



TrainNet Future

**Specific Support Action (SSA)
in the 6th Framework Programme
Priority 5
Food Quality and Safety**

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**“Training network of
National Contact Points and support
organisations with special focus on
Candidate Countries in the area of Food
Quality and Safety”**

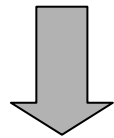


The past and the future

The past

TrainNet FP5 project
coordinated by **BIT**

Austria



it provided trainings for
NCP's in 13
Candidate Countries

The future



Contribution to ERA



Project partners:

National Contact Points (NCPs) and support organizations

Stakeholders:

R&D institutions, universities and firms in 25 countries

3 Candidate Countries: Bulgaria, Romania, Turkey,

9 New Member States: Cyprus, Estonia, Hungary, Latvia, Lithuania, Malta, Poland, Slovakia, Slovenia

10 „old” Member States: Austria, Belgium, Denmark, France, Greece, Italy, Netherlands, Portugal, Sweden, United Kingdom

3 Associated States to FP6: Iceland, Israel and Switzerland



Objectives

- Build-up NCP know-how in Candidate Countries
- Foster and improve exchange of experience and expertise among NCPs
- Increase visibility of researchers of Candidate Countries
- Promote implementation of FP6 in Candidate countries

Duration: 36 months starting from 27/04/2004

Budget: ~ 1.8 MEUR



Core activities:

- exchange of experience and expertise among NCPs,
- learning from each other,
- training of NCPs and researchers,
- partner search,
- match making,
- brokerage events

Project overview



WP1
Start-Up Phase (APRE)

WP2
Training for NCPs
(SenterNovem)

WP3 Training for Researchers (TUBITAK)

WP 4
Exchange of
Experience and
Expertise (BEA)

WP5
Matchmaking
(ETAT S.A.)

WP6
Call
information
network (BIT)

WP 7 Management
(HSTF)



Conclusions:

- TNF aims at helping NMSs and CCs getting **more involved** in FP6
- TNF can help **NCPs** as well as potential FP6 applicants and project participants (**researchers** and **SMEs**)
- TNF **complements** other FP6 SSA projects



Thank you!