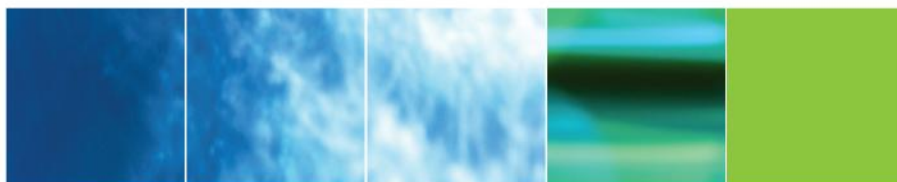


Support Schemes for FP7 Funding Applicants

Liam Brown, Operations Manager



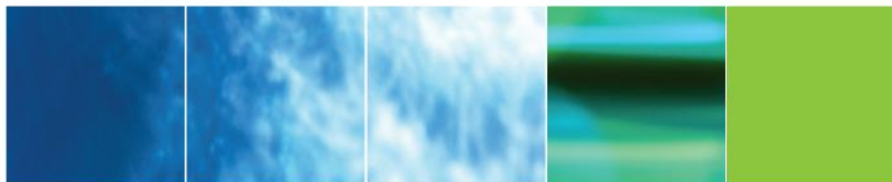
FP7 in Ireland – first signs of activity

Financial supports

	Funding Approved
Academic coordinator support	€958,315.00
Travel support	€174,448.76
Feasibility for companies	€232,549.54
TOTAL:	€1,365,313.30

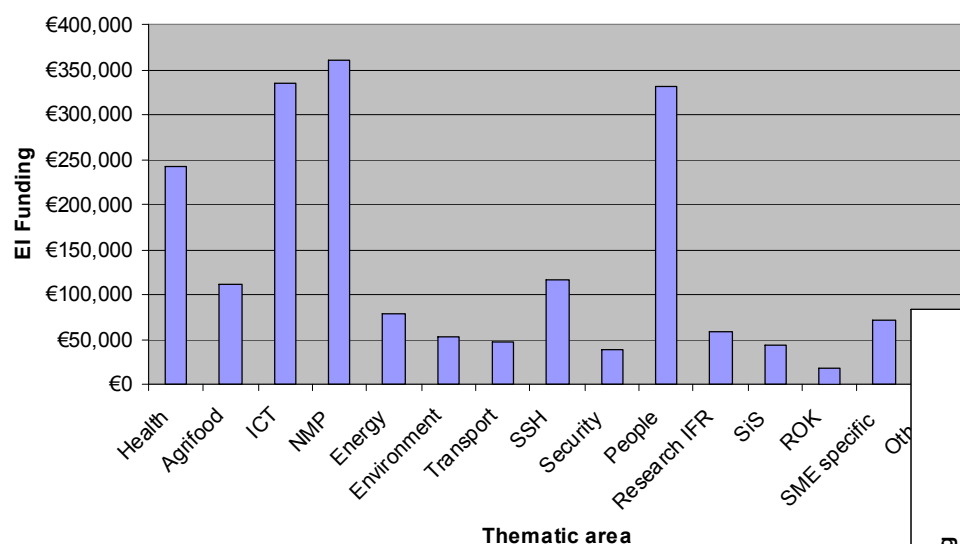
Evidence of a high level of FP7 proposal preparation activity on the ground

We had given out more financial support in 1 year of FP7 than in the whole of FP6

