Interreg Baltic Sea Region – status quo

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Upcoming calls of Interreg Baltic Sea Region

Calls to be opened in the autumn 2019/early 2020

- Extension stage call for projects finalising regular activities in September 2020 (2nd call projects)
- Seed Money call for preparation of projects in line with the updated EUSBSR Action Plan
- PAC/HAC support call for activities from October 2020 to June 2021

Status quo of the preparation for the future programme (1/2)

Due to the missing legal and financial framework, only informal preparations started e.g.:

- Stock tacking on the current thematic projects and brainstorming on future needs for transnational cooperation;
- Discussion on how to organise cooperation with EUSBSR stakeholders during programming;
- Discussions on harmonisation of procedures, forms and tools with other Interreg programmes.

Status quo of the preparation for the future programme (2/2)

- Next steps a.o.:
  - Questionnaire to PACs/HACs about the PA needs for Interreg funding (28 June 2019);
  - Discussion on needs for different types of projects (seed money, small projects, big projects with pilot actions, platforms etc.) (TF in Sep 2019);
  - Review on cooperation priorities in the pan-Baltic, national and regional strategies (autumn 2019)

=> Discussion on thematic priorities will start only in 2020; hopefully (!) on the basis of revised EUSBSR Action Plan

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