	2006-05-19	The call tackling inequalities in health and encouraging cooperation between Member States.	http://europa.eu.int/comm/health/ph_programme/howtoapply/call_for_propal_en.htm
2005 Actions in support of civil society in the Member States	n.a.	2006-03-03	The action will facilitate the development of the Union's information and education capacity within the ten Member States.	http://europa.eu.int/comm/justice_home/funding/support_ngo/funding_support_en.htm
2005/2006 Call for Proposals - on Financing a Pilot Project containing a set of preparatory actions	n.a.	2006-03-10	The aim of the programme is to prepare an overall strategy to enhance the protection of critical infrastructures.	http://europa.eu.int/comm/justice_home/funding/epcip/funding_epcip_en.htm
Open call for individual grants, Slovakia	0405	2006-03-23	Call for proposals for individual projects for applicants from the public and the third sector.	http://www.eeagrants.sk



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European Studies in China	ESCP/G003	2006-02-24	The overall objective of the European Studies Centres Programme (ESCP) is to enhance the position of Europe as a major partner in China.	www.escp.com.cn
European Youth Foundation	D category	2006-06-31	Category D is a pilot project. EYF may support youth meetings or activities other than meetings which are likely to contribute particularly to the priority objectives of youth policy.	http://galadriel.coe.int/fej/portal/media-type/html/country/null/user/anon/page/default.psml?js_language=en
Joint Small Projects Fund	2004/016-785.01.02-04ER01/11/052	2006-02-16	The aim is to support cooperation between regions of Serbia & Montenegro and Bulgaria.	http://www.mrrb.government.bg/pdocs/doc_1535.doc
Annual Call for Proposals, Anna Lindh Euro-Mediterranean Foundation	ALF62006/CFP/MED 2005/101938	2006-03-01	The objective is to promote a dynamic concept of dialogue between cultures and people and contribute to the visibility of the Barcelona Process through cultural and civil society exchanges.	http://www.euromedalex.org/En/AboutUs.htm
Events (Type 3 Actions)	IEEA 2005	2006-04-28	-	http://www.managenergy.net/
EUROTRANS-BIO	first call	2006-02-28	Funding of Industrial Research Projects of Biotechnology SMEs.	http://www.eurotransbio.net
Intercultural dialogue in the 35 Euro-Mediterranean countries	ALF/2006/CFP	2006-11-01	Call for proposal supports intercultural dialogue in the 35 Euro-Mediterranean countries.	http://www.euromedalex.org/En/Proposals.htm
Hungarian open call for Individual Projects and Block grants	n.a.	2008-03-31	Financial Mechanism and the Norwegian FM in the Republic of Hungary.	http://www.eeagrants.hu
European Youth Foundation Category A and B	n.a.	2006-04-01	Grants of European Youth Foundation financially supporting organization of the international meetings and other activities connected to the youth topic.	http://galadriel.coe.int/fej/portal/media-type/html/user/anon/page/How_to_grantA#Who%20can%20apply



DEADLINES 16/02/2006

TITLE	REFERENCE NUMBER	DEADLINE	SHORT DESCRIPTION	LINK
Apply for EBRD funds	n.a.	2006-12-31	The EBRD is the single investor in the region and mobilises significant foreign direct investment beyond its own financing.	http://www.ebrd.com/apply/large/contact/form.htm
ASEF Youth Connections	n.a.	2006-12-31	Co-funding support for activities to promote contacts and co-operation among youth in Asia and Europe.	http://www.asef.org/
Executive Training Programme in Japan and Korea	n.a.	2006-12-31	The programme offers a concrete solution for EU companies looking to capitalise on this lucrative but complex market.	http://www.etp.org/
EU Gateway to Japan	n.a.	2006-03-14	The EU Gateway to Japan campaign continues to help European SMEs.	http://www.eugatewaytojapan.org/eu/contact.shtml
Submission of INDIVIDUAL PROJECTS within the framework of the EEA financial mechanism in Portugal	n.a.	2006-05-10	The call focuses on areas like conservation of European cultural heritage, environmental protection, sustainable development and management, health and childcare, HR development and academic research.	http://www.eeagrants.org
Call for proposals for submission of INDIVIDUAL PROJECTS in the Republic of Slovenia	n.a.	2008-04-30	The call focuses on priority areas such as environment, promotion of sustainable development, cultural heritage, HR, health and childcare, academic research, regional and cross-border activities.	http://www.svez.gov.si

