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1. Project Information

Project Description (describe project idea briefly, call and topic):*

An European think tank based in Brussels and specializing in economics is willing to explore collaboration in H2020 programme, especially, in the following topics:

INT-4-2015: The European Union's contribution to global development: in search of greater policy coherence

INT-9-2015: The European Union, Turkey and its wider neighbourhood: challenges and opportunities

Participation to the project as partner, for research and/or dissemination activities

Short Profile of Organisation:*

Bruegel is a European think tank specializing in economics. It has started its operations in early 2005 in Brussels with the intention of bringing a new voice into Europe's economic policy discussions. Bruegel's legal form is a non-profit international association under Belgian law (AISBL). Its governance and funding model makes Bruegel unique, being the only think tank partly funded by several EU member states: it is supported by 17 European governments, 30 international corporations, and 10 independent institutions.

Through a dual focus on analysis and impact, and dynamic relationships with policymakers at every governance level, it has also established itself as a vibrant laboratory for economic policies. Bruegel ranked #1 Think Tank in Western Europe, #3 Think Tanks with the Most Significant Impact on Public Policy, #2 International Economic Policy Think Tank in the World, and #2 Think Tank in the World (non-US) in the 2013 Global Go To Think Tank Report published by the University of Pennsylvania.

Keywords:

1. Keyword

Trade and finance

2. Keyword

Climate change

3. Keyword

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Potential Contribution to the project:

Bruegel is comprised of a core fellowship of top researchers from around the world, Resident, Non-resident and Affiliate, plus a team of operational staff. It also operates a Visiting Fellow programme, which allows researchers from around the world to contribute to Bruegel's work for a limited time, normally visiting from another institution.

Therefore, the think tank could contribute to the project in conducting research studies for various workpackages which would need interdisciplinary research, focusing on economics and

Core expertise in four interrelated research areas:

- European macroeconomics
- Global economics and global governance
- Finance and financial regulation
- Competition, innovation and sustainable growth

Activities in the project:

Research

Dissemination

Already experience as a coordinator:* Yes No

or partner:* Yes No

If yes, in which projects?

"EFIGE - European Firms in a Global Economy: internal policies for external competitiveness" FP7- coordinator

The project developed namely a dataset/database the EFIGE dataset, which for the first time in Europe, combines measures of firms' international activities (eg exports, outsourcing, FDI, imports) with quantitative and qualitative information on about 150 items ranging from R&D and innovation, labour organisation, financing and organisational activities, and pricing behaviour. Data consists of a representative sample (at the country level for the manufacturing industry) of almost 15,000 surveyed firms (above 10 employees) in seven European economies (Germany, France, Italy, Spain, United Kingdom, Austria, Hungary). Special questions related to the behaviour of firms during the crisis were also included in the survey.

SIMPATIC- "Social Impact Policy Analysis of Technological Innovation Challenges" FP7- coordinator

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The objective of SIMPATIC is to provide policy makers with a comprehensive and operational tool box allowing for a better assessment of the impact of research and innovation policies in Europe. SIMPATIC represents a unique bottom-up project proposal, bringing together micro and macro researchers with expertise in evidence-based policy analysis and impact assessment of research and innovation policies.

Other partners in the consortium already identified (with their countries)

Own network of past projects and researchers associates of the think tank. Universities and NGO's in Europe, Turkey and international countries

2. Target Partner Sought

Target Partner Organisation type: any higher education / university, industry/SME, research institution, consultancies, public partner, private partner, NGOs / voluntary organisations

Expertise / competency required:*

Coordinator sought with experience and expertise in management of international research projects

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