

8th Joint CORNET Call for Transnational Collective Research Proposals
--- Project Idea ---

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| Subject: | CLOSE |
| Coordinator: | Confindustria Taranto |
| Other applicant(s): | |
| Sector/target group: | Logistic |
| Proposal summary: | <p>Project has the purpose to realize a Software Platform having all the necessary functions for the constitution and management of Net of Enterprises constituted by suppliers of extended logistic services with those which require the same services. Thanks to the Platform's capacity Net of Enterprises constitute and modify themselves automatically, following the requirements of services demand. Precisely every enterprise places one or more organisms at disposal. Every organism is characterized by attitudes constituting the competences, the tools and the management which coordinates the previous ones to reach systematically the aims and the quality of the provided service. For each attitude placed at net's disposal, the supplying organism is able to provide a certain ability. A net of enterprises can be constituted combining together the attitudes and the necessary abilities to satisfy the specific demand the same net has to satisfy. Therefore in a net it is possible for concurrent enterprises, with the same attitudes, which unit together their abilities to the logistic services demand, to cooperate together. The government of the net of enterprises is entrusted to an hub whose ability are part of the same platform.</p> <p>The platform is based on different technologies of information and communication (ICT), most of them innovative, and has the responsibility of orchestrate them to produce the services distributed with the peculiarity and quality the user asks for. Therefore it enables to use a whole of technologies, even advanced, which cooperates themselves following even complex procedures, relieving the user from the complex use of technology and their relationships.</p> <p>The Platform is carried out thanks to an Applications of Enterprises distributed through Software as a Service (SaaS) approach. Therefore it could be operative in a district centre and be used by all the enterprises that, belonging to the demand or offer logistic sector, are related to the same centre.</p> |

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| <p>Advantages for trade and industry:</p> | <p>As all the abilities of the Platform are part of the hub service, this means that the user enterprises do not have the charge to educate and update the specialised competencies for the production, maintenance and administration the technologies the platform is based on. Therefore the platform has also the aim to put together the investments in competencies and ICT infrastructures allowing to all the enterprises to have access to the services with sustainable prices. The platform contributes to enrich the industrial sector of the innovative services logistics. As known, a sector, which enrich itself by services, quickly develops its competitive advantage and its economic force.</p> |
| <p>Dissemination concepts:</p> | <p>Trough the net of enterprises the research and education institutions , included in the hub organization, divulgate the most update technologies for the enterprise aggregation, even concurrent, and for the plurality services continuous improvement.</p> |
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