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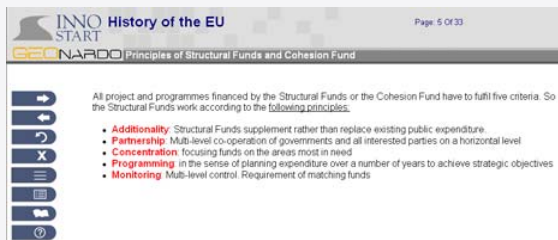
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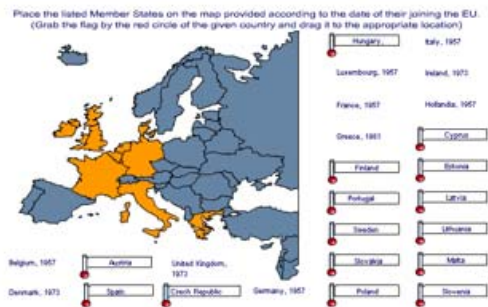
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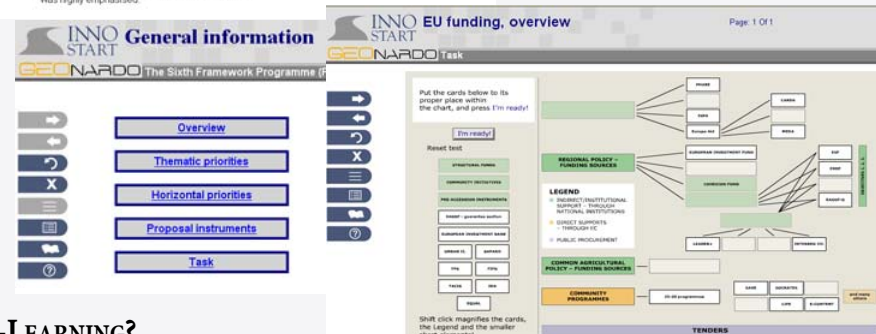
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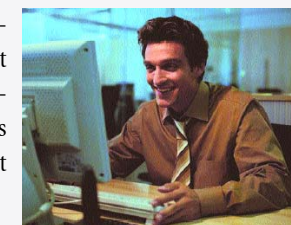
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- Cost-effectiveness is a major advantage, as there are no travel or accommodation costs
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THE MODULES CONSIST:

General overview on the European Union, its policies;
Introduction to EU funding system; Detailed description on EU funding opportunities
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Real examples - Preparation of a project proposal

THEORETICAL MODULES (25 HOURS)	
1st module: - History of the European Union (2 hours) The module's aim is to give a short introduction to the European Union and its institutions.	2nd module: European Union funding - overview (2 hours) The 2nd module introduces the most basic European funding.
3rd module: Pre-accession Funds (4 hours) The Pre-accession funds are financial supports for non-EU countries.	4th module: - Structural Funds I. (4 hours) Structural Funds are the major source of finance of the regional and social cohesion policy in the European Union.
5th module: Structural Funds II. - Community Initiatives (6 hours) Community Initiatives are measures which seek common solutions for problems related to Europe.	6th module: Cohesion Fund (1 hour) The Cohesion fund finances long-run environmental and infrastructural investments in the less developed EU countries (Greece, Portugal, Spain, and ten New Member States).
7th module: Community Programs I. (8 hours) The primary objective of Community Programs is to strengthen the cooperation among the Member States regarding Community policies for a long period of time. • Programme introduction: FP6; LIFE III	8th module: Community Programs II. (2 hours) Introducing other relevant Community Programs: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Intelligent Energy for Europe; eEurope; Support for SMEs; Education - Culture - Social - Other
PRACTICAL MODULES (60 HOURS)	
9th module: Financial issues related to proposals, contract signing procedure (10 hours) Financial issues and the negotiation procedures, which will be important if your proposal is evaluated favourably.	10th module: Project preparation in practice (10 hours) General principles, criteria for success, Ideas and partners, establishing international cooperation in practice, Preparation of proposals, filling in the administrative forms, tricks and useful tips, Contract signing, legal background
11th module: Preparation of a sample proposal (40 hours) Based on ready-made proposal schemes participants can prepare a sample project with on-line assistance. Proposals will be "evaluated" by experienced project developers and evaluators. • Opportunities: FP6, LIFE III, Leonardo da Vinci II.	Exam After completing the training, participants will take an on-line examination. Following satisfactory completion, they will receive a certificate.

