Policies & Measures to Support Local & Regional Innovation Ecosystems

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Smart Specialisation Strategy: S3 Innovation Ecosystems

"Researching and sharing best practices in Regional/Local Innovation Systems - promoting sustainable enterprises and contributing to regional economic growth and employment".

Regional Innovation Strategies (RIS3) focus on the development of a Smart Specialisation Agenda for maximised sustainable growth.

decoRIS3 Project provides the stage for actors from regions and cities across the European Union to collaborate on perfecting their regional Innovation Strategies.
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OBJECTIVES

OVERALL OBJECTIVE: International cooperation to promote better policies and measures to orchestrate sustainable local and regional innovation ecosystems with RIS3 strategies

OPERATIONAL OBJECTIVES
1. To enhance innovation ecosystems within RIS3 strategies responding to the existing challenges and gaps
2. To generate solid interactions between key stakeholders to orchestrate sustainable innovation ecosystems
3. To propose policies and measures to Support Local & Regional Innovation Ecosystems
How is Metropolitan City of Turin acting to implement the regional S3 at local level?

- **TOP-DOWN ACTIONS**: contributing to the implementation process of RIS3 at the metropolitan level, by taking into account of the RIS3 in the definition and implementation process concerning the Metropolitan Strategic Plan

- **BOTTOM-UP ACTIONS**: positively influence the future regional strategy, improving the interaction among the local ecosystem actors & improving multilevel governance model
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PARTNERSHIP

- Fomento de San Sebastián (ES) - lead partner
- Cork Institute of Technology (IE)
- CIM DO AVE (PT)
- Sunrise Valley (LT)
- Kainuun Etu ltd (FI)
- Metropolitan City of Turin (IT)
- Vidzeme Planning region (LV)
- Conference of Atlantic Arc Cities (Advisory partner - FR)
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Past events and updates

- **2nd April: Quadruple Helix & Smart Specialisation Strategy RIS3 Seminar** - organised by Ave Intermunicipal Community, held in Guimaraes, Portugal.

- **19th June: eHealth and Ecosystem International Seminar** - organised by Metropolitan City of Turin, held at Molecular Biotechnology Center, Turin

- **1st and 2nd October - Thematic Meeting on "Talent Retainment"** - organised by Kainuun Etu ltd, held in Kajaani, Kainuu, Finland.

The project is now approaching the end of the 1st phase, the 2nd phase will start in January 2020 and will be consisting mainly in monitoring and controlling the results of our actions.
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METROPOLITAN CITY OF TURIN OBJECTIVES

• Boost the process of birth and growth of innovative start-ups (in particular those linked to regional S3 priorities) in synergy with the ERDF ROP policy instrument: **Action 1.1b.4.1 ERDF ROP 2014-2020 – Piedmont Region.**

• Improve the dialogue and participation of the local ecosystem in this process.
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The newborn EU & International Project Unit, under the Economic Development Department, is responsible to integrate local development policies in European programmes and projects, with the aim of promoting and sustaining territorial cooperation and creation of networks among local public and private actors.
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In the framework of Challenges and Opportunities of RIS3, regional and local authorities should play a key role of intermediation, and, in accordance to ecoRIS3 objectives, promote better policies and measures to generate solid interactions between key stakeholders, to orchestrate sustainable innovation ecosystem within RIS3 strategies responding to the existing challenges and gaps.
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some activities

The CMTo is founder and partner of:

• Bioindustry Park
• Environment Park
• Torino Wireless (ICTs)
• I3P - incubator of Polytechnic of Turin
• 2I3T - incubator of University of Turin

And others.
THANKS FOR YOUR ATTENTION!