

The logo for the PROiDEAL Plus Project, featuring the same stylized "PROiDEAL" text and "Plus" box as the header, followed by the word "Project:" in a bold, dark blue font.

PROMotion of an ICT Dialogue between Europe and America Latina
– extension towards Mexico, Colombia, Cuba, Costa Rica

MODULE 2:
Understanding “Eurojargon”

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Objectives

- To make EU texts easier understandable
- To improve the understanding for EU programme terminology
- To provide a glossary with definitions, available on-line

Topics Covered

- Terms used in the ICT work programme and specific to proposals & projects
- Synonyms or quasi-synonyms of EU terminology





Consortium

Evaluation

Awareness Raising

Work Package

Co-financing

Dissemination

Eligible Costs

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State-of-the-Art

Proposal

S&I Excellence

Call

Funding Schemes

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Programa de trabajo

- **“Work Programme”**

Thematic priorities, usually defined for 2 years ahead (allows you to plan proposals!)

Convocatoria

- **“Call” (call for proposals; open calls)**

As published in the Official Journal. Opens parts of the workprogramme for proposals, indicating what types of actions (RTD projects, Accompanying actions etc.) are required. A provisional timetable for such calls is included in the workprogramme

Tells you **WHAT** is expected until **WHEN**.

Example: Call 7 of the ICT programme: Published 28/09/2010;
deadline 18/01/2010

Temas y sub-temas
prioritarios

- “Challenge” and “Objective”:

Specific sub-themes under a main theme (“challenge”). Example:

Challenge 1: Pervasive and Trustworthy Network and Service Infrastructures

Objective ICT-2009.1.1: The Network of the Future

Target Outcomes

a) Future Internet Architectures and Network Technologies ...

- “Funding Scheme”

Esquema de financiamiento

Tells you which project structure is expected for which theme. Closely related to Work Programme, Objectives, and Calls. In the WP it appears as such:

Funding schemes

–a), b): IP, STREP; c): CSA

Indicative budget distribution:

– IP/STREP: EUR 107 million of which a minimum of 50% to IPs and a minimum of 30% to STREPs

– CSA: EUR 3 million

Call:

–ICT call 5



• “Eligibility”

Eligibilidad

Compliance with administrative requirements, e.g. minimum number of partners; “**eligible costs**” = costs that are allowed to enter into the budget, according to the financial rules, e.g. costs occurred during the project phase

• “Evaluation”:

Evaluación

Quality check: The process by which proposals are retained with a view to selection as projects, or are not retained. Evaluation is conducted through the application of **Evaluation Criteria** identified in the Workprogramme and carried out by independent experts (NOT EC officials!).

• “Partner, beneficiary”

Socio, beneficiario

Project participants that form the project **consortium** and benefit from co-financing

• Project vs. Proposal

Proyecto / propuesta

You write the content of a project, you submit a “project proposal” that remains a proposal until it has been accepted. If the contract is signed, the proposal becomes a (running) project.

•Some acronyms:

ICT Information and Communication Technologies



TIC

ICPC International cooperation partner countries

ICTC Information and Communication Technologies Committee

IP Integrated project or Internet Protocol

RTD (R&D) Research and (technological) development



I+D

STREP Small or medium scale focused research action

SICA Specific International Cooperation Action

SME Small and medium enterprise



PYME

S&T Science & Technology; scientific & technological

- Most of the terms are explained in the ICT programme Wiki:
<http://www.pro-ideal.eu/wiki>
- You find explanations also in the Work Programme
- You can contact us: info [arroba] emfs.eu