Participants should fill in the application form and pay the participation fee to the given bank account to register themselves. Payment may be by money transfer or by credit card. After paying the participation fee, the invoice will be sent to the participant. If an invoice is needed before the payment of the participation fee, please indicate it on the application form.



At the beginning of the training, on the first day, participants will receive a password by e-mail in order to enter the education system and start studying.

PARTICIPATION FEE

149 euro + VAT (25%), which must be transferred to the bank account of INNOSTART Foundation before the start of the training course.

Next deadline for application: 1. April, 2006. The registration is continuous.

Further information:

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DATE AND VENUE

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- » Crisis management
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- » Preparing project reports
- » Worst-case scenarios
- » Typical mistakes

MODERATOR

The training will be moderated by Mr. Balazs Bodo, the CEO of Geonardo, who has personally developed, managed and coordinated several projects under the FP5/FP6/EIE and other programmes. He is the

- Coordinator of FP5 OMENTIN Ref. EU/HRP-CT-2001-00002
- Coordinator of FP6 SME ENVIRONMENT Ref: FP6-2003-Global-2-003925
- Coordinator of ALTENER II Geothermal Power Ref. EU/AL-2002-045
- Coordinator of IEE Biofuel Marketplace Ref: EIE-2005-022

Mr. Bodo has also been involved in the development and management of over 100 EC projects and he is a Brussels evaluator for FP6 and other EC programmes.

The overall objective of this 2-day seminar is to take the participants deep into the practicalities of EC project management. Similarly to other Europa Media seminars this training will be practical and straightforward brought to you by those who successfully develop and manage EC projects on a daily basis.

Day 1

- » Contract negotiations - the process, the tricks, typical mistakes. Examples: successful and unsuccessful negotiations. What went wrong?
- » Understanding the EC contract - do you really know the Belgian law?
- » Consortium agreement - how to protect your interest, how to protect your Intellectual Property Rights? Examples: Do NOT sign this!
- » Getting started - advance payment, bank guarantees. How to get things right from the beginning? The kick-off meeting: typical mistakes.
- » Keeping your records - efficient project management systems in practice. Eligible and non-eligible costs. The Cost Statements:
- » Workshop I: Contract negotiation roleplay. Creative thinking in project accounting. Bulletproof Cost Statements

Day 2

- » Coordinating a project - how to deal with the difficulties. Any problematic partners? Methods and means of keeping the project on track. The Coordinator's responsibilities.
- » Managing your participation - how to work with the others, your relationship with the Coordinator. The Contractor's responsibilities.
- » Reporting - Milestones and Deliverables. Critical path, threats
- » Project closure and monitoring - getting prepared to EC audits. Examples: projects that suffered heavy losses during audits. What went wrong?

This training is meant for intermediate and advanced participants. If you haven't been involved in EC projects this training may not be suitable for you!

REGISTRATION FEE

950 EUR+VAT(if applicable)

All rates include the official training material, coffee breaks, lunches for the two days plus a common dinner.

VENUE - ACCOMMODATION

Gellért hotel is situated in a picturesque environment on the bank of the River Danube at the foot of the Gellért Hill.

A **preferential rate** has been negotiated for training delegates who wish to stay at the location of the seminar. Registered participants can stay at Hotel Gellert - a 4* hotel - for **80 EUR /room/night** including all taxes, buffet breakfast and free entry into the famous spa of the hotel.

Delegates wishing to take advantage of the rate offered should indicate it on the registration form. Upon returning the application form Europa Media will provide an "accommodation booking form" to participants.

Although the training content may be applicable to a broad variety of EC funds, the organisers intend to focus on some of the most significant programmes, such as FP6(FP7), e-Content, eTen, Intelligent Energy for Europe, etc.

Please download the application form at www.eucenter.org



BIOFUEL MARKETPLACE

The European Commission finances the setting up of a web-based Biofuel Marketplace for the exploitation of Europe's biofuel potential.

