



The Role of Innovation Agencies in Implementing Smart Specialisation

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European Innovation Scoreboard 2016

EU MEMBER STATES' INNOVATION PERFORMANCE

- Innovation leaders
- Strong innovators
- Moderate innovators
- Modest innovators



EU Structural Support for R&D&I 2014-2020 in LT

678 M Eur

Lithuanian Smart Specialisation

Priority Areas

**Energy and a
Sustainable
Environment**

**Health Technologies
and Biotechnologies**

**Agro-Innovation and
Food Technologies**

**New Production
Processes, Materials
and Technologies**

**Transport, Logistic
and ICT**

**Inclusive and
Creative Society**

Lithuanian Innovation System

Ministry of Education and Science

Ministry of Economy

Research Council
of Lithuania

Agency for Science,
Innovation and
Technology

European Social
Fund Agency

Central Project
Management Agency

Lithuanian Business
Support Agency

Research and Higher
Education Monitoring
and Analysis Center

Enterprise Lithuania

Invest Lithuania

Investment and Business
Guarantees Agency

Research Institutions

Companies

Science and
Technology Parks

Lithuanian Innovation
Center

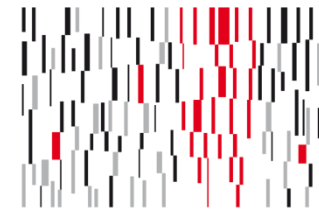
Business Associations

Social Partners

MITA – National Innovation Funding Agency



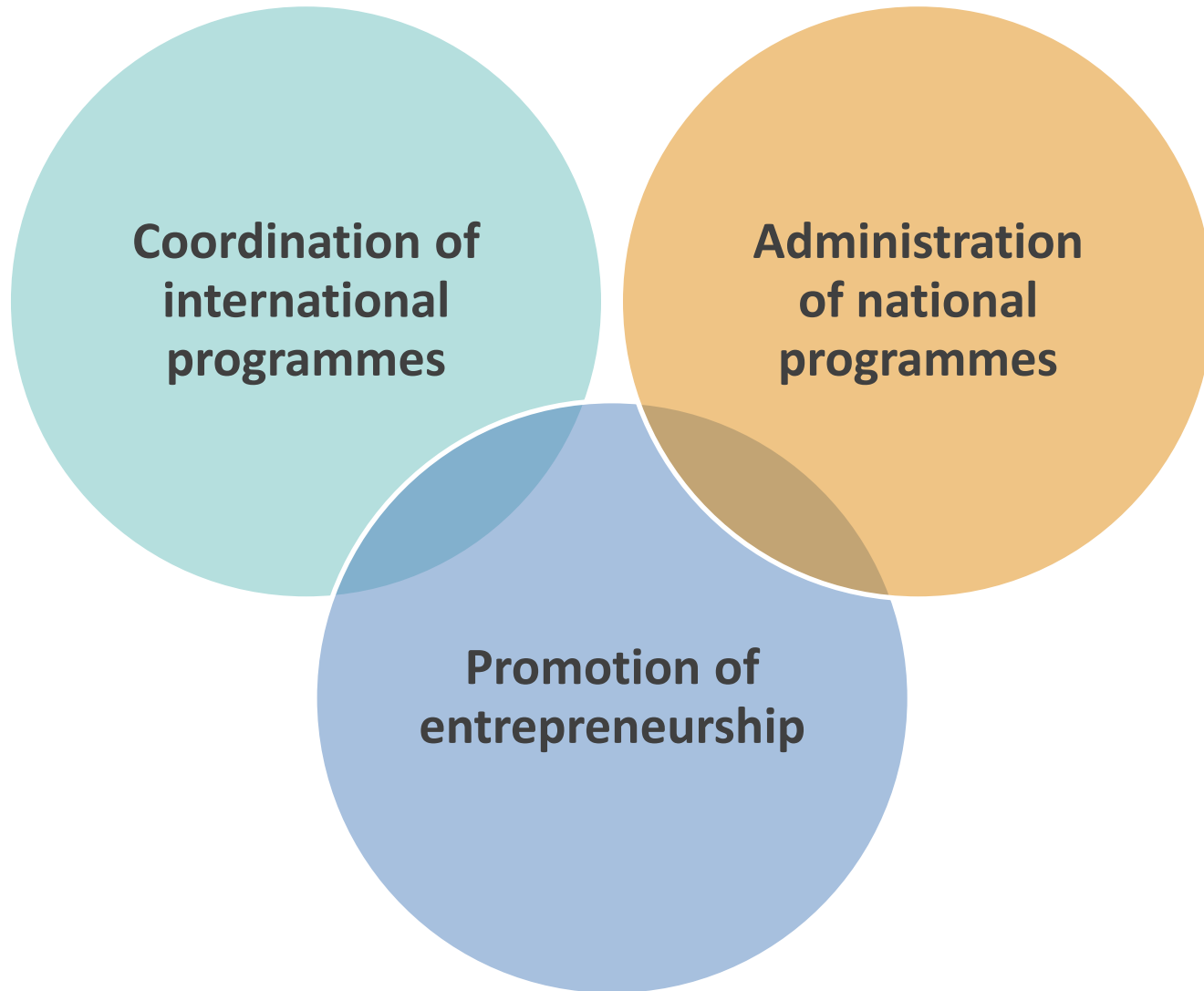
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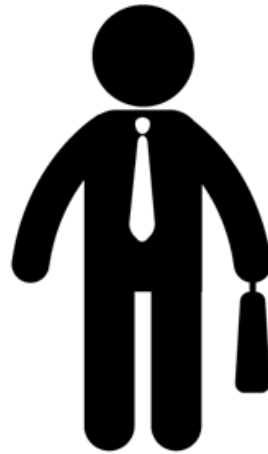
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Activities



