

# 2011 Call for Proposals Meeting – Opening Remarks



Grundtvig Actions include:

*De-centralised:*

- Mobility of individuals
- Partnerships
- Assistantships
- Visits and exchanges
- Senior volunteering
- Workshops

*Centralised:*

- Multilateral Projects
- Thematic Networks
- Accompanying Measures

# Lifelong Learning Programme - GRUNDTVIG



Grundtvig aims to:

- Provide adults with pathways to improve their knowledge and competences
- To respond to the educational challenge of an ageing Europe

# GRUNDTVIG – Eligible Institutions



The programme is aimed at:

- a. Establishments involved in the initial or further training of adult education staff
- b. Associations and representatives of those involved in adult education
- c. Bodies providing guidance, counseling and information services relating to any aspect of lifelong learning
- d. Bodies responsible for systems and policies concerning any aspects of adult education at local, regional and national level;
- e. Research centers and bodies concerned with lifelong learning issues
- f. Enterprises
- g. Non-profit organisations, voluntary bodies, NGOs
- h. Higher-education institutions

# GRUNDTVIG – Multilateral Projects



Grundtvig multilateral projects:

- Are encouraged to involve adult learners in their activities and to take learner's needs and experiences into account
- All projects must include plans for evaluation and dissemination of results



## Priorities for Multilateral Projects:

- Priority 1 – Key Competences:
  - Widening access to basic skills
  
- Priority 2 – The role of adult education in strengthening social inclusion and gender equality
  - Improving the attractiveness and access to adult learning;
  
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# GRUNDTVIG – Tips for Proposals



- Proposals should:

- Respond to the policy priorities.

- Most communications are sent to the co-ordinator's address: make sure that you indicate the right person and the right address (both e-mail and postal) on the application form.

- Strong proposal is:

- Coherent:** problems, solutions, target groups, activities, budget, objectives/resources/competences;

- Simple and Circumscribed:** a proposal is not about solving the worlds' problems, but about solving a specific issue however complex this might be;

- Evidence based:** ex-ante needs analysis, state of the art;

- Clear:** identifying the need for such proposal, the solutions, and the outputs;

- Rigorous in its planning:** which activities, when, for how long, and with what resources;

- Explicit:** do not give for granted any information, if it is not in the application it cannot be taken into account.

# Useful Links for the Programmes



- **Call for proposals 2011 (EACEA website – centralised actions):**

[http://eacea.ec.europa.eu/llp/funding/2011/call\\_lifelong\\_learning\\_2011.php](http://eacea.ec.europa.eu/llp/funding/2011/call_lifelong_learning_2011.php)

- **EACEA Leonardo da Vinci webpage (including compendia of selected projects – see RESULTS AND PROJECTS):**

[http://eacea.ec.europa.eu/llp/leonardo/leonardo\\_da\\_vinci\\_en.php](http://eacea.ec.europa.eu/llp/leonardo/leonardo_da_vinci_en.php)

[http://eacea.ec.europa.eu/llp/results\\_projects/project\\_compendia\\_en.php](http://eacea.ec.europa.eu/llp/results_projects/project_compendia_en.php)

- **Grundtvig programme in LLP:**

[http://ec.europa.eu/education/programmes/llp/guide/structure/grundtvig\\_en.html](http://ec.europa.eu/education/programmes/llp/guide/structure/grundtvig_en.html)

- **Links to National Agencies:**

[http://ec.europa.eu/education/lifelong-learning-programme/doc1208\\_en.htm](http://ec.europa.eu/education/lifelong-learning-programme/doc1208_en.htm)