

Centro de Gestão da Rede Informática do Governo
Presentation of the Project



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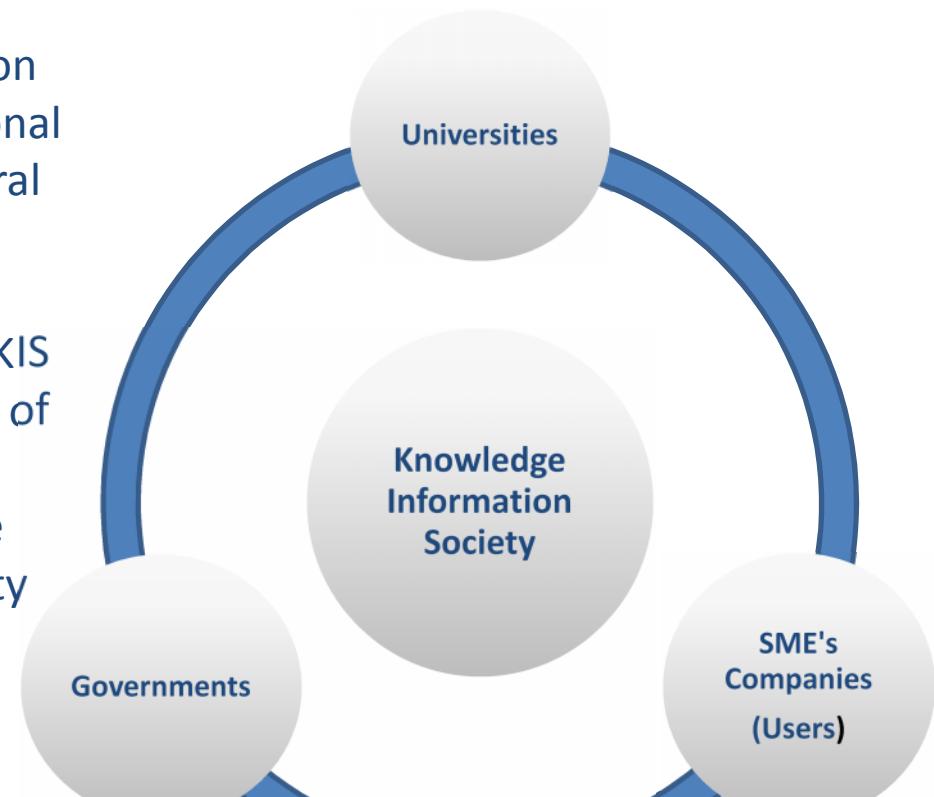
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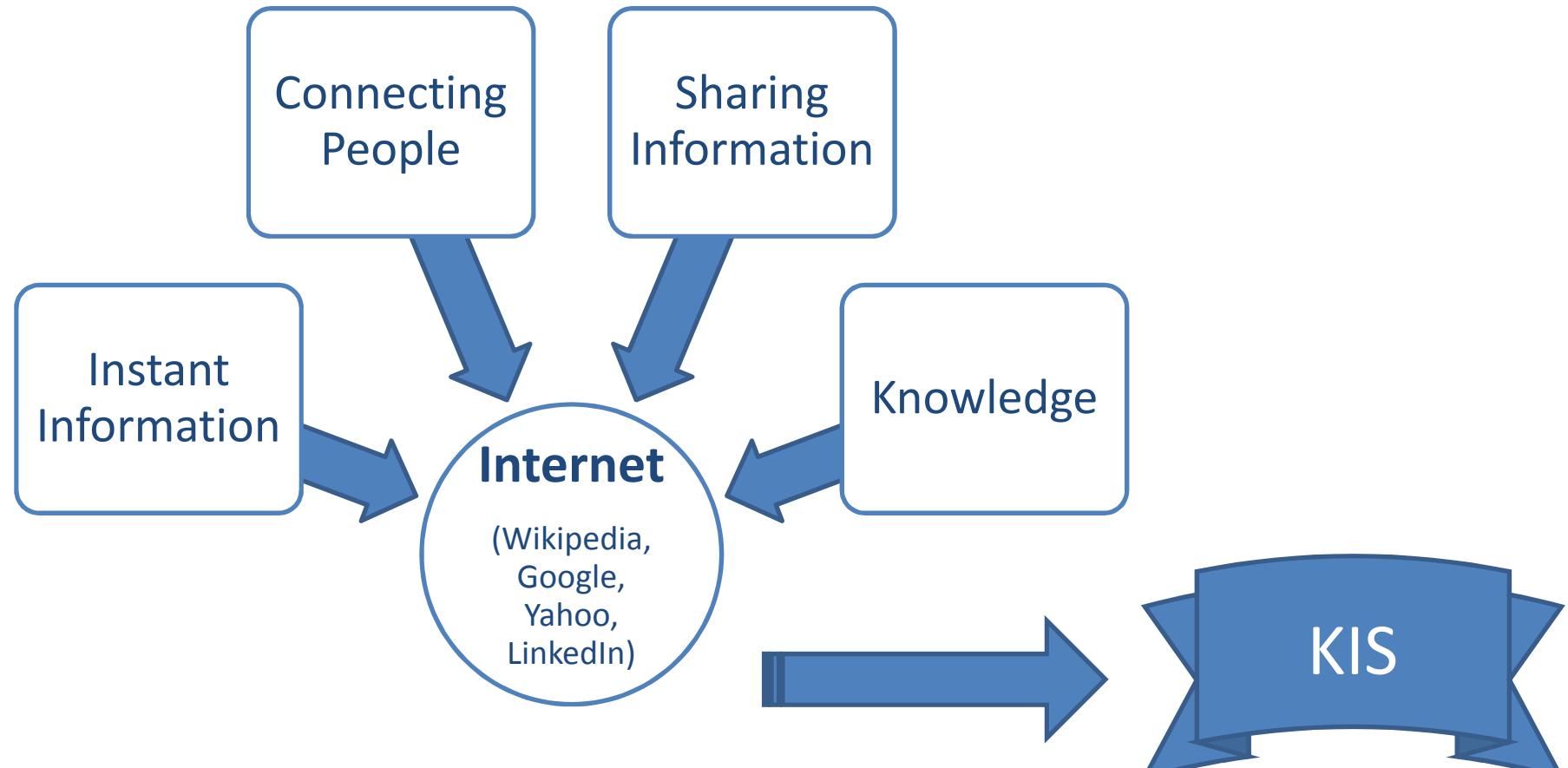


