



Policy Support Facility

Experience to date

under the Horizon 2020 Policy Support Facility

Kick off meeting

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'Analysis and monitoring of national research policies'

European Commission, DG RTD

7 July 2016



Goal:

Help MS "improve the design, implementation and evaluation of R & I policies"

- Supporting evidence-based R&I policies
- Drawing on the combination of
 - the high potential of **learning between peers** (i.e. policy-makers)
 - and high-level **experts advice and assistance**

Why?

Launched in 2015 to do "better and more" policy support:

- Address limitations encountered so far in peer-review and mutual learning processes: **the "better"**
- Offer support to a broader range of policy-makers in structuring their policy reforms: **the "more"**

How?

Peer Reviews of
National R&I Systems

Specific Support to
Countries

Mutual Learning
Exercises

PSF Knowledge Center

PSF Peer Reviews

In-depth assessments of a country's R&I system carried out by a panel of experts and leading to concrete recommendations to the national authorities on reforms necessary to strengthen their R&I system.



PSF Specific Support to countries

PSF specific support to countries aims at providing a set of concrete recommendations on how to tackle a specific R&I policy challenge and how to implement the accompanying reforms

Malta, on the best tools to monitor and evaluate the implementation of their national R&I strategy

Slovakia on framework conditions for start-ups/ high growth innovative enterprises

Romania on innovative entrepreneurship

Slovenia on the internationalisation of science and higher education policies, and on the impact of R&I investments

PSF Mutual Learning Exercises

Focussed on specific/ operational R&I challenges of interest to several volunteering countries, and draw on a hands-on project-based exchange of good practice.

Administration and monitoring of R&D tax incentive

LV, PT, BE, HR, FR, NO, NL
CY, LT, DE (observers)

Evaluation of business R&D grant schemes

NO, DK, ES, SE, TR
HU, CZ, CY, DE, RO (observers)

Evaluation of complex public private partnerships

BE, NO, BG, SE
ES, DE, HU (observers)

Alignment and Interoperability

FR, LT, DK, TK, NO, AT PT,EE, SE, SI
RO, DE (observers)

Performance-based funding of public research organisation

DK, LV, SI, NO, ES
ERAC Consultation in progress

Public Innovation procurement

DK,NO, EE, LT, ES, EL
ERAC consultation in progress



Mutual Learning Exercises

- Focus on **policy challenge** that is of interest to several **volunteering** countries.
- It identifies **good practice, lessons learned and success factors** based on robust evidence about impacts of the measures and the contextual factors.
- With the aim to implement **change** in their specific policy mix.
- **Policy learning** approach: interested MS learn from each other exploring specific questions in more detail.
- With a **modular approach** & combination of activities (workshops, study visits, information sharing activities, etc...)
- High level advice and **assistance** from external experts



MLE on Alignment and Interoperability

- GPC, September 2015: MLE to follow up the Lund Declaration
- GPC, December 2015: First Discussion on ToR
- January 2016: GPC contributions to the ToR
- Scoping Workshop on 11 February with 16 MS identified priority topics within 3 blocks
- GPC meeting on 29 April: focus on national coordination structures and sequential approach.
- Kick off meeting on 7th July: agreement scope and modus operandi



Policy Support Facility

The Horizon 2020 Policy Support Facility is a new instrument that gives Member States and countries associated to Horizon 2020 practical support to design, implement and evaluate reforms that enhance the quality of their research and innovation investments, policies and systems.

Such reforms concern, for example, the stimulation of stronger and closer links between science and business or the introduction of performance-based funding of public research institutes.

The Policy Support Facility provides Member States and countries associated to Horizon 2020 with access to independent high-level expertise and analyses through a number of services such as peer reviews of the national research and innovation systems, support to specific reforms or project-based mutual learning exercises.

Peer Reviews

Peer Reviews of national R&I systems to detect strengths and weaknesses and recommend concrete paths for reform.

Specific support to countries

Support to specific reforms, including pre-Peer Review horizon scanning, post-Peer Review evaluations, and other ad-hoc requests.

Mutual Learning Exercises

Mutual learning on specific topics, involving a set of countries around a project targeting the exchange of practices for policy reform.