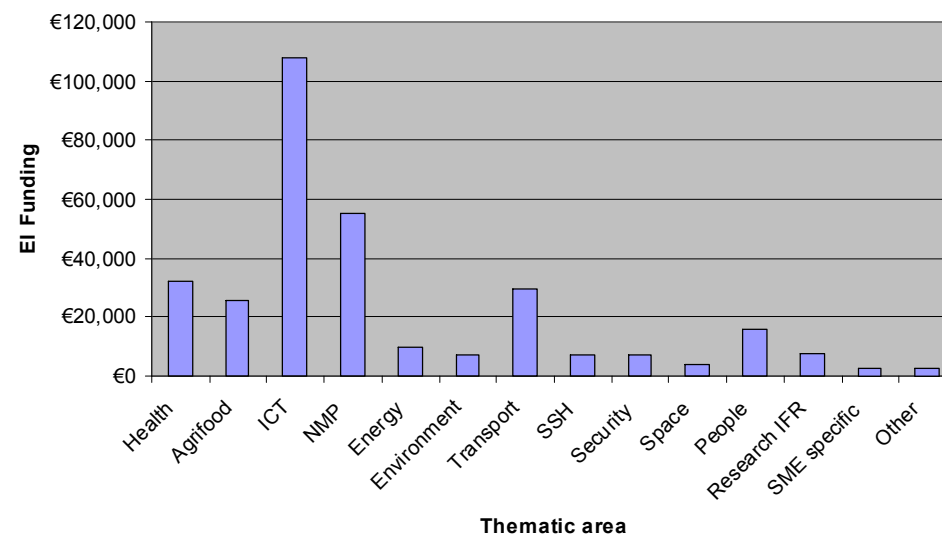


Breakdown FP7 Financial Supports

Financial Support for Co-ordinator by thematic area



Travel Support by thematic area

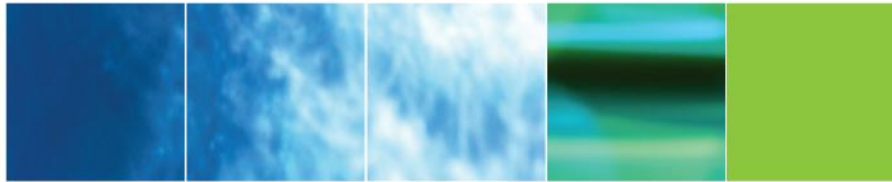




Financial Supports for Academic Researchers I

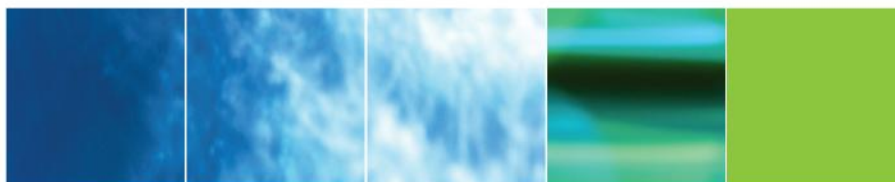
■ Travel Support

- ◆ Covers visits by Irish researchers abroad or attendance at EU Information Days/Workshops;
- ◆ Covers ALL areas in FP7 (inc. social sciences & humanities)
- ◆ Multiple visits => multiple applications
- ◆ Least-cost travel expenses and institutional subsistence rates
- ◆ No maximum limit on grant but Value for Money expected



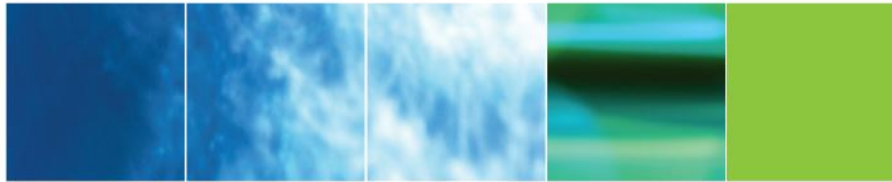
Financial Supports for Academic Researchers II

- Coordination Support
 - ◆ Covers proposal preparation for COORDINATORS of FP7 projects
 - Coordinator (or internal approved staff) least-cost travel expenses and institutional subsistence rates, costs of hosting meetings, costs of communicating with consortium members, employment of a researcher for short-term analysis, professional services in the preparation of an application, strategy development and planning. Replacement teaching expenses may be eligible where a sufficiently strong case is made
 - ◆ Covers ALL areas in FP7 (inc. social sciences etc)
 - ◆ Grants up to a maximum of €25,000



Financial Supports for Companies

- Feasibility Study
 - ◆ Covers company negotiations with research partners and/or preparation of joint R&D proposals for FP7
 - ◆ Covers ALL areas in FP7 (inc. social sciences etc)
 - ◆ Grants to SMEs, HPSUs and MNCs up to a maximum of €25,000 (with equal investment by the company)

