

Interreg Europe: state of play

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Sharing solutions for better regional policy



30

countries
involved



359m

euros invested
in policy learning



Research
and innovation



SME
competitiveness



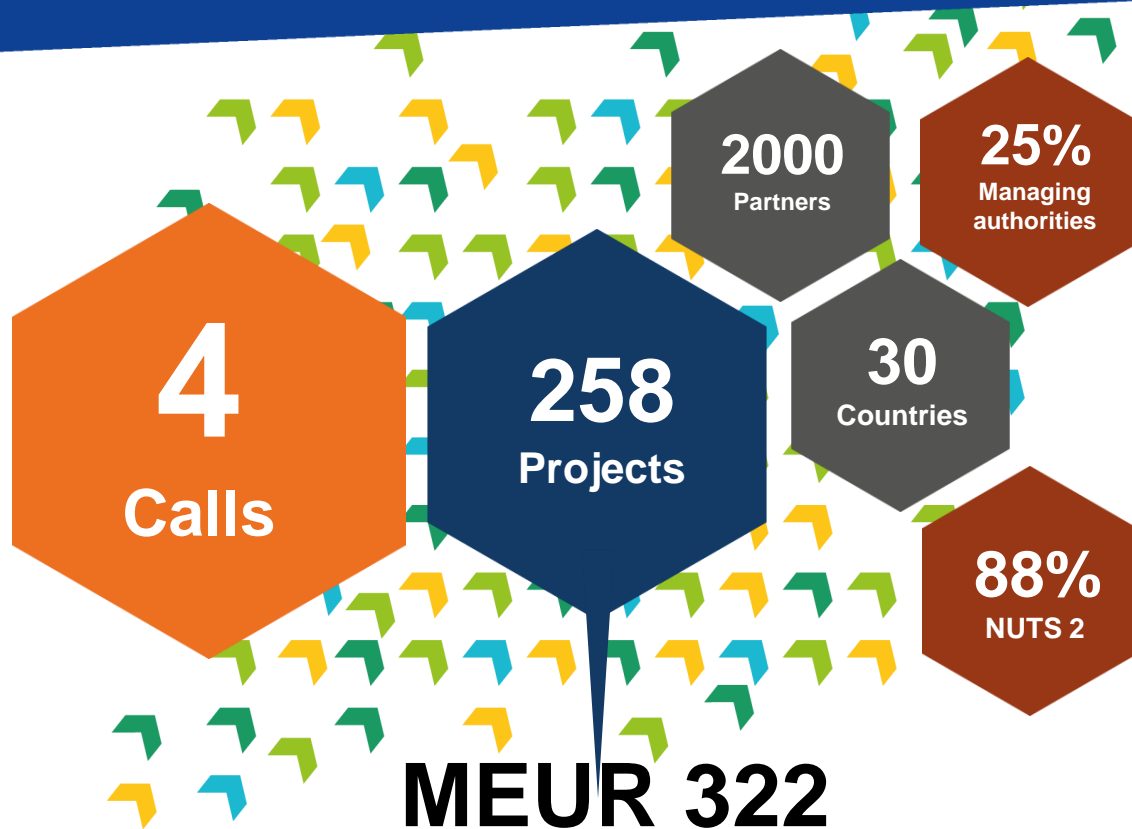
Low-carbon
economy



Environment and
resource efficiency



Interregional cooperation projects



Outputs achieved (validated as of 01 February 2021)

3,563

Good practices
identified

2,131

Good practices
PLP

12,748

Staff with
increased capacity

921

Action plans

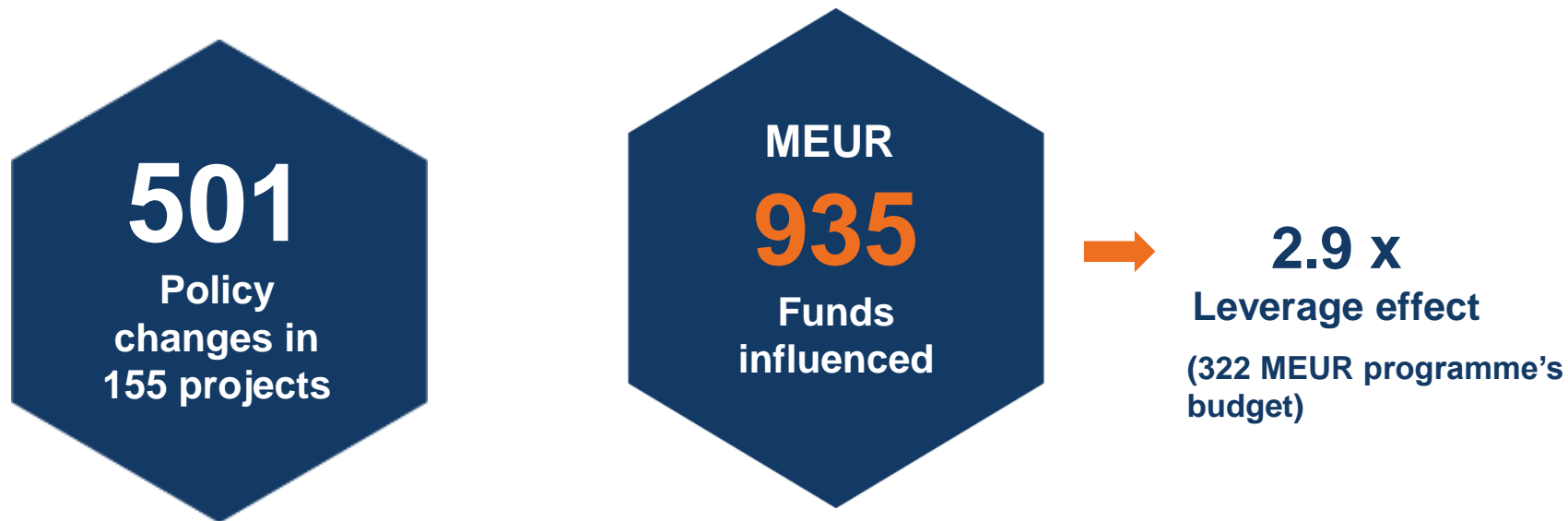
106 %

100 %

% of target in the CP reached

158 projects have finished phase 1

Improving policies (validated as of 01 February 2021)



