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What are the processes?

- Call definition (objectives , focus and target figures)
- Reviewers available
- Review
- Shortlisting
- Funding decision
- Awarding procedure
- Monitoring and reporting
 - Spending progress
 - R&D work progress
- Learning, redefinition of future calls
- Impact assessment (incl. additionality of funding)

What to share and improve?

- Programme Logic + ex-ante criteria
- Agency workflow
- Monitoring process
- External assessment of measure and funding lines (programme level evaluation)
- Take up in follow up programmes (and others)
- Communication with the Programme owners

What is a Roadmap?

- Show actions and their feasibility
- Scheduling
- Define...
 - Objective and Goal
 - Action and results
 - Necessary resources (time, money...)
 - Benefits for the involved
 - Roles and responsibilities of involved

Possible actions

- Sharing databases
- Exchange experiences
- Targeted trainings
- Interventions 3.0

Sharing databases of reviewers

- Facilitate registration in national databases in view of establishing a regional reviewer pool
- Thematic priorities + sharing reviewers
 - > identify calls in the region and the used databases to share in future
- Enriching with “abroad” diaspora
 - > facilitate links with diaspora
- Enriching from bilateral calls with “double” evaluation
 - > check with bilateral partners
- “Pilot” action using EVAL-INCO 2.0

Communication with the reviewers on agreement
Financial provisions (honoraries)

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Exchange experience

- Community of practice - Mailinglist
- Twinning with experienced Agencies
-> i.e in bialteral calls in the region or with EU MS
- Meetings to share practice (annually)
- Link up with international initiatives
(TAFTIE, RTD Evaluation network, WB, OECD, UNESCO-UIS)

Targeted training

- National reviewers trainings
- Programme logic and indicators, link to ex-ante selection
- Monitoring instruments and technics
- Research organisation evaluation methods
- RTDI Programme evaluation trainings for owners, agencies, national capacities for such evaluations
- Benchmarking organisations for learning i.e. in a thematic field or cross sectors (supports rather the organisations than the agencies)

Interventions 3.0

- Developing a joint electronic submission system based on existing ones including peer reviewer database
- Information sharing about upcoming calls to see if there is experience (+reviewers in the field)
- Review of agency processes by a panel (peers are regional+EU MS agencies that look on the processes running in another agency)
- Benchmarking agencies (for learning but...)

Overall objectives

- Actions for improved national processes
- Actions opening opportunities for further international cooperation
 - Bilateral calls
 - Regional calls
 - Extending to multilateral calls



Let us move to the roadmap!