



Editorial

The final conference of the project NEXT took place in Ancona on 10th July 2015 at the Port Authority premises, with an attendance of more than 60 delegates from NEXT partners countries and the participation of local policy makers and innovation actors.

The welcome message has been given by Mr Gianluca Busilacchi, Councilor of the Legislative Assembly of Marche Region, who stressed the relevance of NEXT and the services provided in the framework of the Adriatic Ionian Macro Region Strategy...

<http://blog.adriatic-next.eu/next-is-now-the-outcomes-of-the-project-final-conference/>

NEXT latest news

Have a look at the most successful NEXT success cases!

Success stories, and best practices from stakeholders, who have been actively involved in the project NEXT are published here:

<http://blog.adriatic-next.eu/next-success-case-histories/>

What NEXT? The outcomes of the Steering Committee and the future of NEXT IS platform

Project partners showed appreciation for the quality of the NEXT IS platform. Although it was a fairly long process, the wealth of content that have already been loaded by the partners it is a wealth of information on the rare countries in the macro region. Waiting for it to be operational platform, the Project Steering Committee has decided to start the blog online (blog.adriatic-next.eu), and to use the platform of the Marche Region dedicated to innovation: Marche Innovation, that is operational since 2009...

NEXT IS future:

<http://blog.adriatic-next.eu/next-is-future-perspective-for-the-on-line-platform-by-antonio-santangelo/>



The 6th and final NEXT Project Steering Committee meeting, held in Ancona on 9th of July 2015, had traced the main lines for the future of a common system for sharing open data in the matter of innovation, start-ups and European project for applied researches and prototyping. Partners have discussed about problems, solutions and opportunities represented by NEXT-IS platform.

<http://blog.adriatic-next.eu/the-main-outputs-from-the-6th-project-steering-committee/>

NEXT Market outlook and trends

Find out useful information on the NEXT Open Books, benchmarking tools available to the business community! Start with the Open Book of Istria, which also contains a general section on innovation in Croatia...

<http://blog.adriatic-next.eu/next-open-book-data-and-benchmarking/>

NEXT Co-operation & investment opportunities

The Fast Track to Innovation Pilot, operational since January 2015, is a pilot project characterized by a “bottom up” approach that allows you to submit proposals in all the thematic areas of LEIT (Leadership in Enabling and Industrial Technologies) whose main components are 6 Key Enabling Technologies (Micro and nano-electronic; photonics, nanotechnology, advanced materials, biotechnology and advanced manufacturing) and the Social Challenges of Horizon 2020, in particular those related to environmental sustainability and efficient use of resources.

<http://blog.adriatic-next.eu/fast-track-innovation-pilot/>

“InnovFin – EU Finance for Innovators” is the joint initiative launched by the **European Investment Bank Group (EIB and EIF)** in cooperation with the European Commission under [Horizon 2020](#). ...

<http://blog.adriatic-next.eu/innovfin-eu-finance-for-innovators/>

NEXT Events e Learning corner

500 users have subscribed the [Open Innovation](#) platform promoted by Regione Lombardia. The goal was favoured by an initiative of the Region: a [call](#) was launched for Sme's and RTTC's about the start of communities focused on regional RIS 3. The call is opened till July 20. check it out!

<http://blog.adriatic-next.eu/open-innovation-in-lombardy/>

The OECD has published a paper on factors that influence the international mobility of research scientist. The brain circulation was spread by globalization, and is becoming a competitive factor for territories. ...

<http://blog.adriatic-next.eu/oecd-brain-circulation/>

Triple helix Association offers interesting Webinar starting from September 2015 - details are published here:

<http://blog.adriatic-next.eu/check-out-the-webinars-organised-by-the-triple-helix-association-september-2015/>

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