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Merry Christmas  
& Happy New Year

### Let us know

Interreg 2 Seas takes different information and communication measures in order to support you, whether you want to apply for funding, you are a partner of an approved project, you are potentially interested in Interreg 2 Seas funding, or you are generally interested in cross-border cooperation.

With your feedback on these measures we can improve our efforts to support you and as such boost the quality of your projects.

We therefore want to thank you for taking a brief moment (appr. 10 min) to give us your opinion.

[Click here to share your opinion.](#)

(The survey will be open until 17/02/2017.)



## Call information



**Call 4 - step 1** opened on 1 December and will close on 1 March 2017 (23:59 Brussels time). During this period, applicants can submit a Concept Note via the Electronic Exchange Platform.

**Call 3 - step 2** (Application Form) will open early February and close on 2 May 2017.

**Call 2:** RBS (referred back for strategic reasons) projects have the opportunity to resubmit a revised Application Form by 20/12/2016 (23:59 Brussels time). The Programme Monitoring Committee will take a decision by mid February 2017 for RBS projects.

Also for **Call 5**, the timeframe has been decided upon by the Monitoring Committee. The first step will be open from 1 August until 27 October 2017. Step 2 will then be open from 2 February 2018 until 2 May 2018.

All call information and related documents are available on the [Interreg 2 Seas website](#).

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## 2 Seas projects featured on the website

How many projects have been approved so far? Which partners are participating in these projects? How much funding is still available for new projects?

You will soon find the answers to these and other questions in a brand new website section on approved projects. It will not only showcase general information, but will also promote the results that have been achieved by the projects.

The first projects will be featured in January 2017. So, keep an eye out for this interesting update!

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## Approved projects

In July, the Monitoring Committee decided to refer back 7 projects and as such invite them to rework and resubmit their Application Forms.

By the first available deadline of the 10 October 2016, 4 projects resubmitted a proposal.

The Joint Secretariat is very happy to announce that all 4 resubmitted projects have now been approved by the Monitoring Committee. This brings the total number of 2 Seas projects to 25.

Congratulations to **ICARes, SAIL, TRIPLE-A** and **WRC**.



The new website section on approved projects (to be launched in January) will contain detailed information on these projects.

## Meet the project: BISEPS



Specific Objective 2.1: Low-carbon technologies

The Interreg 2 Seas project BISEPS will increase the adoption of mid-scale sustainable energy technologies in business clusters with the eye on reducing CO<sup>2</sup> emissions and increasing energy profits of businesses.

The BISEPS project brings together 8 partners from 4 European countries: 3 intermunicipal associations -project leader Leiedal (BE), WVI (BE) and Métropole Européenne de Lille (FR)-, 3 public authorities -POM West Flanders (BE), Municipality of Breda (NL) and West Sussex County Council (UK)-, 1 business support organisation -Centre de développement des éco-entreprises (FR)- together with 1 academic partner Ghent University (BE).

BISEPS will run from 01/05/2016 until 30/04/2020.

More information on this project is available on the [BISEPS website](#).

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Are you interested in having your project promoted in the 2 Seas Newsletter? Don't hesitate and send your proposal to [contact@interreg2seas.eu](mailto:contact@interreg2seas.eu)

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## Applicant seminars

In **January**, a series of seminars will be dedicated to the development of a **Concept Note for Call 4**. This is the first of two steps in the application procedure.

Monday 09/01 - Lille (FR)  
Tuesday 10/01 - The Hague (NL)  
Wednesday 11/01 - Ghent (BE)  
Friday 27/01 - Bristol (UK)

[See website](#) for more detailed information on the January seminars.

In **February**, a series of seminars will be dedicated to the development of an **Application Form for Call 3**.

Monday 06/02 - Haarlem (NL)  
Monday 06/02 - Antwerpen (BE)  
Monday 13/02 - Amiens (FR)  
Monday 13/02 - Bristol (UK)

Keep an eye out on our website for further details on the February seminars. Information will be made available early January.

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