



Joint Partnering Event for FP7 Projects (FTP, CEPI, EFPRO, Swedish Support Office)

14 November 2008
STFI-Packforsk
Stockholm (Sweden)



Goal

The event offers a unique opportunity to obtain actual information on tentative topics of the next calls for proposals under the 7th Research Framework Programme (FP7). The event will offer a platform to present ideas for EU-projects and discuss them with potential partners. The participants will also have the opportunity to give feedback and to support and supplement each other's ideas. Usually such events are starting points for building consortia and core planning teams in order to submit research proposals later.

Participants

Partners from European Union member states and from associated countries (Norway, Israel, Switzerland ...) can fully participate in projects of the 7th Framework Programme. Representatives from enterprises (large or small and medium sized), from universities, private or public research institutes or public bodies, which are interested in participating in a research project, are welcome to this partnering event.

Topics

New calls for project proposals concerning collaborative research to be funded under the 7th Research Framework Programme (FP7) are expected to be launched in November 2008. This partnering event is dedicated to call of the thematic priorities 4 'NANOSCIENCES; NANOTECHNOLOGIES; MATERIALS AND NEW PRODUCTION TECHNOLOGIES (as far as information on the tentative content has become available):

- Resource efficiency in energy intensive industries
- Biomass-based composites (SME dedicated)
- Light high-performance composites (for the transport sector)
- Novel membranes for water technologies
- Recycling of nanotechnology-based products
- Automation and robotics for forestry management

How it works

Following information on the tentative content of next calls and on requirements how to write a competitive proposals, participants have to opportunity to present project ideas in a flash presentation. Parallel group meetings will offer the opportunity to discuss project ideas in detail and to set up and shape project consortia.



Programme

- 10:00 – 11:30** - Welcome address
- Introduction to the meeting
- Overview on call topics
- Lessons learned: How to write a competitive proposal
- 11:00 – 12:30** Flash-presentation of Project Ideas (5 min. each)
- 12:30 – 14:00** Lunch
- 14:00 – 16:00** Parallel Partnering Meetings

Location

The partnering event takes place on at **STFI-Packforsk, Stockholm, Drottning Kristinas väg 61, Stockholm (Sweden)**. More information concerning the location is available at www.stfi-packforsk.se.

Registration

Those who are interested are asked to complete the registration form (see attachment) and forward it to the organiser by **7 November 2008**. The organiser needs this information to prepare the partnering meetings.

Participants fee

The participants fee is **70 €**. The fee covers lunch and coffee breaks.

Payments

Payments are asked to be made after confirmed registration to

- Bank account No 4 075 960 – HypoVereinsbank Freising – BLZ 700 211 80
IBAN: DE03700211800004075960 – SWIFT (BIC): HYVEDEMM418
Reference "FTP Partnering Event"
- or cash at the event.

Accommodation

Participants should book their hotel room directly with the hotel or use a hotel reservation system. Attached you can find a list of hotels recommended. Please notice that hotel room capacity is limited; it is recommended to book early.

Informal get together on 13 November 2008

Participants are invited to join an informal get together in the evening of 13 November (at each one's own expense).

Organisation

This event will be jointly organised by the Forest-based Sector Technology Platform (FTP), CEPI and EFPRO with the local support of the Swedish Support Office for Forest-based Sector EU-Research.

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Hotels in Stockholm

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2	Crystal Plaza Hotel Birger Jarlsgatan 35 tel +46 8 406 88 00, fax +46 8 24 15 11	www.crystalplazahotel.se Approx. 25 min walking distance from STFI
3	Hotel Mornington Nybrogatan 53 tel +46 8 507 330 00	www.mornington.se Approx. 25 min walking distance from STFI.
4	Clas på Hörnet Surbrunnsgatan 20 tel. + 46 8 16 51 30, fax +46 8 612 53 15	Approx. 10 min walking distance from STFI. Picturesque hotel with only two single rooms and eight double rooms.
5	Hotel Birger Jarl Tuleg 8 tel + 46 8 674 18 00	www.birgerjarl.se Approx. 15-20 min walking distance from STFI
6	Hotel Brunnen Surbrunnsgatan 38 tel +46 8 15 04 20, fax +46 8 15 88 65	www.hotelbrunnen.se Approx. 10-15 min walking distance from STFI
7	Scandic Hotel Anglais Humlegårdsg. 23 tel +46 8 517 340 00, fax +46-8-517 340 11	www.scandic.se e-mail: anglais@scandichotels.com Approx. 20-25 min walking distance from STFI
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