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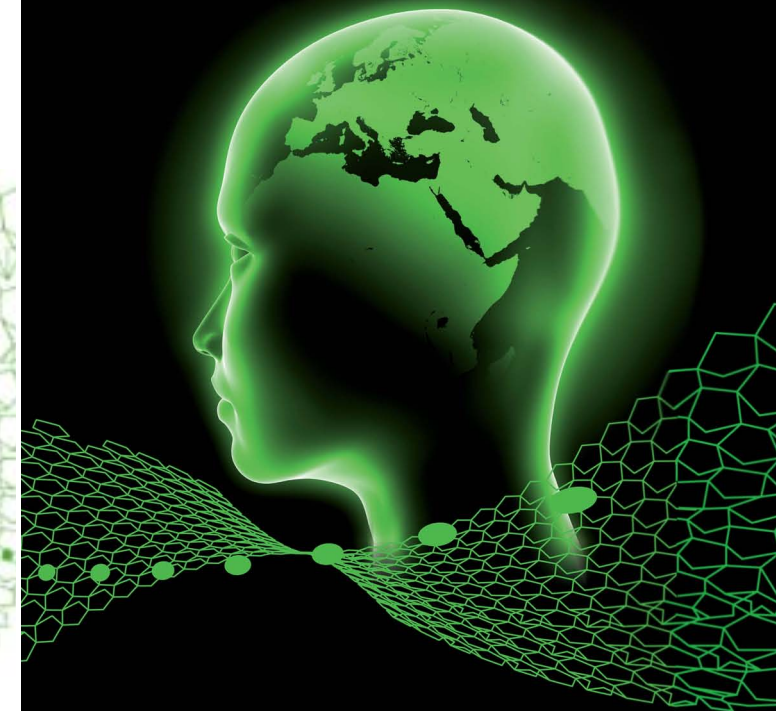


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**European Cluster
Collaboration Platform**

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The platform provides a starting base for cluster organisations to discover new horizons of excellence and to explore new opportunities of collaboration

About

Cluster organisations in Europe have reached a certain stage of development at which they need innovative supporting structures for better performance.

The **European Cluster Collaboration Platform** has been established to fill this gap.

The platform within the framework of the **European Cluster Excellence Initiative** provides online quality information and networking support for cluster organisations and their members aiming

- to improve their performance and
- to increase their competitiveness through stimulation of international cooperation.

Cluster organisations are invited to use this online platform to discover new horizons of excellence and to explore opportunities of collaboration.

Functionalities



Mapping and profiling of cluster organisations

- Get an overview of the real European cluster landscape by countries/regions and/or sectors
- Have direct access to the profiles of the cluster organisations and therefore to the full information provided by them



Mapping and profiling of cluster members

- Check out for members landscape of registered cluster organisations
- Search for members of registered cluster organisations in a classified form



Establishing geographical, sectoral and thematic communities

- Share information (with the whole community or in groups) with the help of functions like news, events, fora, live chat, library, good practices, etc.
- Get engaged in community discussions



Finding new project ideas and financing sources

- Get information about current calls/tenders and post offers and requests for cooperation, expertise and support
- Interlink and use the services of the Enterprise Europe Network



Adding news/events/documents and getting information provided by users

- Place news and events related to cluster activities and fill the media library with documents and other media to share with the cluster community
- Obtain centralized structure information about European and international projects and programmes exclusively related to clusters engaging in virtual dialogue with other cluster actors on issues of general interest in the forum