1. Knowledge and Information Society

- The creation of a Knowledge and Information Society (KIS) is a complex and multidimensional process that involves the joint effort of several actors, from Companies to Universities and Governments.
- On the other hand, the implementation of KIS should be closely linked to the development of Competences of those members.
- These type of initiatives as KNETWORKS are expected to contribute to improve the quality of life in the Regions.

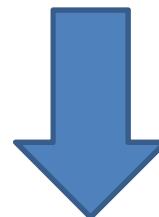
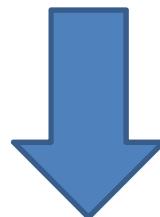


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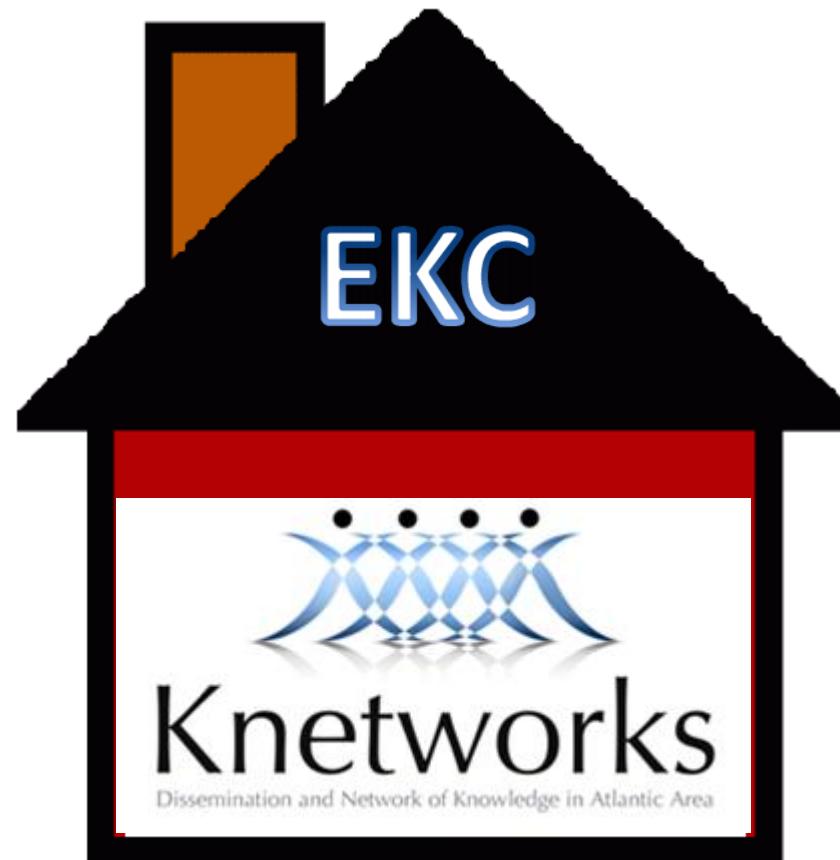
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The project's focus will be the creation of a permanent network of excellence



