

Smart Specialisation Beyond EU

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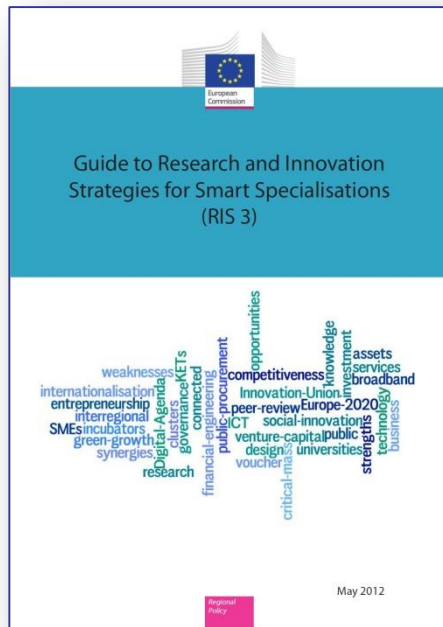
*Serving society
Stimulating innovation
Supporting legislation*



Overview

- Smart specialisation, interregional collaboration and outward dimension
- S3 Beyond EU
- Study: Innovation and Regional Specialisation in Latin America

Smart Specialisation Platform



Guide R&I RIS3,
DESIGN
May 2012



Good Practices,
STORIES
Sept 2016



Guide S3,
IMPLEMENTATION
Oct 2016

The concept of smart specialisation, is smart because...

...is carried out with **an eye on the outside world**, motivating regions to be ambitious but realistic about what can be achieved while **linking local assets and capabilities to external sources of knowledge and value chains**.



RIS3 Guide of the European Commission

With contributions of D. Foray, P. McCann,
J. Goddard, K. Morgan, C. Nauwelaers

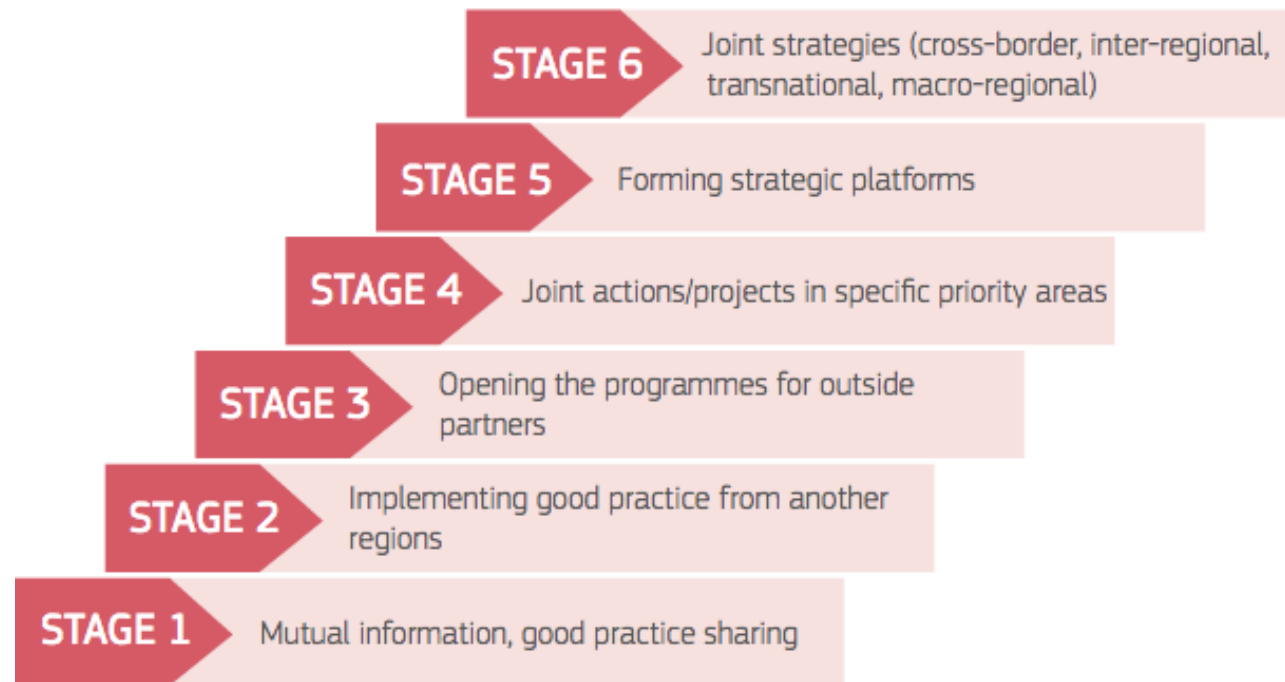
Available on the S3 Platform webpage
<http://s3platform.jrc.ec.europa.eu>

Interregional cooperation stories and results...

