TII Brussels Group

22 October 2010

Venue: m-Brussels Village, 44 rue des Palais, B-1030 Brussels, from 9.30 to 15.30



INTRODUCTION AND INVITATION

The TII Brussels Group has been in existence for over 10 years to help members receive

- an informed insight into current and upcoming bidding opportunities under the EU Framework Programmes
- impartial expert advice and coaching on project preparation
- access to a pool of potential partners for projects
- introductions to project officers from the European Commission who are invited to present open calls for proposals or new initiatives
- briefing notes on EU programmes and other useful background documents

AGENDA

09.15 – 09.30	Registration and coffee
09.30 – 09.50	Welcome, Christine Robinson, Secretary General, TII Roundtable presentation of participants Introduction by chair, Gavin Thomson of Helix Advisory Services
09.50 – 10.30	FP7 update Part 1 51 2011 FP7 calls were published on 20 July. The post TII deadlines for these are given in the attached document. Discussion at this meeting will concentrate on these calls. Part 1 will be an introduction.
10.30 – 10.50	Refreshments and networking
10.50 – 12.10	FP7 update Part 2 Part 2 will concentrate on those calls of particular relevance to members including an analysis of topics aimed specifically at SMEs
12.10 – 12.45	Contribution from Olga Roig, Manager FP7 Support Service at Acc1Ó, Brussels Networking and project opportunities with Catalonian companies and research organizations under FP7

13.45 – 14.30 Contribution from Sven Schade, European Commission, DG Enterpri Support for Innovation Outline thoughts and ideas on upcoming CIP Calls for Proposals and futu European Innovation Alliances for Creative Industries and for Mobile and Service industries	re
14.30 – 15.00 SMEs in FP5/FP6 – an Impact Assessment Discussion of the attached report	
15.00 – 15.30 Update on non-FP7 calls	
15.30 Wrap up and close	