



XVI ОБЩЕРОССИЙСКИЙ ФОРУМ «СТРАТЕГИЧЕСКОЕ ПЛАНИРОВАНИЕ В РЕГИОНАХ И ГОРОДАХ РОССИИ: ИНСТРУМЕНТЫ И РЕСУРСЫ РЕАЛИЗАЦИИ»

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C1 Information seminar
**«Interreg Baltic Sea Region programme 2014-2020»:
Russia-EU instruments of strategic partnership and macro-regional
cooperation**

24 October 2017, 16.45 – 18.30, hotel «Park Inn by Radisson Pribaltijskaya»

Organisers: Ministry of economic development of the Russian Federation, Ministry of foreign affairs of the Russian Federation, St. Petersburg external relations committee, Managing Authority/Joint Secretariat of Interreg Baltic Sea Region Programme, Leontief Centre

Moderator

Anna Popova, deputy director of the department of development and regulation of external economic activity of the Ministry of economic development of the Russian Federation

Introduction

The Ministry of economic development of the Russian Federation together with the Managing Authority/Joint Secretariat of the Programme and the Russian national sub-committee (RNSC) organise an information seminar and master-class on the conditions, cooperation themes for Russian and European regions in the BSR on three Programme priorities within the third call for applications:

- Priority 1: Capacity for innovation.
- Priority 2: Efficient management of natural.
- Priority 3: Sustainable transport.

During the seminar the following will be presented: results of the second call for applications and approved projects with Russian partners, issues on funding support of the Russian participation and signature of the financing agreement, that will allow co-financing activities of Russian organisations for the efficient implementation of projects. Participation of Russia in the Programme allows increasing efficiency of project implementation along all the priorities of macro-regional cooperation.

Agenda

Introduction and general information about Interreg Baltic Sea Region Programme 2014-2020

Alexander Somoza, DG Regio, European Commission

Igor Kapyrin, Ministry of foreign affairs of the Russian Federation

Results of the second call for applications and national support to projects

Irina Karelina, director general of Leontief center and secretary of the Russian national sub-committee of Interreg Baltic Sea Region Programme

Information about the third call for applications:

- *focus of the call,*
- *project idea development and partnership building,*
- *planning a budget*
- *project assessment (criteria and procedure)*

Elena Kolosova, Ruslana Rozene, Vaclav Kaplan, Managing Authority/Joint Secretariat of Interreg Baltic Sea Region Programme

Main principles of the Financing Agreement for Interreg Baltic Sea Region Programme

Svetlana Bibichkova, Yulia Savkina, department of development and regulation of external economic activity of the Ministry of economic development of the Russian Federation

Sharing the experience: lead partners and Russian partners from the second call selected projects of the Programme

Project «cities.multimodal» Urban transport system in transition towards low carbon mobility: City of Rostock, Germany and city of Pskov

Project «BEST» Better efficiency for industrial sewage treatment: MUE "Vodokanal" of Gatchina or State Autonomous Institution of Kaliningrad region "Environmental Center "ECAT-Kaliningrad"

Information support during the third call for applications:

- *Information seminars*
- *MA/JS support,*
- *Russian national sub-committee,*

Elena Kolosova, project officer of Interreg Baltic Sea Region

Irina Karelina, director general of Leontief center and secretary of the Russian national sub-committee of Interreg Baltic Sea Region Programme.

Individual consultations (third call project ideas and questions from the selected projects - 23-24 October, upon prior request)