- Potential common priorities (agro-food, new materials and energy) have been mapped **based on value chain principles**.
- Complementary sources of **financing** have been identified.
- lessons on how to **understand each other's development needs** and how to approach intercultural communication



Evolution of Transnational and Interregional cooperation



Source:

<http://s3platform.jrc.ec.europa.eu/knowledge-repository>

SMART SPECIALISATION

Beyond EU

#S3BeyondEU

S3 Beyond EU, anticipating the future



- Facilitate **cooperation** between EU and other strategic innovation partners in the world
- Stimulate **business opportunities** and regional growth.
- Supporting **common learning in the way of understanding regional innovation**

EU NEIGHBOURHOOD

Danube Macroregion

Moldova, Serbia, Bosnia & Herzegovina, S3 in EU Macrostrategies



S3P works towards promoting a 'Smartly Specialised Danube' supporting RIS3 through transnational collaboration and learning

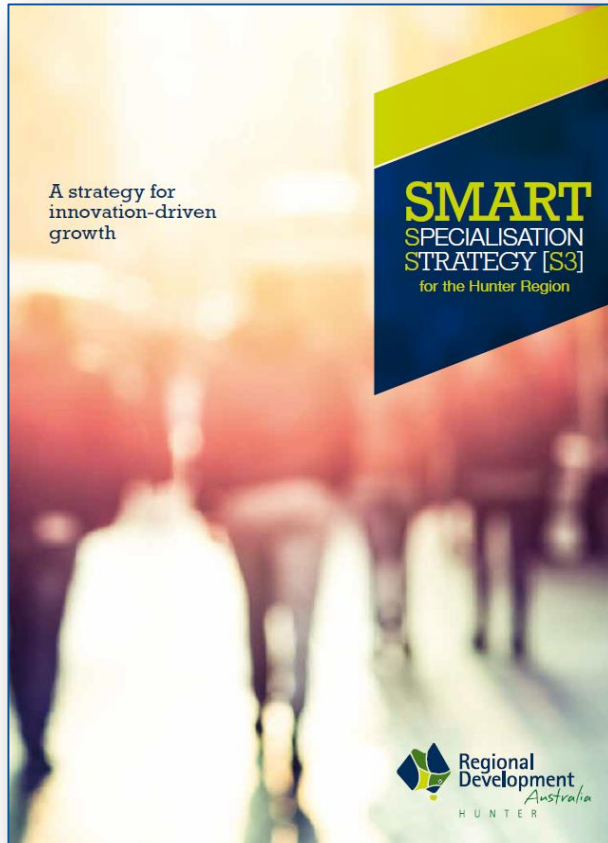


AUSTRALIA

Smart Specialisation

Hunter region

Smart Specialisation Strategy Hunter Region



- First Australian Smart Specialisation Initiative.
- Launched by the Prime Minister in March 2016
- Priorities:
 1. Food and agri-business
 2. Mining equipment
 3. Medical technologies
 4. Oil, gas and energy
 5. Advanced manufacturing
 6. Creative Industries

AFRICA

Exploratory research on Innovation policies



SUSTAINABLE INVESTMENT

DOMESTIC RESOURCE MOBILISATION

TRADE AND FAIR GLOBALISATION

DIGITALISATION

DECENT JOBS



PARTNERING WITH THE PRIVATE SECTOR

PARTNERSHIPS FOR CSOS AND LOCAL ACTORS

ENGAGING WITH MIDDLE INCOME COUNTRIES (MICS)

BUILDING GLOBAL PARTNERSHIPS

FRAGILITY AND RESILIENCE

- **JRC flagship African report**
 - Currently on-going
 - Chapter on Territorial development
- **EU Development Days, June 2017, Brussels**

Slot with key organisations in Africa

Innovation and regional specialisation in Latin America

Background

- Gives continuity to previous work of European Commission, DG REGIO, DG RTD
- Key outcomes can contribute to trigger cooperation on regional innovation and specialisation
- Provides evidences for policy



source

<http://s3platform.jrc.ec.europa.eu/-/launching-study-smart-specialisation-in-latin-america?>

Next steps, International Urban Cooperation programme

- Cities and regions of EU and Latin-America (MX, COL, BR, CH, PER and AR)
- sharing expertise on clustering, global value chains and Smart Specialisation Strategies.



III. REGION-TO-REGION COOPERATION WITH LATIN AMERICA

More info

http://ec.europa.eu/regional_policy/en/policy/cooperation/international/urban/

Save the date!!



1st and 2nd June
Helsinki

Thanks



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