- Will be based on IT's, by using an Internet-accessible concerted platform, that will enable all of the participating entities to collaborate, share and profit from a range of bottom-up innovations.
- This will be achieved by relying on real time promotion of the project's development activities, shared use of the project's platform.

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A – CEGER- Centro de Gestão da Rede Informática do Governo

B – FUAC -Fundación Universidad da Coruña

C – Universidad de Cantabria -Dpto. de Transportes y Tecnología de Proyectos y Procesos

D – Université de Toulouse II -Le Mirail LISST-CIEU

E – The Chancellor, Masters and Scholars of the University of Oxford -Oxford Internet Institute – OII

F – Cardiff University –Cplan

Legend

2.2. Project Management and Coordination

Project Monitoring Committee

- Political and Strategic Decisions
- Coordination of Expenses Certificates

Coordination Technical Committee

- Management, Technical and Administrative Coordination
- Coordinate and monitor the technical development of the projects activities
- Guarantee the knowledge transfer between the technical teams of each partner

Scientific Comission

- Quality Assurance for the projects technical and political issues

KNETWORKS' main objective is reaching the creation of a strong knowledge sharing and dissemination Network in the Atlantic Area to promote the exchange of Good Practices and implementation strategies for building and exploiting a 21st Century Knowledge and Information Society (KIS).

2.4. Specific Objectives

- 1. To create a permanent analysis group of the projects which represent the Good Practices of the Information Society in the life of organizations, namely States, Companies, Small and Medium Enterprises (SMEs) and Atlantic Area Universities.**
- 2. To make available Good Practices Tools and Mechanisms for the development of the KIS in the Atlantic Area;**
- 3. Creation of a Sustainable Network for the sharing and dissemination of knowledge in the Atlantic Area based on Information Technologies;**
- 4. The project will study the conditions and requirements for the creation, in the short time, of the European Knowledge Center (EKC) in the Atlantic Area;**
- 5. To broaden the use of the Network of knowledge as a platform to other Regions and entities;**
- 6. To encourage cooperation between Regions in the Atlantic Area;**

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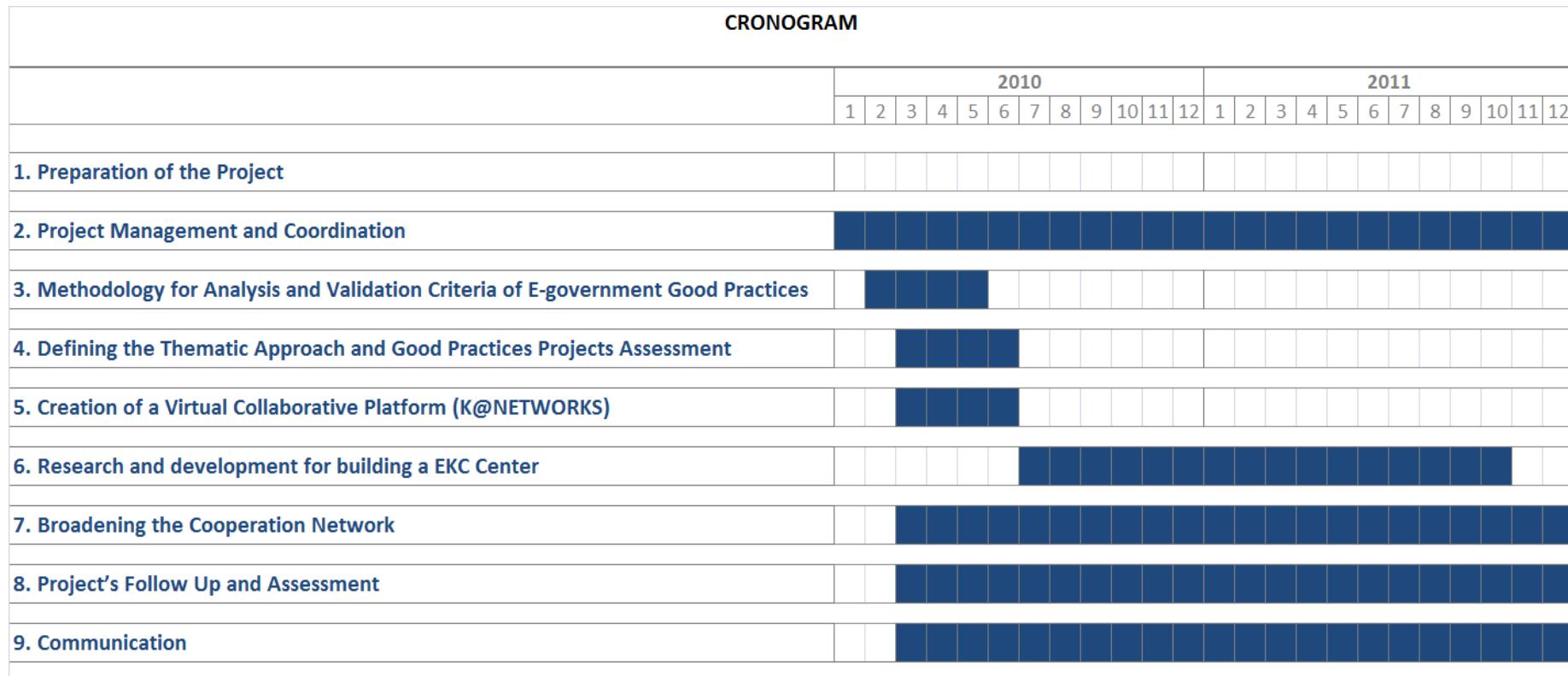
7. To strengthen the name of the Atlantic Area in the improvement and increase of the KIS development, whether in the European context or in the international one.