Clients



International Programmes



International Programmes



information on the programmes



partner search



application drafting

International Initiatives

visits to ESA research centres



acceleration in China's STPs



internship programme with NASA



internship in EU R&D centres



International Initiatives: Baltic Sea Region

INNOVATION express



International Cooperation



National Programmes

Innovation
Vouchers



National Programmes: Innovation Vouchers

Innovation Vouchers

financial support for cooperation between
business and research institutions

- ✓ small-scale R&D projects of up to 6K Eur

National Programmes: Innovation Vouchers

776 projects

3,3M Eur

National Programmes: Intellectual Property



Intellectual Property Protection

financial support for protection of intellectual property rights

- ✓ **up to 30K Eur for:**
 - a) **patenting of inventions**
 - b) **registration of design**

National Programmes: Intellectual Property

282 projects

1,6M Eur

National Programmes: Commercialization of R&D



Commercialization of R&D Results

financial support for development of R&D results

- ✓ **up to 20K Eur for establishment of university spin-off companies**

National Programmes: Commercialization of R&D

48 spin-off companies

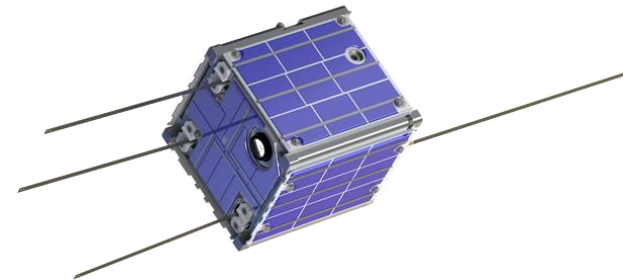
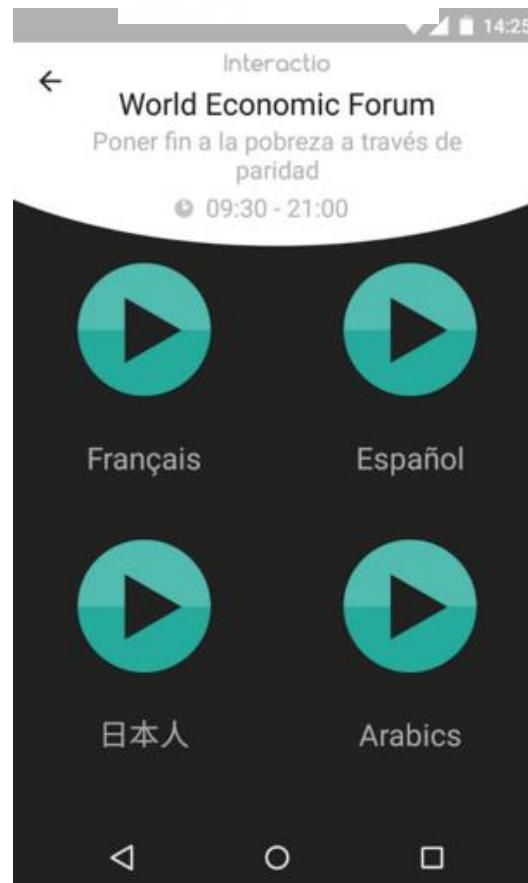
900K Eur

National Programmes: Commercialization of R&D

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Other National Initiatives

**Pre-commercial
procurement**

Clusters

**Start-up
acceleration**

**Articles, TV shows,
exhibitions**

R&D tax incentives

MITA in Smart Specialisation

- ✓ **Development**
- ✓ **Implementation**
- ✓ **Facilitation**



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