

## Who is participating in the project?

The FaRInn partnership consists of 8 partners from 7 SEE countries. They are: local and regional decision makers, local and regional development agencies, 1 university and 1 chamber of commerce. Each involves a group of stakeholders that represent key elements of the innovation process.

### Partners in the project:

- Centre for Innovation and Economic Development, Italy [www.ciseonweb.it](http://www.ciseonweb.it)
- Development Centre Litija, Slovenia [www.razvoj.si](http://www.razvoj.si)
- Timis County Economic and Social Development Agency, Romania [www.adetim.ro](http://www.adetim.ro)
- University of Szeged, Hungary [www.u-szeged.hu](http://www.u-szeged.hu)
- Chamber of Samos, Greece [www.samoscci.gr](http://www.samoscci.gr)
- North Aegean Region, Greece [www.pvaigaiou.gov.gr](http://www.pvaigaiou.gov.gr)
- Regional Development Agency for Bjelasica, Komovi & Prokletije, Montenegro [www.bjelasica-komovi.me](http://www.bjelasica-komovi.me)
- Sarajevo Economic Region Development Agency, Bosnia and Herzegovina [www.serda.ba](http://www.serda.ba)
- Technical and Management support from Resolvo Srl, Italy [www.resolvo.eu](http://www.resolvo.eu)

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FaRInn -  
Facilitating Responsible Innovation  
Programme in SEE countries



## What is FaRinn?

FaRinn - Facilitating Responsible Innovation in SEE countries is a project with 24 months duration within the South East Europe transnational cooperation programme.

The main objective of FaRinn is to enhance framework conditions and pave the way for a responsible innovation model in South East Europe, which respects the principles of sustainability, social responsibility and better quality of life.

On the basis of research carried out and existing literature, the definition of Responsible Innovation adopted in FaRinn project is a transparent, interactive process in which societal actors and innovators become mutually responsive to each other with a view on the (ethical) acceptability, sustainability and societal desirability of the innovation process and its marketable products.

## What is FaRinn aiming to do?

FaRinn's main objective is to enhance the framework conditions and pave the way for a responsible innovation model in South East Europe, which respects the principles of sustainability, social responsibility and better quality of life.

Within the overall framework of promoting Responsible innovation, FaRinn will:

- promote exchange among regions in the SEE programme area on experiences, constraints and good practices related to responsible innovation;
- define and reach a joint understanding of the necessary framework conditions for responsible innovation;
- analyse and compare the current status, threats and opportunities in partner countries in terms of framework conditions for responsible innovation;
- strengthen the capacity of innovation actors to design and implement responsible innovation strategies;
- raise awareness of the benefits, potential and mechanisms of responsible innovation among identified key innovation actors and stakeholders, and among the wider public;
- design, apply and test elements of a responsible policy model for innovation in different areas of the SEE programme area;
- design local and transnational Action Plans, with relative recommendations, for the future of policies and initiatives for responsible innovation in each partner area and at overall territorial level;
- transfer lessons learned on responsible innovation to other regions in the SEE programme area and beyond.

## The South East Europe Transnational Cooperation Programme

In the framework of the European Territorial Cooperation Policy, the South East Europe programme aims to improve integration and competitiveness in 16 countries: Albania, Austria, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Bulgaria, Romania, Croatia, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Greece, Hungary, Serbia, Montenegro, Slovakia, Slovenia and Republic of Moldova and certain regions of Italy and Ukraine.

The South East Europe Programme promotes essential transnational cooperation between these very different countries, in important development related fields such as: innovation and entrepreneurship; environmental protection, accessibility, sustainable growth. The SEE programme has funded over 110 cooperation projects since its launch in 2007, of which 47 on the 4th and final call (2012).

For more information on the SEE programme:

[www.southeast-europe.net](http://www.southeast-europe.net)



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