



ECRN Project Council

The **European Chemical Regions Network (ECRN)** is committed to facilitating inter-regional collaboration. ECRN is a European stakeholder that represents chemical regions and serves as a platform for exchange of experiences. To go beyond the policy development level and to contribute to enhancing the competitiveness of the European chemical regions, ECRN is now launching a new initiative - the **ECRN Project Council**.

The Council will act as a **broker and mediator** of European projects among the ECRN member regions and chemical institutions. Actors from other regions are also welcome to join the activities. The ECRN Project Council will leverage inputs from delegates representing e.g. **chemical clusters, regional innovation networks, associations, research centers or other institutions** and provide a concrete tool-box for accelerating sustainable value creation in Europe's chemical regions.

The aim is to **bring together regional actors working towards European or joint projects** in the field of chemicals and help them to optimise their regional projects and activities by upgrading them on a European level. The ECRN Project Council is thus not just another collaboration platform, but a **powerful forum for developing inter-regional project portfolios**. Initiatives incubated through the Council benefit from the support of regional authorities, which is an asset for achieving sustainable, long-term results.

The activities will start in **April 2014** with an open **kick-off** meeting - join us there to find out more!

Who is involved?

Regional authorities, clusters, regional project management institutions

What is the key benefit?

Platform for boosting regional projects; tangible support for inter-regional project development

How to participate?

Attend meetings/events, introduce your own proposals, join initiatives proposed by others - be active!



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