

Reference 2015-IES-03	Scenarios of regional development for the Danube Region	Institute IES
Enlargement and Integration Action Workshop		
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Detailed description	<p>The development of 'scenarios' require a set of coherent, internally consistent, and plausible descriptions of possible future state(s) of a given geographic area. The global context is normally also considered.</p> <p>The objective of the workshop is to discuss with relevant stakeholders the definition of socio-economic and environmental scenarios for the Danube Region - focusing on different topics, such as population projections, economic trends (including transport and energy), factors related to technological innovation and the role of EU investment and development policies.</p> <p>The workshop targets regional decision/policy makers and researchers dealing with spatial economics and planning and aims to tackle two main issues:</p>	
Objectives, policy relevance and content of workshop	<p>1. Definition of qualitative storylines at national and sub-national level for the short (10 years), medium (20-30 years) and long (50 years) time periods;</p> <p>2. Identification of quantitative information (e.g. macro-economic model outputs or historical statistics) for the implementation of potential future scenarios in LUISA and evaluation of air quality trends and related impacts in the Danube area.</p>	
Date, place and duration	19-20 November 2015, Ispra (I), 1.5 days	
Deadline for application	4 September 2015	
Target deadline for results of selection	21 September 2015	
Participants profile	The workshop targets regional (national or sub-national level) decision/policy makers, experts and researchers dealing with spatial economics and planning.	

<p>Country of origin of participants</p>	<p>Focus on participants from:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ New EU Member State ▪ EU Candidate Countries ▪ EU Potential Candidate Countries ▪ "Horizon 2020 - the Framework Programme for Research and Innovation (2014-2020)" Associated Countries ▪ on an ad hoc basis European Neighbourhood Policy Countries ▪ Danube Macro-Region
<p>Funding</p>	<p>The Commission reserves the right to decide on a case-by-case basis the granting of such reimbursement of expenses, depending always on the available budget.</p> <p>Participants may be entitled to reimbursement of their expenses in case they are directly (explicitly) invited by the organiser in order to contribute to the workshop's objectives.</p>
<p>To apply please send your CV to: JRC-Enlargement@ec.europa.eu, subject: 2015-IES-03</p>	

