

#### EUROPEAN COMMUNITY OF PRACTICE ON PARTNERSHIP

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review

disseminate



- Art. 18 the European Code of Conduct on Partnership (ECCP) in the Commission Delegated Regulation no 240/2014 (the regulation will continue to apply during the 2021-2027 programming period)
- the community of practice on partnership under ESF Transnational Cooperation Platform (2015-2019)
- Involves all 2021-27 Common Provision Regulation and Common Agriculture Policy funds:
- CPR funds: ERDF/CF/JTF, ESF+, AMIF/ISF/BMVI, EMFAF
  EAGF/EAFRD



### **Objectives and tasks**

- Facilitate exchange of experience regarding partnership
- Stimulate capacity building
- Disseminate relevant outcomes (good practices/ innovative approaches)
- Review the application and functioning of the European Code of Conduct and prepare proposals for a potential update

### Format

Annual plenary meetings (April 2022; February 2023) Work in subgroups on key issues



- 160 ECoPP members: representatives of partners as stipulated in Art 8. of the CPR (86) and Managing Authorities and Coordination bodies in MS (74)
- programme authorities from almost all MS
- Stakeholders from all MS except HR, MT, LU, CY, LT
- 6 working thematic subgroups working between plenary sessions (approx. 120 members participating actively)





# Sub-group tasks

Gather and exchange relevant practices from different funds, Member States, regions and local areas relating to their chosen theme

Extract and explore information gathered in order to share key lessons with others Create an output/s that draws on emerging findings and lessons to share with all ECoPP members

Present output/s at the second ECoPP meeting in a format of their choice

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The European Commission, through the shared management DGs, fully supports the European Community of Practice on Partnership in the 2021-27 programming period becoming a genuine forum for practitioners at all levels of funds' implementation.

As the partnership principle is one of the key pillars of the EU cohesion policy, building (and improving) a structured, transparent and long-lasting relationship between all actors involved in the policy-making process is essential.



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