

# Cooperation between EU advisors on EU-programmes

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## **Input to policy**

**Requests for statistics and analysis on Danish participation**

## **Services:**

- Information and advice
- Specialist advice on legal and financial issues
- Assistance in writing applications
- Courses in various FP7 issues
- Contacts and assistance in Brussels

## **Target Groups:**

- All Danish companies
- Universities
- Research organisations
- Other stakeholders with an interest in FP7



# Context

## Why the EU-DK Support initiative

### **Europe 2020 Strategy, 2010**

Enhance European innovation, growth and employment via holistic approach and synergies between EU research-, innovation- and business development programmes

### **Danish Government Innovation strategy, 2012**

Support and increase Danish participation in important EU-programmes on research, innovation and business development

> Enhance Danish participation in innovation and research - EU-DK-Support

> National strategy for Danish participation in co-financed EU programmes



# Status of Danish participation in FP7 – March 2013

|                         |               |
|-------------------------|---------------|
| Number of participants: | 2.142         |
| -Private                | 27 pct.       |
| Succesrate, average:    | 24,3 pct.     |
| Total funding:          | 780 mio. euro |

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|---------------------|-------------|
| Top 3 participants: | ICT: 243    |
|                     | KBBE: 225   |
|                     | Health: 217 |

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| Top 3 funding: | ERC: 131 mio. euro    |
|                | Health 118 mio. euro  |
|                | Energy: 104 mio. euro |



# New national structure for support: EU-DK Support - what is it?



- > EU-Support is an agreement on cooperation between all public EU-advising organisations in Denmark
- > EU-DK Support is a network of EU-advisors
- > EU DK-Support will provide efficient, targeted and coordinated services to all usergroups on central innovation-, research- and business development EU-programmes
- "No wrong door" principle



# EU-DK Support – why?

## > Political targets:

- Research organisations, companies and public institutions must have EU possibilities top-of-mind
- Denmark should use EU-programmes actively to fund Danish innovation, research and business development
- Higher return rate of national EU contribution

## > Useroriented targets:

- Targetted and smooth serviceflow
- General knowledge of all possibilities
- Userfriendly access to services that comply with user's needs
- Greater results in terms of knowledge and commercial benefits



# EU-DK – new services

- Coordinated services from network with common webpage entrance – Visibility and ”No wrong door”
- Personal advise - based on user situation cfr. programme possibilities
- Holicstic approach to EU possibilities – from user perspective
- Uninvited innovation visits to companies
- Matchmaking – regional matchmaking coordinators
- Systematic collection and dissimination of successtories



# EU-DK partners

**DASTI/EuroCenter**  
**Horizon 2020**  
**Coordinator EU-DK Support**

**Netmatch**  
Business Networks

**Regional EU offices**  
**Vækstfora**  
Regional business  
development

**Universities**  
Research Support and  
Tech Trans

**Erhvervsstyrelsen**  
**EIB/EIF**  
**Struktural fonds**  
**COSME**

**Innovation Environments**  
Access to risk finance

**Væksthuse**  
Local  
Business  
development

**European**  
**Enterprise Network**  
Partnersearch

**GTS-Net**  
Business Service



# National strategy for participation in EU-programmes – in proces

## A. Programmes to be covered by strategy:

Horizon 2020, COSME, A Creative Europe, Connecting Europe Facility, EIB/EIT,- tbd

## B. Targets:

Total amount of funding/Share of EU-budgets/Number of participants ? – tdb

## C. Activities:

1. EU-DK Support
2. Strategy for co-financed instruments
3. Positioning Danish strengths in calls/programmes
  - Programme Committees and National Reference Groups
4. Promoting Danish points of view in Bruxelles via Advisory Groups etc.
5. H2020 Kick-off conference in Copenhagen 29.10. 2013



# Thank you for your attention

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