

## Evaluation of the Call „Teaming“ – Executive Summary



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The Focus group for the beneficiaries of the Call 02\_15\_006 Teaming was held on June 12, 2017 in the Harfa Office Park, Českomoravská 2420/15, 190 00 Prague 9. The aim of the meeting was to obtain the feedback to the preparation of the subsidy application for the above mentioned Call and also to share experience with the implementation phase of the projects, so this feedback and experience can be utilized for the current preparation of the follow-up Call No. 02\_17\_043 Teaming II.

The time perspective of the Call was negatively affected by the shortening of the deadline for the submission of the grant application by the European Commission. Another point to be taken into account in the follow-up call is, that the administrative requirements related to participation of the foreign partner were demanding and time consuming. Communication with the Managing Authority was considered to be good with some reservations about evaluation of the grant applications. The activities of the Call were clearly defined and they were focused on the beneficiaries' needs. The discussion was about the possibility to include also other than H2020 projects of the foreign cooperation into the relevant indicator, eventually to count those H2020 applications which reach the given threshold in H2020. General consent was about the value of the involvement of the foreign partner, also with regard to knowledge transfer.

Record from the meeting represents the compilation of main findings selected into areas discussed: time perspective of the Call, cooperation with the Managing Authority, content of the Call – activities and partnership in the Call. At the beginning of each section set of indicative questions is presented. At the end there is set of general topics for improvement which were pointed out by the beneficiaries.

Recommendation from this evaluation is to take these findings in to account when preparing follow-up call Teaming II.