Join us on the 9th of March 2006 and learn how you can commercialise your products and technologies!

Biofuel Marketplace offers free promotional opportunities for the developers of biofuel products and the chance for potential users to learn more about biofuels.

Selling and buying biofuel products have never been easier! Find out more: www.biofuelmarketplace.com

Date: 9 March, 2006

Venue: Budapest, Hotel Gellért****

BIOFUEL MARKETPLACE

Web-based Biofuel marketplace for supporting e-commerce of biofuel products and technologies
an initiative supported by the European Commission

Biomass-based alternative fuels may be considered as a **strategic European resource**, not only because biomass is renewable but also because it is available everywhere and can provide products of vital interest to sectors of **strong external dependence**. The Biofuel Marketplace initiative will create a biofuel information portal combined with a supply and demand information system.

The scope is to provide a forum where Europe's biofuel stakeholders can promote their technologies, exchange ideas, **sell and buy biofuel products**, disseminate results of national, international and European research activities and raise awareness of the public and the professional community.

Recent European advances, projects, products, results and patents will be screened at **strategic, management and technological levels** and the **commercially feasible** results of these earlier European initiatives will be fed into the Biofuel Marketplace to be made available for **all European stakeholders** through the project website.

Workshop highlights:

- » International trade of biofuels: experiences
- » Biofuels in European renewable energy policies
- » Best practices in the sustainable use of biofuels

- » Setting up a European Internet platform for the e-commerce of biofuel products
- » Promotion, dissemination, poster session and exhibition

9th March 2006, Thursday

BIOFUEL MARKETPLACE INTERNATIONAL WORKSHOP, EXHIBITION AND STAKEHOLDER MEETING

Venue: Hotel Gellert****, Gobelin Conference Room, Budapest

PROGRAM: INTERNATIONAL WORKSHOP, PLENARY MEETING

8.30 - 9.00 Registration

9.00 - 9.10

Welcoming words, event opening - high level representative, Hungarian Ministry of Economics and Transport

9.10 - 9.45

Let us overcome our dependence. The Intelligent Energy Europe programme. Mr. Vladimir Hecl, European Commission, Intelligent Energy Executive Agency (IEEA)

9.45 - 10.00

Biofuel Marketplace - supporting the e-Commerce of Biofuel Products and Technologies. Project overview. Mr. Balazs Bodo, Geonardo Ltd, Managing Director, Biofuel Marketplace Project Coordinator

10.00 - 10.15 Discussion, questions

10.15 - 10.30 Coffee break

10.30 - 11.45 SESSION I - Barriers of biofuel production and trade

10.30 - 10.50

Biofuels in European renewable energy policies - impacts on production and commerce. Dr Rainer Janssen, WIP - Renewable Energies, Germany

10.50 - 11.10

Experiences with the international trade of biofuels in Europe - Ms. Malgorzata Peksa, ETA-Renewable Energies, Italy

11.10 - 11.45 Questions, comments, roundtable discussion

11.45 - 12.00 Coffee break

12.00 - 13.30 SESSION II - Best practices in Europe

12.00 - 12.30

Current state of the art of biofuel applications in EU25 - Ms. Efi Alexopoulou, Centre for Renewable Energy Sources, Greece

12.30 - 13.00

The biofuel market in Austria - prospects for Central Eastern Europe, Ms. Doris Wirth, Managing Director, Bluewaters, Austria

13.00 - 13.30

Roundtable discussion with all lecturers and experts

13.30 - 13.45

Closing remarks. Mr. Vladimir Hecl, European Commission

13.45 - 15.00 Lunch

15.00 - 16.00 Networking, Setting up the Biofuel Marketplace Project Stakeholder Group

Venue & Accommodation:

The four-star Danubius Hotel Gellert is one of the most traditional hotels in Budapest and Hungary. Sophisticated guests, who admire traditional architecture and dedicated service will honour this preserved jewel of construction art and at the same time enjoy the unique historical atmosphere of Hotel Gellert.

Price:

For participants from EU Member States, Candidate Countries and EEA Member States: **free**

For overseas participants: registration fee: 549 EUR + VAT, exhibition package: 1490 EUR + VAT (including distribution of leaflets, posters and one person attendance)

All rates include the official material of the conference, plus coffee breaks and lunch but not the accommodation!

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