Exercises Timeline



Upcoming PSF Events

- Training regarding policy support - Bulgaria
22 JUNE 2016
- Training regarding policy support - Portugal
30 JUNE 2016
- Lorem Ipsum Dolor - Belgium
10 JULY 2016
- Test test test - Spain
22 JULY 2016
- Lorem Ipsum Dolor - Italy
3 SEPTEMBER 2016

Explore PSF

News Corner

- 14 JUNE 2016
Adoption of a topic for MLE project
- 3 JUNE 2016
Workshop with Member States (MS) on the Policy Support Facility (PSF)

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MLE Alignment and Interoperability

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Alignment and Interoperability of research programmes

Policy Support Facility

Mutual Learning Exercise on Ex-post evaluation of business R&I grant schemes.
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Date Tuesday, 23 February, 2016 to Thursday, 22 September, 2016

Exercise type Mutual learning

Reports

Intermediate report

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Geo coverage	Overall perspective
Document type	EU Report or Publication
Report type	Efficiency of R&I systems
Report year	2016
Official publication date	Wednesday, 8 June, 2016
Report file	Download .pdf



Meetings

Kick-off meeting

Monday, 30 May 2016
DG Research & Innovation
rue Champs de Marte
Brussels, Belgium

Meeting description - Feedback on the process itself. How does the content/subject matter impact the discussion? Previous and future expectations of the participants. Expectations of the participants. Lorem ipsum dolor sit amet, consectetur adipiscing elit, sed do eiusmod tempor incididunt ut labore et dolore magna aliqua. Ut enim ad minim veniam, quis nostrud exercitation ullamco laboris nisi ut aliquip ex ea commodo consequat.

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- Pdh MLE Brussels 30-05-2016.pdf
 - Draft Agenda 30-05-2016.pdf
 - Test Doc.pdf
 - Presentation May.pptx
 - Test Doc 2.pdf
 - Test Doc 3.pdf

Final workshop

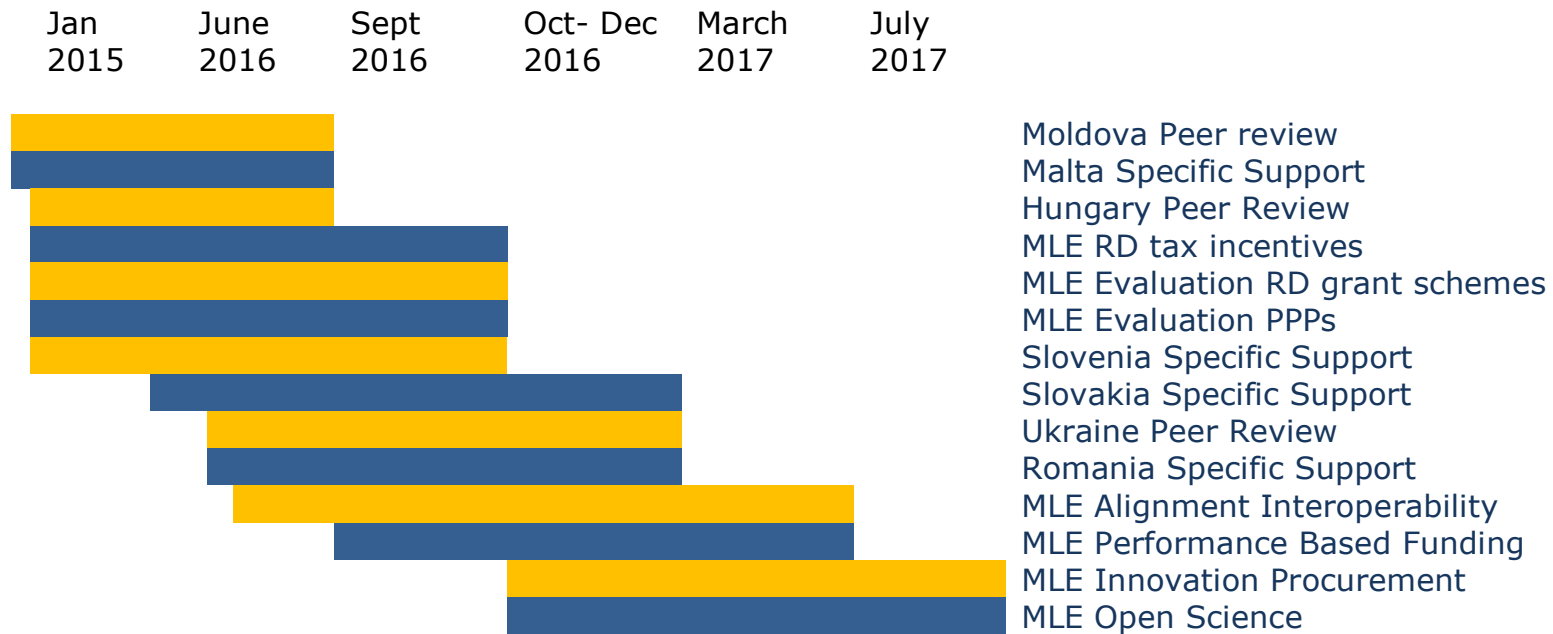
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