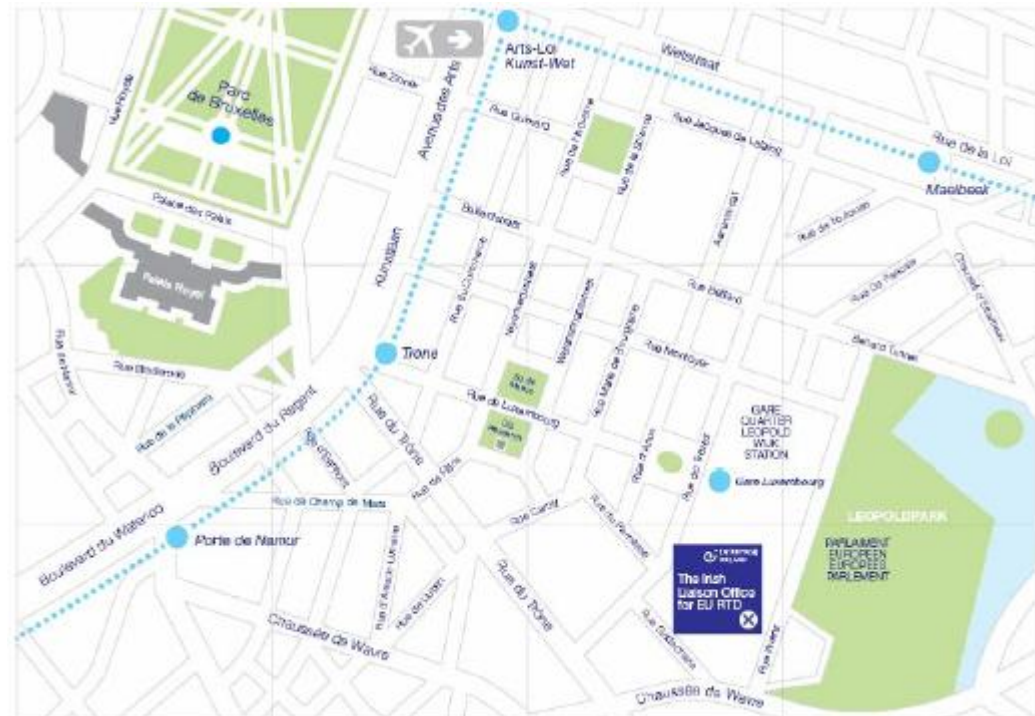


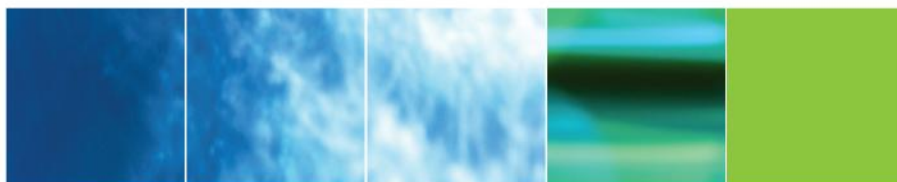
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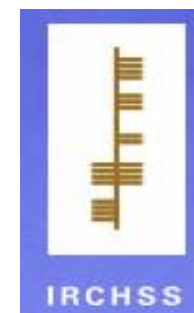


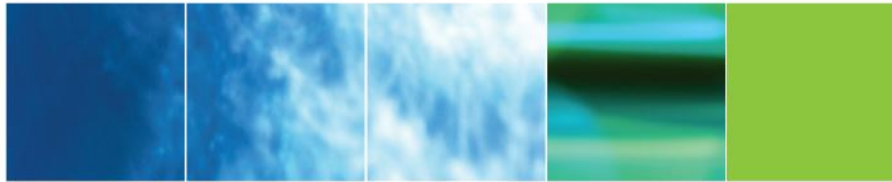
Support Network

- Dedicated national office at heart of a distributed network of delegates and full-time contact points
- National Experts assigned to all areas



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