

DRP 2021-2027 - implementation status-

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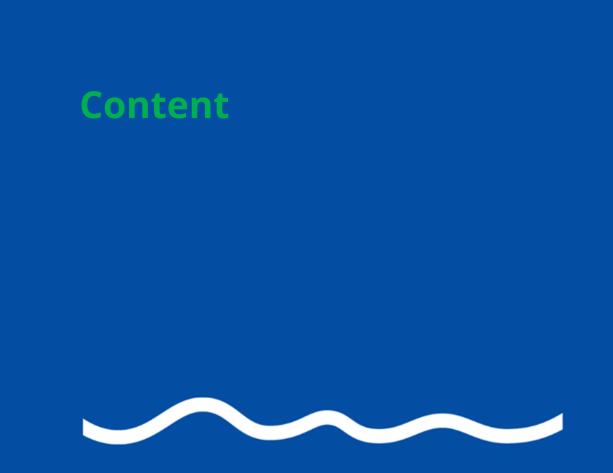


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- 1. Status of the first call along with the first step result overview and observations
- 2. Status of the Seed Money Facility





- Two step call. First step has been completed with selected proposals
- Second stage of AF submission is underway. End date 16 June 2023
- Selected projects in Autumn,2023
- Projects start, January 2024





SO **SO Title** No. of Stage 2 AFs Enhancing innovation and technology transfer 1.1 21 Developing skills for smart specialisation, industrial 1.2 9 transition and entrepreneurship Promoting renewable energy 2.1 16 Climate change adaptation and disaster management 2.2 6 Water and sediment quality 2.3 6 Biodiversity in ecological corridors and eco-regions 2.4 1 Accessible and inclusive and effective labour markets 6 3.1 Accessible and inclusive quality services in education, 3.2 2 training and lifelong learning Socio-economic development through heritage 3.3 18 culture and tourism Support to the governance of the EUSDR 4.1 N/A Increased capacities for territorial and macro-4.2 5 regional governance





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SO 3.1 - Selected EOIs	ΡΑ
Over 55 workers. 3.1 focus 2 in terms of retaining skilled labour , and focus 3 with the capacity building elements	2
Employment of and more especially the retention of new young employees in the cultural sector. 3.1 focus 2	1
Integration of vulnerable groups into the labour market. It works with WISEs, work integration social enterprises in agriculture. 3.1 focus area 1	3
Peripheral industrial areas with the challenge of women's employment . 3.1 focus area 1 and 3	3
Increasing the share of women employed in the forestry sector. SO3.1 focus area 1 and 2	3
Social Enterprises as positive change agents for inclusive growth, including employment for the disadvantaged . SO3.1 focus area 1 and 3	3



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SO 3.2 - Selected EOIs

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The **integration of rural NEETs** into society, education, training and the labour market. SO 3.2 focus area 2 and a contribution to SO3.1 focus area 1 8 **Building capacities to support youth mental health** and positively address early school leaving and **NEET.** It does this at a practical level with pilots involving educators and social workers and also at the strategic level. SO3.2 focus area 1



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- Relatively low number of SO3.1 and SO3.2 submissions
- Low progression rate to second step for SO3.2





 Table 1:
 SO3.1:
 LP & full partner interest per country

AT	BG	CZ	DE	HR	HU	RO	SK	SI	BA	MD	ME	RS	UA
17	9	12	4	12	19	12	7	20	14	7	2	15	6

 Table 2: SO3.2: LP & full partner interest per country

AT	BG	CZ	DE	HR	HU	RO	SK	SI	BA	MD	ME	RS	UA
12	15	10	7	19	13	23	5	14	16	7	12	22	6

DRP First Call: -status -results of first step -observations

Low participation rates in some countries





- Key organisations missing e.g. public employment services
- 3.1 focus 3, the capacity building for employment support bodies. Not many ideas submitted.
- Eols generally did not sufficiently develop the understanding of added value over past or existing approaches
- territorial logic and approach missing





- Proposed SMF outline to be put forward for approval at the DR Monitoring Committee Meeting on the 20th June 2023
- SMF understanding has been developed in conjunction with PACs

DRP Seed Money Facility

Status





- Proposed open call for for all priorities
- PACs define the thematic scope (call announcement) and streamline the content through workshops/seminars
- 2 step application call



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1st step: very short project idea to be submitted by filling in 2 text boxes in Jems with:

- a) description of the topic of the
 SMF project and contribution to
 the EUSDR action plan
- b) added value for the Danube Region





1st step

Assessment is performed by PACs in Jems (one assessor from each PAC)

Minimum threshold to be set up for invitation in the 2nd step.

2nd step

Assessment is done by MA/ JS, based on the programme framework as in case of regular assessments





Call budget:

Maximum allocation of the programme funds for one single SMF call: 3.600.000,00 euro EU funding

Maximum EU contribution per priority: 300.000 euro



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Thank you.....

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