8. To encourage and promote good practices exchange in the implementation of strategies concerning the KIS.

9. To spread the knowledge resulting from the Good Practices of the KIS.

10. To increase cooperation with other organizations which promote knowledge creation and dissemination

11. To promote the acknowledgment of the collaboration between Universities and companies as regional development accelerators.



Activities	Cost	% Total
1. Preparation of the Project	12.500,00€	1%
2. Project Management and Coordination	350.017,48€	19%
3. Methodology Development Identify of Analysis and Validation Criteria of E-government Good Practices	265.792,92€	14%
4. Defining the Thematic Approach and Good Practices Projects Assessment	265.792,92€	14%
5. Creation of a Virtual Collaborative Platform (K@networks)	257.033,33€	14%
6. Research and Development for Building a European Knowledge Center (EKC)	417.713,34€	23%
7. Broadening the Cooperation Network	85.249,99€	5%
8. Project's Follow Up and Assessment	23.500,00€	1%
9. Communication	166.400,02€	9%
Total	1.844.00,00€	100%

2.7. Distribution of the Budget by Partner

	CEGER	FUAC	Universidad de Cantabria	Cardiff University	University of Oxford	Université de Toulouse II	Total
ERDF (65%)	455.000,00€	162.500,00€	162.500,00€	158.600,00€	130.000,00€	130.000,00€	1.198.600,00€
Other Public Entities	245.000,00€		87.500,00€	85.400,00€	70.000,00€	70.000,00€	557.900,00€
Private Entities		87.500,00€					87.500,00
TOTAL	700.000,00€	250.000,00€	250.000,00€	244.000,00€	200.000,00€	200.000,00€	1.844.000,00€

The ERDF Co-financing rate in the INTERREG IV-B Atlantic Area Programme is 65%



Issue	Indicator	Target (Nr.)
Full-time equivalent jobs created within the project	Filled by women Filled by men	12 12
Project Publications	Interim and Final study reports Articles in the press or specialized magazines Project newsletters Handbooks, guides and catalogues Brochures, leaflets and other awareness-raising documents	1+1 6 7 2 7
Policy documents and instruments produced by the project	Transnational policies documents and instruments produced National policy documents and instruments produced by the project Regional policy documents and instruments produced Local policy documents and instruments produced	4 4 6 4
Policies influenced by the experience gained during the project implementation	EU Policies influenced by project results National Policies influenced by project results	2 5
Hits/month of the project website	Average monthly project website hits since the project start)	3.000



We have named this International Seminar :

“KNETWORKS Towards the Knowledge Society”

because we strongly believe that the project , in the long term, will give a large contribution for:

- Confirming the Atlantic Area, in the international context, as a territory for the development of the KIS and promotion of interregional cooperation;
- Encourage the design of effective public policies regarding the expansion of the KIS;
- Consolidate new channels of interaction that could potentially consolidate as spaces of virtual interaction between the e-government and the citizens of Atlantic Area.

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