

Research & Development Request

H2020 project for virtual entrepreneurship center with various innovative activities that support the development of the local community.

Summary

A non-profit organization from Bosnia and Herzegovina engaged in supporting local community in Herzegovina searches for members of project consortium within the H2020 programme. The project utilizes R&D with the objective to boost entrepreneurship skills of local community members. Industry partners are requested as well as educational institutions, both interested in innovative products development for local community. Expertise sought: local community management, entrepreneurship and ICT.

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Reference RDBA20170929001

Details

Description

A non-profit organization from Bosnia and Herzegovina engaged in supporting local community in Herzegovina searches for members of project consortium within the H2020 programme. General goals of the organization are: support in the human rights processes, support in the improvement of gender equality processes, support in enhancing capabilities of women and persons with invalidity, support to the activities that help sustaining nature and environment, support in the improvement of the cross-border cooperation in the field of tourism, support in sustaining natural heritage and old crafts and similar.

The organization had various activities at the local, national and international level. Different important events were organized by the organization, such as: business conference that coupled market perspectives with EU integration processes of B&H, entrepreneurship, education and employment conference presentation, women in social entrepreneurship, e-business. It organized an info day "Europa for Citizens 2014-2020", together with the national ministry, USAID PRO-future project, Catholic Relief Service CRS modules. Finally, it was engaged in promotion HORIZON2020 in B&H, and organizing info day for interested participants. The association also leads the information portal "I Want" that is a lead info sharing social-media platform for youth in B&H. It participated in various project related to support to employment together with international partners and it has an active support from organizations from USA, Holland, Croatia, Czech Republic, Macedonia, Serbia, Switzerland and more.

With this regard, the organization develops a project that will improve the quality of life of local community by using novel R&D techniques, in particular in ICT domain. The organization is devoted to raising the level of competitiveness and innovation in the community and the project

will tackle this issue by developing a virtual entrepreneurship platform through applying for the H2020 programme scheme that boosts innovativeness in SMEs (Call: EIC-SMEInst-2018-2020). Two institutions are already engaged in the consortium, who are experienced in entrepreneurship and in local community management. However, the consortium is lacking a partner with ICT skills as well as more partners who are experienced in education in entrepreneurship. The deadline for the call is February 8, 2018, and expressions of interests can be submitted by December 15, 2017. Anticipated duration of the project is 96 weeks.

Advantages and Innovations

An organization has the innovative approach towards the social science dimension as well as the innovative approach towards the local integrated development. It applies innovative solution in the areas of education, IT, employment, social support, development of SMEs and more. Main interests would be networking and connecting with potential project partners.

Stage of Development

Proposal under development

Keywords

Technology

01004002	Applications for Tourism
01004004	ASP Application Service Providing
01005002	E-Learning

Market

01004007	Network test, monitoring and support equipment
02006003	Computer training services
02006007	Databases and on-line information services

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Network Contact

Issuing Partner

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Open for EOI : **Yes**

Dissemination

Send to Sector Group

ICT Industry and Services

Client

Type and Size of Organisation Behind the Profile

Other

Year Established

2015

Turnover

<1M

Already Engaged in Trans-National Cooperation

Yes

Client Country

Bosnia and Herzegovina

Partner Sought

Type and Role of Partner Sought

Industry partner that would help implement various innovative activities that help support the development of the local community is sought for this partnership. Educational institution that is interested in cooperation that leads to local community development in the innovative way.

Type and Size of Partner Sought

SME 11-50, University, R&D Institution, SME <10

Type of Partnership Considered

Research cooperation agreement

Program - Call

Framework Program

H2020

Ref: RDBA20170929001

Call title and identifier

EIC-SMEInst-2018-2020

Submission and evaluation scheme

Continuous submission scheme

Anticipated Project Budget

0.5-1 mil. EUR

Coordinator Required

Yes

Deadline for EOI

15 Dec 2017

Deadline for Call

08 Feb 2018

Project Duration

96 week(s)

Weblink to the Call

<http://ec.europa.eu/research/participants/portal/desktop/en/opportunities/h2020/topics/eic-smeinst-2018-2020.html>

Project Title and Acronym

Virtual Innovation in Entrepreneurship - V-INN-ENT

Attachments