Policy Learning Platform

Community of peers

+ 18,000 members



Good practice database

+ 2000 good practices



Expert policy support

peer reviews, helpdesk



Knowledge hub

Policy briefs & news



#policylearning

Policy digest
on CCLs

COVID challenges – Interreg Europe solutions

<https://www.interregeurope.eu/covid-19/>

COVID-19
keyword!

Check the new **COVID-19** section on our website in order to:

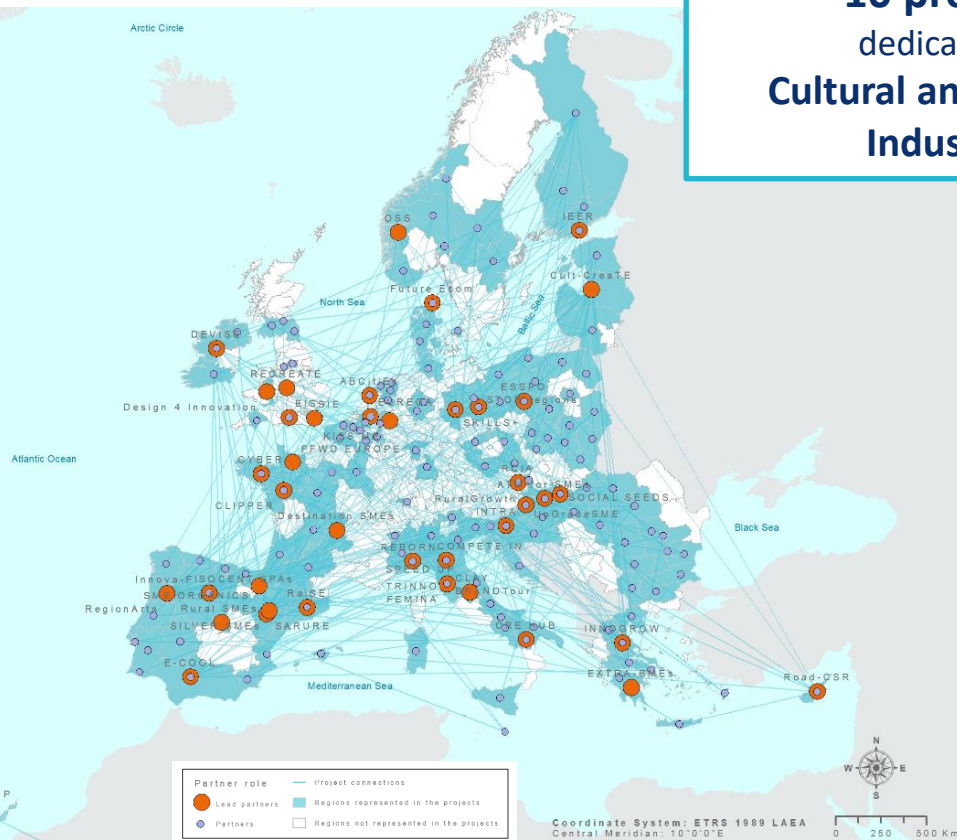
- Discover **good practices** from all across Europe that can help you mitigate the pandemic's effects;
- Join our **online thematic activities** that will inspire you and help you find solutions to common challenges;
- Request **tailored support** from our Policy Learning Platform experts;
- Find out related **news and events** published by us, our projects and other institutions.
- Possible **call for additional activities in 2021**

NEW

Supporting the competitiveness of SMEs

66
Projects

10 projects
dedicated to
Cultural and Creative
Industries



CRE:HUB
Interreg Europe

RCIA
Interreg Europe

Design 4
Innovation
Interreg Europe

RegionArts
Interreg Europe

Cult-CreaTE
Interreg Europe

CLAY
Interreg Europe

ECoC-SME
Interreg Europe

ALICE
Interreg Europe

CRAFTS CODE
Interreg Europe

CREADIS3
Interreg Europe

CRE:HUB results

active **contribution** in
Policy learning platform activities



The transforming power of Creative and Cultural Industries

Cultural and Creative Industries are at the heart of modern knowledge-based economies. Discover recommendations on how you can use their power for policymaking in this [workshop report!](#)

CRE:HUB action plans experience



improved governance

**ROP call for proposals, IT
START-UP Nation Programme, RO**



**6 good practices
published on Good
Practice Database!**

Congratulations!

What about the future?

- May 2018: Interreg Europe not present in the EC draft regulations
- May 2019: EP and Council asked for Interreg Europe to be back
- December 2019: first Programming Committee meeting
<https://www.interregeurope.eu/about-us/2021-2027>
- To be continued.... (finalisation of regulation, budget decision)



No revolution...but evolution

Key features remain:

1. Pan-European
2. Similar overall objective
 - Regional development policy makers as core target groups
3. Similar means to achieve the objective
 - Main focus on capacity building

Proposals:

1. Focus on Structural Funds lightened
2. Learning by doing: pilot actions
3. Only one single priority in the programme
 - Better reflect the core nature of the programme (capacity building)

Thank you!

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