

# OUTLOOK TO INSPIRATION IMPLEMENTATION ACTIONS

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Water





## Towards Inspiration4EU

Outline of a network implementing  
INSPIRATION for Europe beyond 2018



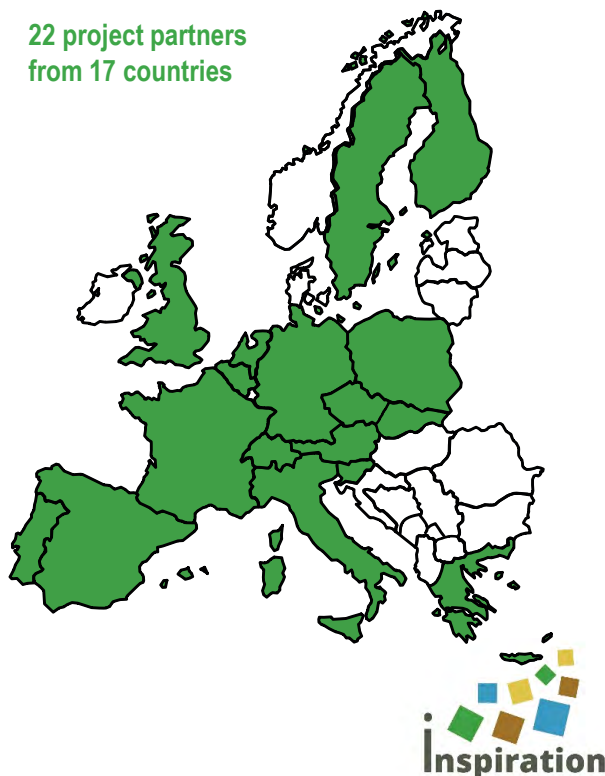


## The Starting Point: H2020 CSA INSPIRATION



- **Coordination & Support Action** from March 2015 till February 2018
- A **Strategic Research Agenda (SRA)** on Soil, Land Use, Land Management in the light of current and future societal challenges
- **Match-making** for delivering the SRA

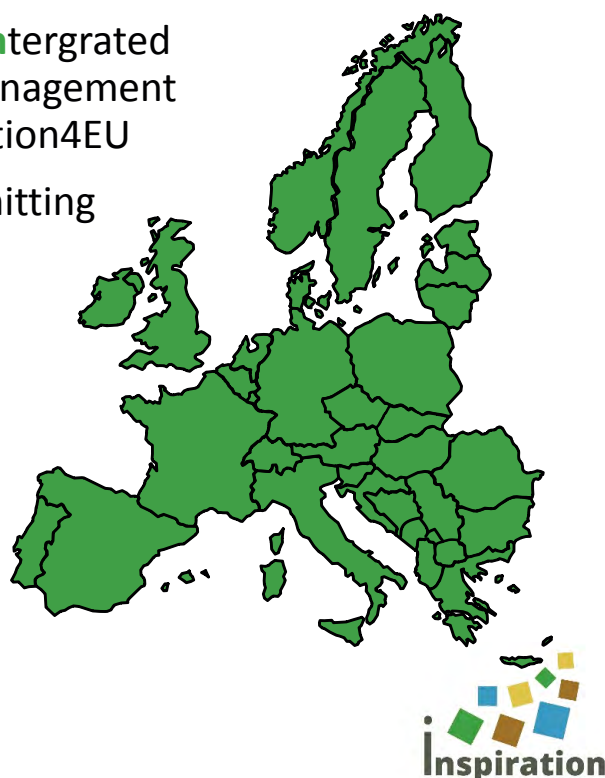
22 project partners  
from 17 countries



## The next stage? → Inspiration4EU



- Implementing strategic research on **integrated spatial planning**, land use and soil management **research actions for Europe** – Inspiration4EU
- Network of **voluntary partners** committing **contributions until August 2019**
- **Aims:**
  - Facilitation and support for **implementing INSPIRATION SRA**
  - Establishing the basis for a solid **long-term collaboration** network
  - Extent to **more partner countries**





## Inspiration4EU Services for our stakeholders



- Inspiration4EU provides in each country a
  - **Personal contact for information** about INSPIRATION SRA and on how to get involved towards implementation of parts of the SRA
  - **Contact to** other national and European **funders** is facilitated
- Inspiration4EU supports
  - **promotes national interests** in transnational and EU discussions
  - informs national networks about **transnational and EU** relevant actions



## Inspiration4EU National Contacts



The National Contacts of the Inspiration4EU network

- will be **the national “faces” of the Inspiration4EU network.**
- **enable implementation** of the INSPIRATION SRA
- act on a **voluntary basis** for (up to) 18 months\* until August 2019 following the termination of the H2020 CSA INSPIRATION
- **offer specific services** to the network and their national stakeholders, in particular funders, interested in the INSPIRATION SRA.

**All INSPIRATION countries remain represented in INSPIRATION4EU**

\* Inspiration4EU screens options for a (co-)funding of its networking activities to support the National Contacts.





## Inspiration4EU Basic NCP services



- Being **available by email / phone** to link national stakeholders, in particular funders, with the Inspiration4EU network.
- Putting **expressions of interests** of funders into an **Inspiration4EU Database** (provided by UBA).
- **Checking** the Database for updates from other countries **and updating** national stakeholders about relevant information. (Automatic info on updates will be provided on NCP's request).
- Identifying **potential matches** and agreeing with respective other NCPs on **next steps** (e.g. liaison of interested funders).
- **Monitoring** initiated coalitions/cooperation's



## Inspiration4EU Potential additional NC tasks



The following is not assumed to be a standard activities of a NC, but are option to do more:

- **Actively acquiring additional funders** and document their interests to implement parts of the SRA
- **Organizing workshops / meetings** to link national stakeholders, in particular funders, with the network
- Supporting Inspiration4EU network to **shape a follow-up network**, e.g. contributing to a joint call or by looking for (national/EU) funders to co-fund networking activities





## Inspiration4EU Structure and needed resources



We need

- **Commitments of NCs** to perform the requested basic tasks (about 1h/week) voluntarily until Aug. 2019 – **all confirmed**
- **Inspiration4EU database** – initiated and provided by UBA
- After 15 months (May 2019) a **Go or No Go Decision** whether (and how) or not to continue with the voluntary network after Aug 2019

And if possible

- Funding for meetings, etc.
- Establishing network funding for follow-up phase, e.g. a CSA, ERAnet, JPI, EJP, ESP, Snowman-reloaded network



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